

Cushion



Cushion (Beginner)

MEASUREMENTS

Width (approx) 45 cms/18 ins Length (approx) 45 cms/18 ins

SEAN SHEEP ROKEWOOD YARN

4 x 100g balls

NEEDLES

A pair 6.00mm (US 10), (UK 4) Knitting Needles or size that gives correct tension/gauge.

MATERIALS

A Yarn Needle; 4 Buttons; A $45 \text{ cm } \times 45 \text{ cm}/18 \text{ in } \times 18 \text{ in Cushion Insert.}$

TENSION/GAUGE

14 sts and 19 rows to 10 cm/4 ins over stocking st, using 6.00mm (US 10), (UK 4) Knitting Needles.

Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.

ABBREVIATIONS

St/s - stitch/es, **K** - Knit, **P** - Purl, **RS** - right side, **WS** - wrong side, **stocking st** - 1 row K, 1 row P, **beg** - begin/ning, **rep** - repeat.

CREATE

Cushion - Front

Using 6.00mm (US 10), (UK 4) Needles, cast on 65 sts.

1st row (WS) - Knit.

Work 2 rows stocking st, beg with a knit row.

4th row - K12, cast/bind off 2 sts, * K11, cast/bind off 2 sts, rep from * to last 12 sts, K12.

5th row - P12, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, * P11, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, rep from * to last 12 sts, P12 = 4 buttonholes in total.

Work 4 rows stocking st, thus completing buttonband.

Cont in stocking st until work measures 45 cms/

18 ins from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast/bind off loosely knitways.

Back

Using 6.00mm (US 10), (UK 4) Needles, cast on 65 sts.

1st row (WS) - Knit.

Work 7 rows stocking st, beg with a knit row.

9th row (ridge) - Knit, thus completing button flap.

Work in stocking st, beg with a knit row until work measures 45 cms/18 ins from **9th row** (ridge), ending with a purl row.
Cast/bind off loosely knitways.

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends. Using yarn needle and back stitch, join Front and Back pieces together along cast off edges and side edge seams, omitting buttonflap on Back. Sew on buttons to buttonflap, matching buttonholes on Front. Place insert inside cushion and fold buttonflap over insert to inside of cushion. Slip st side edges of buttonflap to side seams. Fasten buttons.