

LW6547



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What you will need:

RED HEART® Fleece Hugs™: 1 cake 7019 Dandelion

Susan Bates* Knitting Needles: 6 mm [US 10]

120 x 120" [305 x 305 cm] King Size quilt batting, two stitch markers, yarn needle.

GAUGE: 12 sts = 4" [10 cm] in Garter stitch (knit every row). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

BUY YARN



Fleece Hugs™, Art. E894 available in

7 oz (200 g), 457 yd (418 m) cakes

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Knit Fleecy Pouf

Knit this fun pouf from just one cake ball of snuggly, soft yarn available in a wonderful range of colors to coordinate with your kiddo's bedroom. It will set the stage for happy times!

Pouf measures 15" [38 cm] high, 18" [45.5 cm] wide, and 56" [142 cm] around.

Notes

- 1. Pouf is worked in short rows.
- 2. Short rows are worked over only a portion of the stitches in a row, leaving the remaining stitches unworked. On rows that end with "turn", do not finish the row, turn work to the other side and work next row. When knitting past one of the "turns" of the previous row, work next stitch slightly tighter to lessen the chance of a hole appearing in the work.

POUF

Cast on 95 sts, loosely.

Set-Up Row: K30, place marker, k35, place marker, k30.

Short Row Shaping

Row 1: Knit to end of row.

Rows 2 and 3: Knit to 2nd marker, k5,

Rows 4 and 5: Knit to 2nd marker, k10, turn.

Rows 6 and 7: Knit to 2nd marker, k15,

Rows 8 and 9: Knit to 2nd marker, k20, turn.

Rows 10 and 11: Knit to 2nd marker, k25, turn.

Row 12: Knit to end of row.

Repeat Rows 1-12 until about 5 yds [4.5 m] of yarn remain, ending with a Row 12.

Last Row: Knit to end of row.

Bind off loosely.

FINISHING

Fold quilt batting in half lengthwise 3 times to make a long strip 15" [38 cm] wide by 120" [305 cm] long. Roll strip up like a sleeping bag to create a barrelshape that will be about 15" [38 cm] high and 56" [142 cm] around. Wind either tighter or looser to get correct circumference. Wrap knitted cover around batting with shorter edges (sides) of cover at centers of top and bottom of batting. Sew cast on and bound off edges together. Weave an 18" [45.5 cm] length of yarn through ends of rows around opening at top of pouf and pull to close opening, secure and weave in ends. Repeat to close opening at bottom of pouf. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit; st(s) = stitch(es).

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