## Yarnspirations"'

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What you will need:
RED HEART ${ }^{\oplus}$ Soft ${ }^{\oplus}$ : 1 ball 9388 Wheat

Susan Bates ${ }^{\circledR}$ Knitting Needles: 5 mm [US 8]

Cable needle, yarn needle
GAUGE: 19 sts = 4" (10 cm); 23 rows $=4$ " (10 cm) in Stockinette st (knit on right side, purl on wrong side). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge. Art. E728 available in $50 z(141 \mathrm{~g}), 256 \mathrm{yd}$ ( 234 m ) balls


## XO Panels and Ensign's Braid Square

For Knit Your Cables Afghan

Use this square for making the one-color Knit Your Cables Afghan. Follow our blog by searching RHK0502-019189M for hints on knitting each square of this afghan. Then, if you feel creative, use the stitch pattern for your own unique knit project.

## Square measures 10" ( 25.5 cm ) square.

## Special Abbreviations

2/2 LC (2 over 2 Left Cross): Slip next 2 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k2, k2 from cable needle.
2/2 RC (2 over 2 Right Cross): Slip next 2 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k2, k2 from cable needle.
3/1 LPC (3 over 1 Left Purl Cross): Slip next 3 sts to cable needle and hold in front, p1, k3 from cable needle.
3/1 RPC (3 over 1 Right Purl Cross): Slip next st to cable needle and hold in back, k3, p1 from cable needle.
3/3 LC (3 over 3 Left Cross): Slip next 3 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k3, k3 from cable needle.
3/3 RC (3 over 3 Right Cross): Slip next 3 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k3, k3 from cable needle.

## Special Technique

Cable Cast $0 n=$ Place a slip knot on left needle, insert right needle into stitch on left needle as if to knit, pull loop through and place on left needle (2 sts on left needle), *insert needle between first 2 stitches on left needle, pull loop through and place on left needle; repeat from * until the required number of stitches are on the left needle.

## SQUARE G

Cable cast on 54 sts.
Set-Up Row 1 (right side): P5, k8, p6, k6, p4, k6, p6, k8, p5.
Set-Up Row 2: K5, p8, k6, p6, k4, p6, k6, p8, k5.
Row 1: P5, 2/2 RC, 2/2 LC, p6, 3/3 RC, p4, 3/3 LC, p6, 2/2 RC, 2/2 LC, p5.
Rows 2, 12 and 14: K5, p8, k6, p6, k4, p6, k6, p8, k5.

Rows 3 and 15: P5, k8, p5, 3/1 RPC, 3/1 LPC, p2, 3/1 RPC, 3/1 LPC, p5, k8, p5.
Rows 4, 10, 16 and 22: K5, p8, k5, [p3, k2] 3 times, p3, k5, p8, k5.
Rows 5 and 17: P5, k8, p4, [3/1 RPC, p2, 3/1 LPC] 2 times, p4, k8, p5.
Rows 6, 8, 18 and 20: K5, p8, k4, [p3, k4, p3] 2 times, k4, p8, k5.
Rows 7: P5, 2/2 LC, $2 / 2 \mathrm{RC}, \mathrm{p} 4, \mathrm{k} 3, \mathrm{p} 4,3 / 3$ RC, p4, k3, p4, 2/2 LC, 2/2 RC, p5.
Rows 9 and 21: P5, k8, p4, [3/1 LPC, p2, 3/1 RPC] 2 times, p4, k8, p5.
Rows 11 and 23: P5, k8, p5, 3/1 LPC, 3/1 RPC, p2, 3/1 LPC, 3/1 RPC, p5, k8, p5.
Row 13: P5, 2/2 LC, $2 / 2 \mathrm{RC}, \mathrm{p} 6,3 / 3 \mathrm{LC}, \mathrm{p} 4$, 3/3 RC, p6, 2/2 LC, 2/2 RC, p5.
Row 19: P5, 2/2 RC, $2 / 2$ LC, p4, k3, p4, 3/3 LC, p4, k3, p4, 2/2 RC, 2/2 LC, p5.
Row 24: Repeat Row 2.
Repeat Rows 1-24 one more time, then repeat Rows 1-14 once more. Bind off in pattern on right side.

## Finishing

Block piece to approximately 10 " ( 25.5 cm ) square.
Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit; $\mathbf{p}=$ purl; st(s) = stitch(es); [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

See chart and key on next page


