Knitting in the park

ARAN WEIGHT BLANKET

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You'll Need

TOOLS

ABBREVIATIONS

Yarn:

Paintbox Yarns

Yarn Weight: Aran Weighht

6-7 Skeins (822- 959 Yards)

Needles:

US Size 7/4.5mm Circular Needle (16 inches)

US Size 7/4.5mm DPNs for finishing and

cables.

Optional: US Size 7 Cable Needle

Darning Needle for finishing

2 Stitch markers

BO: Bind Off

CO: Cast On

CN: Cable Needle or DPN

K: Knit

K2Tog: Knit 2 Stitches together

KTBL: Knit through the back Loop

P: Purl

C1F: Cable 1 stitch to the front

C1B: Cable 1 Stitch to the back

STS: Stitches

PM: Place Marker

Pattern Notes

Cables explained: the cables in this hat are a bit different as you'll be alternating your knits and purls. The instructions for these stitches are fully written out in the pattern but I've included them here for reference as well. (with the exception of round 13).

C1B: Put the next stitch on a cable needle or DPN and hold at the back of the work. Knit the next stitch and then Purl the stitch from the cable needle or DPN.

C1F: Put the next stitch on a cable needle or DPN and hold at the front of the work. Purl the next stitch and then knit the stitch from the cable needle or DPN.

Blanket Border

CO: 160 or Stitches

Rows 1-21: Slip st, knit across to end of row.

Row 26: Slip ST, K15, PM, Knit to last 16STS, PM, Knit to end of row.

Begin Blanket Pattern

You have the option here of placing a stitch marker every 8 stitches to denote the separate diamond shaped cables as you work across the blanket

Row 1: Slip 1, K15 *P2, C1B, KI, P1 from CN, C1F, P1 K1 from CN, P2* Repeat to M, K16.

Row 2: Slip 1, K15, *K2, P1, K2, P1, K2* Repeat to M, K16

Row 3: Slip 1, K15, *P1, C1B, K1, P1 from CN, P2, C1F, P1, K1 from CN, P1* Repeat to M, K16.

Row 4: Slip 1, K15, *K1, P1, K4, P1, K1* Repeat to M, K16

Row 5: Slip 1, K15, *C1B, K1, P1 from CN, P4, C1F, P1, K1 from CN* Repeat to M, K16

Row 6: Slip 1, K15, *P1, K6, P1* Repeat to M, K16

Row 7: Slip 1, K15, *C1F, P1, K1 from CN, P4, C1B, K1, P1 from CN* Repeat to M, K16.

Round 8: Slip 1, K15, *K1, P1, K4, P1, K1* Repeat to M, K16.

Round 9: Slip 1, K15, *P1, C1F, P1, K1 from CN, P2, C1B, K1, P1 from CN, P1* Repeat to M, K16.

Round 10: Slip 1, K15, *K2, P1, K2, P1, K2* Repeat to M, K16.

Round 11: Slip 1, K15, *P2, C1F, P1, K1 from CN, C1B, K1, P1 from CN, P2* Repeat to M, K16.

Round 12: Slip 1, K15, *K3, P2, K3* Repeat to M, K16

Round 13: Slip 1, K15, *P3, C1F, K1, K1 from CN, P3* Repeat to M, K16

Round 14: Slip 1, K15, *K3, P2, K3* Repeat to M, K16.

Blanket Border

Rows 1-26: Slip 1, Knit to end of row