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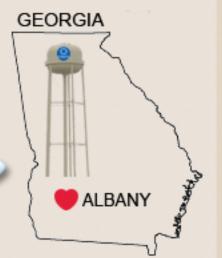
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Diamond Pattern Throw

AFGHAN

Designed by Helen L. Stenborg

This attractive afghan is an excellent beginners' pattern! It takes beginners through many of the basics of knitting and leaves the knitter with a lovely finished project!

EXTRAVAGANZA

Experience Level

Beginner*

Size

44" x 58"

Materials

- Worsted weight yarn: 32 oz cream
- Size 8 (29" or 36") circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge
- · Stitch markers
- Size H/8 crochet hook
- · Tapestry needle

Gauge

14 sts and 20 rows = 4"/10cm in seed st To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Note

Place markers between panels to help keep track of patt.

Pattern Stitches

Seed St (odd number of sts):

Row 1: K1, *p1, k1, rep from * across. Rep Row 1 for patt. Seed St (even number of sts):

Row 1: *K1, p1, rep from * across.

Row 2: *P1, k1, rep from * across.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 for patt.

Diamond Patt

Row 1: *P1, [k1, p1] twice, k6, p1, k6, pM, rep from * 7 more times, end p1, [k1, p1] twice, pM.

Row 2 and all rem WS rows: Purl.

Row 3: *P1, [k1, p1] twice, k5, p1, k1, p1, k5, rep from * 7 more times, end p1, [k1, p1] twice.

Row 5: *P1, [k1, p1] twice, k4, p1, k3, p1, k4, rep from * 7 more times, end p1, [k1, p1] twice.

Row 7: *P1, [k1, p1] twice, k3, p1, k5, p1, k3, rep from * 7 more times, end p1, [k1, p1] twice.

Row 9: *P1, [k1, p1] twice, k2, p1, k7, p1, k2, rep from * 7 more times, end p1, [k1, p1] twice.

Row 11: Rep Row 7.

Row 13: Rep Row 5.

Row 15: Rep Row 3.

Row 16: Rep Row 2. Rep Rows 1–16 for patt.

Throw

CO 165 sts and work in seed st for 10 rows. Keeping 8 sts on each edge in seed st as est, work Rows 1–16 of Diamond Patt 17 times.

Work 10 rows seed st for border, BO loosely in patt.

Work 1 row sc around edge, being careful not to pull too tightly.

Weave in ends on WS and block. *

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