



KNIT I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximately  
**Beg** = Begin(ning)  
**Cont** = Continue(ity)  
**K** = Knit  
**Kfb** = Increase by knitting into front, then into back of next stitch  
**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches together  
**Pat** = Pattern

**Pss** = Pass slipped stitch over  
**Rep** = Repeat  
**RS** = Right side  
**Sl1** = Slip next stitch knitwise  
**St(s)** = Stitch(es)  
**Tog** = Together  
**Yo** = Yarn over  
**WS** = Wrong side

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 48" x 55" [122 x 139.5 cm], excluding tassels.

## GAUGES

16 sts and 32 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter st.  
 Width of 1 Strip = approx 8" [20.5 cm].

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Note:** When joining a new ball of yarn, match wit color from previous ball of yarn. Excess of unused yarn will be used after for tassels.

## STRIP (Make 6)

Cast on 1 st.  
**1st row:** (WS). K1. yo. K1. 3 sts.  
**2nd row:** Knit.  
**3rd row:** Kfb. Knit to end of row.  
 Rep last row until side of work measures approx 8" [20.5 cm], ending on a RS row.

Work straight as follows:

**1st row:** (WS). Knit.  
**2nd row:** Kfb. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.  
 Rep last 2 rows until side edge measures 55" [139.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

## MATERIALS

**Red Heart® Super Saver® Stripes™** (5 oz/141 g; 236 yds/215 m)  
 Retro Stripes (4971) **11 balls or 2440 yds/2220 m**

Size U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Piece of cardboard 7" [18 cm] for tassels. Susan Bates® yarn needle.



Proceed as follows:

**1st row:** K2tog. Knit to end of row.  
Rep last row until there are 3 sts.

**Next row:** Sl1. K2tog. pssso. Fasten off.

Sew Strips tog, alternating direction of bias lines as shown in photo.

**Tassels:** (Make 4). Wrap yarn around a 7" [18 cm] piece of cardboard 30 times. Tie securely at one end. Cut across other end. Wrap yarn 6 times around Tassel 1½" [4 cm] from tied end, and fasten securely. Attach Tassels at each corner of Blanket.

