



MATERIALS

Red Heart® Super Saver® (7 oz/198 g; 364 yds/333 m)
Contrast A Soft White (0316) **3 balls or 975 yds /892 m**

Red Heart® Super Saver® Stripes™ (5 oz/141 g; 236 yds/215 m)
Contrast B Polo Stripe (4960) **5 balls or 975 yds /892 m**
Contrast C Fruity Stripe (4962) **5 balls or 975 yds /892 m**

Size U.S. 10 (6 mm) Susan Bates® circular knitting needle 36" [91.5 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® stitch marker. 3½" [9 cm] piece of cardboard for tassels.



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg = Begin(ning)
Cont = Continue(ity)
Dec = Decrease
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together
Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch

Pat = Pattern
Rem = Remaining
Rep = Repeat
RS = Right side
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
WS = Wrong side

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 50" x 60" [127 cm x 152.5 cm], excluding Pompom Tassels.

GAUGE

15 sts and 27 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter st.

INSTRUCTIONS

Notes:

- Color changes occur only on RS rows.
- Carry color not in use loosely up side of work, unless otherwise stated. To keep yarn looking tidy along the edge, always pick up new color from behind old colors.
- Blanket is worked in 2 pieces (Left and Right) worked from corner to corner. Left and Right are sewn tog in Finishing.

BLANKET

Stripe Pat

With A, work 2 rows.

With B, work 2 rows.

With C, work 2 rows.

These 6 rows form Stripe Pat.

LEFT HALF

Increase Section

With A, cast on 2 sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows, proceed as follows:

1st row: (RS). Kfb. K1. 3 sts.

2nd row: K1. Kfb. K1. 4 sts. Join B.

3rd row: With B, K1. Kfb. K2. 5 sts.

4th row: K1. Kfb. K3. 6 sts. Join C.

5th row: With C, K1. Kfb. Knit to end of row.

6th row: K1. Kfb. Knit to end of row.

First 6 rows of Stripe Pat are now complete.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep 6th row until bottom edge measures approx 25" [63.5 cm] from corner, ending on a WS row. Place marker at beg of last row.

Body Section

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows:

1st row: (RS). K1. Kfb. Knit to end of row.

2nd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to end of row.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep last 2 rows until side edge measures approx 58½" [148.5 cm] from corner, ending on a WS row.

Decrease Section

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows:

1st row: (RS). K1. K2tog. Knit to end of row.

Rep last row until 6 sts rem.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, cont dec as follows:

Next row: (RS). K1. K2tog. K3.

Next row: K1. K2tog. K2.

Next row: K1. K2tog. K1.

Next row: K2tog. K1.

Cast off.

RIGHT HALF

Increase Section

Work as for Left Half Increase Section, except place marker at end of last row.

Body Section

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows:

1st row: (RS). K1. K2tog. Knit to end of row.

2nd row: K1. Kfb. Knit to end of row.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep last 2 rows until side edge measures approx 58½" [148.5 cm] from corner, ending on WS row.

Decrease Section

Work as for Left Half Decrease Section.

FINISHING

Pin Left Half and Right Half to measurements. Cover with a damp towel and let dry.

Sew Left Half and Right Half tog down longest edge aligning st markers and noting pieces are mirrored to form chevron design.

Top Edging: With A and RS facing, pick up and knit 187 sts evenly along top edge of Blanket.

1st row: (WS). Knit. Break A. Join B.

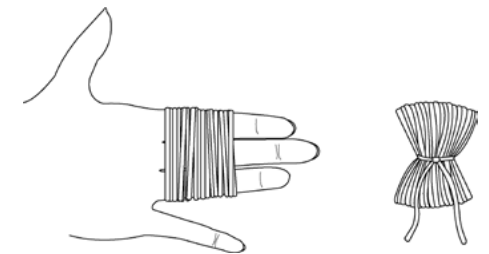
2nd and 3rd rows: With B, knit. Break B. Join C.

4th and 5th rows: With C, knit. Cast off.

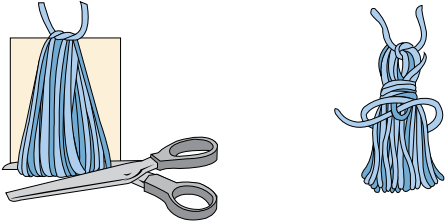
Bottom Edging: Work as for Top Edging across bottom edge.

Pompom Tassels (make 18)

Pompom: With 1 strand each of A, B, and C held tog, wind yarn around 3 fingers approx 38 times. Tie yarn tightly in the middle and leave long ends for attaching to Blanket. Cut loops at both ends and trim to smooth round shape.



Tassel: With 1 strand each of A, B, and C held tog, wrap yarn around 3½" [9 cm] piece of cardboard 13 times. Tie securely at one end leaving long ends for securing to Pompom. Cut across other end. Wrap yarn 3 times around tassel 1" [2.5 cm] from tied end and fasten securely.



Attach Tassel securely to bottom of Pompom (as shown in diagram). Sew 9 Pompom Tassels evenly spaced on each end of Blanket (see photo).

