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## Fair Isle Border Blanket and Pillow



INTERMEDIATE

### MEASUREMENTS

**Blanket:** Approx 54 x 64 ins  
[137 x 162.5 cm].

**Pillow:** Approx 20 ins [51 cm] square.

### TENSION

20 sts and 26 rows = 4 ins [10 cm]  
in stocking st.

### MATERIALS

Patons® Decor (100 g / 3.5 oz)			
	Blanket	Pillow	
 <b>Main Color (MC)</b> (16206 New Teal)	9	3	balls
 <b>Contrast A</b> (01632 Rich Taupe)	5	1	ball(s)
 <b>Contrast B</b> (01631 Taupe)	2	1	ball(s)
 <b>Contrast C</b> (16205 Soft New Teal)	1	1	ball
<p><b>Blanket:</b> Size 4.5 mm (U.S. 7) circular knitting needle 36 ins [90 cm] long <b>or size needed to obtain tension.</b></p> <p><b>Pillow:</b> Size 4.5 mm (U.S. 7) knitting needles <b>or size needed to obtain tension.</b> 20 ins [51 cm] square pillow form.</p>			

### STITCH GLOSSARY

**Alt** = Alternate(ing).

**Approx** = Approximately.

**Beg** = Beginning.

**Cont** = Continue(ity).

**Dec(s)** = Decrease(ing).

**Inc** = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch.

**Pat** = Pattern.

**Rep** = Repeat.

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s).

**RS** = Right side.

**St(s)** = Stitch(es).

**Tog** = Together.

**WS** = Wrong side.

## INSTRUCTIONS

### BLANKET

**Lower Edge Facing:** With A, cast on 201 sts. **Do not** join in rnd. Working back and forth across needle in rows, beg with a knit row, work in stocking st, inc 1 st each end of 3rd and every following alt row 4 times more, then on every following 4th row 7 times more. 225 sts.

Work 2 rows even.

**Next row:** (WS). (Fold line). Knit.

Work Chart I in stocking st to end of chart, reading **knit** rows from **right** to left and **purl** rows from **left** to right, noting 20-st rep will be worked 10 times and side decs on 5th and every following 4th row 7 times more, then on every following alt row 4 times more. 201 sts.

*Chart I is shown on page 12.*

**Next row:** (RS). With MC, knit, dec 8 sts evenly across. 193 sts.

**Next row:** Knit. Place markers at each end of last row.

Work Chart II to end of chart, reading **RS** rows from **right** to left and **WS** rows from **left** to right, noting 16-st rep will be worked 12 times.

Last 34 rows of Chart II form Texture Pat.

*Chart II is shown on page 13.*

Cont in Texture Pat until work from markers measures approx 48 ins [122 cm], ending on a 34th row of Texture Pat.

**Next row:** (RS). Purl, inc 8 sts evenly across. 201 sts.

**Next row:** Knit.

Work Chart III in stocking st to end of chart, reading **knit** rows from **right** to left and **purl** rows from **left** to right, noting 20-st rep will be worked 10 times and side incs on 3rd and every following alt row 4 times more, then on every following 4th row 7 times more. 225 sts. *Chart III is shown on page 13.*

**Upper Edge Facing: Next row:** (WS). (Fold line). With A, knit.

With A, cont in stocking st, dec 1 st each end of 5th and every following 4th row 7 times more, then on every following alt row 4 times more. 201 sts.

Work 1 row even. Cast off.

**Side Edging:** With RS facing and MC, pick up and knit 241 sts evenly along side edge of Blanket. Change to A and work Chart III in stocking st to end of chart, noting 20-st rep will be worked 12 times and side incs on 3rd and every following alt row 4 times more, then on every following 4th row 7 times more. 265 sts.

**Next row:** Knit.

**Side Edge Facing: Next row:** (WS). (Fold line). With A, knit.

With A, cont in stocking st, dec 1 st each end of 5th and every following 4th row 7 times more, then on every following alt row 4 times more. 241 sts. Work 3 rows even. Cast off.

## FINISHING

Sew corners of edgings. Fold facings to WS along fold lines and sew in position.

## PILLOW

### FRONT

With A, cast on 77 sts.

Work Chart IV in stocking st to end of chart, reading **knit** rows from **right** to left and **purl** rows from **left** to right, noting 20-st rep will be worked 3 times and side decs on 3rd and every following alt row 7 times more. 61 sts. *Chart IV is shown on page 14.*

**Next row:** (RS). With MC, knit, inc 4 sts evenly across. 65 sts.

**Next row:** Knit. Place markers at each end of last row.

Work Chart II to end of chart, reading **RS** rows from **right** to left and **WS** rows from **left** to right, noting 16-st rep will be worked 4 times.

Last 34 rows of Chart II form Texture Pat. *Chart II is shown on page 13.*



Cont in Texture Pat until work from markers measures approx 12 ins [30.5 cm], ending on a 34th row of Texture Pat.

**Next row:** (RS). Purl, dec 4 sts evenly across. 61 sts.

**Next row:** Purl.

Work Chart V in stocking st to end of chart, reading **knit** rows from **right** to left and **purl** rows from **left** to right, noting 20-st rep will be worked 3 times and side incs on 3rd and every following alt row 7 times more. 77 sts. Cast off.

*Chart V is shown on page 14.*

**Side Edging:** With RS of work facing and MC, pick up and knit 61 sts evenly along side edge of Pillow.

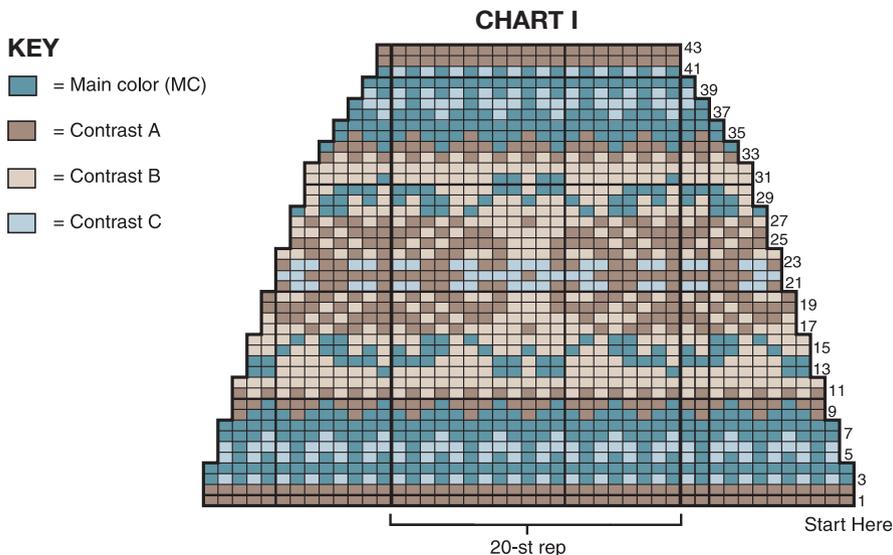
Change to A and work Chart V in stocking st to end of chart, noting 20-st rep will be worked 3 times and side incs on 3rd and every following alt row 7 times more. 77 sts. Cast off. Rep for opposite side.

## BACK

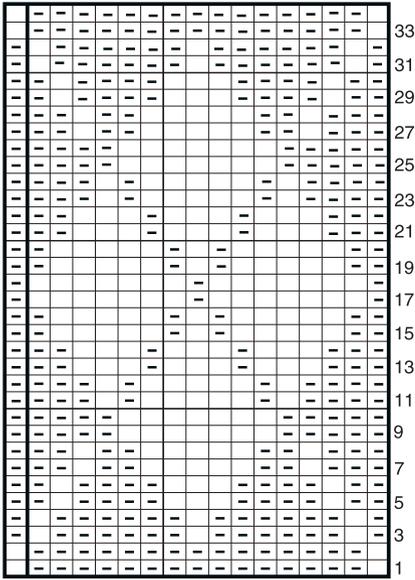
With MC, cast on 94 sts. Work in stocking st until piece measures 20 ins [51 cm], ending with a purl row. Cast off.

## FINISHING

Sew corners of edgings. Sew 3 sides of Pillow tog. Insert pillow form. Sew rem side closed. 🧵



## CHART II



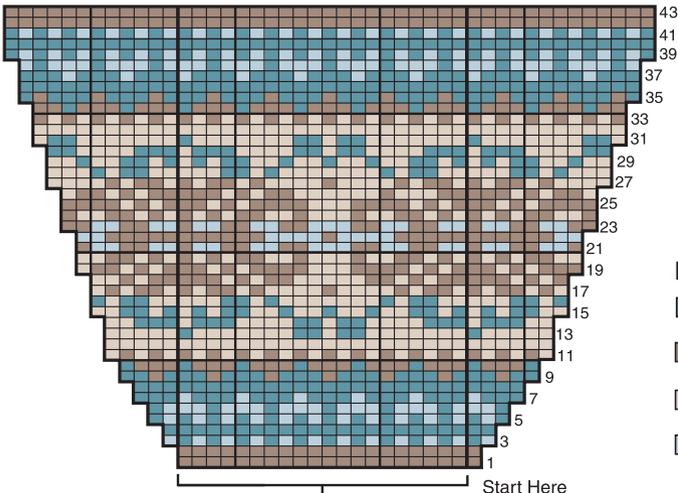
### KEY

-  = With MC, purl on RS, knit on WS.
-  = With MC, knit on RS, purl on WS.

Start Here

16-st rep

## CHART III



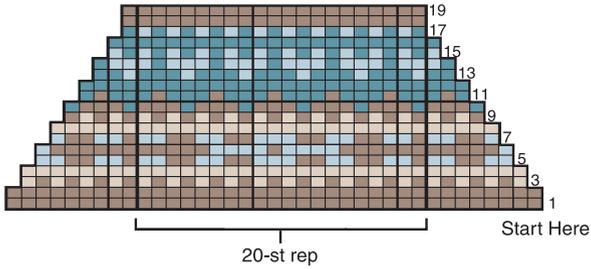
### KEY

-  = Main color (MC)
-  = Contrast A
-  = Contrast B
-  = Contrast C

Start Here

20-st rep

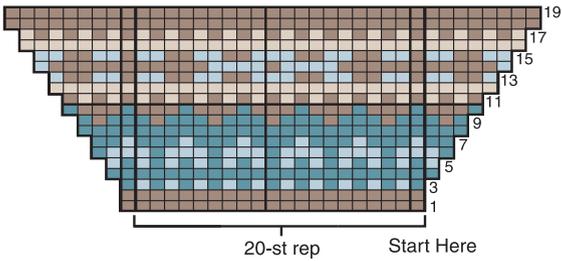
**CHART IV**



**KEY**

-  = Main color (MC)
-  = Contrast A
-  = Contrast B
-  = Contrast C

**CHART V**



**KEY**

-  = Main color (MC)
-  = Contrast A
-  = Contrast B
-  = Contrast C