



## Checkerboard Throw

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Length:** 48"

**Width:** 44½"

### MATERIALS

**Premier® Yarns *Retro Velvet*®** (100% Polyester;  
9.8 oz/280 g, 306 yds/280 m)

- 1088-23 Almond – 4 balls

**Needles:** US Size 10.5 (6.5 mm) 24" or longer  
circular needle *or size needed to obtain gauge*

**Notions:** Tapestry needle

### GAUGE

12 sts x 17 rows = 4" in St st

**Save time, check your gauge.**

### Skills/techniques used:

- Knitting and purling.

### STITCH GUIDE

**Checkerboard Pattern** (*multiple 14 sts + 8*)

**Rows 1-10:** K4, \*k7, p7; rep from \* to last 4 sts, k4.

**RS Rows 11-19:** K4, \*k1, (p1, k1) 3 times, k7;  
rep from \* to last 4 sts, k4.

**WS Rows 12-20:** K4, \*p7, k1, (p1, k1) 3 times;  
rep from \* to last 4 sts, k4.

Rep Rows 1-20 for patt.

### PATTERN NOTES

This Throw is worked flat from end to end with a circular needle to accommodate the large number of stitches.

### THROW

Cast on 134 sts. Work in Garter st for 1".

Work in **Checkerboard patt** until Throw meas 47" from cast-on edge or to desired length, less 1". Work in Garter st for 1". Loosely bind off all sts.

### FINISHING

Weave in ends.

### Abbreviations

**Garter st** Knit every row.

**k** knit

**p** purl

**patt** pattern

**rep** repeat(ing)

**RS** right side

**st(s)** stitch(es)

**WS** wrong side

