# Diagonal Blanket

**Yarn required:**
**SEAN SHEEP CHUNKY TEXAS**
8 x 100g balls (**C1**)
9 x 100g balls (**C2**)
9 x 100g balls (**C3**)
5 x 100g balls (**C4**)

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## MEASUREMENTS
**Size** (approx) 134 x 134 cms/53 x 53 ins

## SEAN SHEEP CHUNKY TEXAS YARN
8 x 100g balls 1st Colour (**C1**-navy)
9 x 100g balls 2nd Colour (**C2**-sage)
9 x 100g balls 3rd Colour (**C3**-mauve)
5 x 100g balls 4th Colour (**C4**-silver)

## NEEDLES
A 12mm (US 17), (UK -) Circular Needle **or size that gives correct tension/gauge.**

## MATERIALS
A Yarn Needle.

## TENSION/GAUGE
**6 sts to 10 cms/4 ins in width over garter st, using 12mm (US 17), (UK -) Knitting Needles.**
**Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.**

## ABBREVIATIONS
**St/s** - stitch/es, **K** - Knit, **garter st** - every row knit, **RS** - right side, **WS** - wrong side, **sl** - slip, **K2tog** - knit 2 stitches together, **psso** - pass slipped st over, **M1** - make one st by picking up loop that lies before next st, place on left hand needle and knit into back of loop, **rep** - repeat, **beg** - begin/ning.

## STRIPE SEQUENCE
Using **C1**, work 14 cms/5½ ins in garter st.
Using **C2**, work 14 cms/5½ ins in garter st.
Using **C3**, work 14 cms/5½ ins in garter st.
Using **C4**, work 14 cms/5½ ins in garter st.
Last 56 cms/22 ins forms stripe sequence when repeated.
When changing colours, join a new colour a few sts in from side edges for neatness.

## CREATE
Using 12mm (US -), (UK -) Needles and **C1**, cast on 3 sts.
Working in stripe sequence (as above) throughout continue as  follows -
**1st row** - Knit.
**2nd row** - K1, **M1**, K1, **M1**, K1 = 5 sts.
**3rd row** - K3, **M1**, K2 = 6 sts.
**4th row** - K3, **M1**, knit to end = 7 sts.
Rep **4th row** until side edges measures approx 134 cms/53 ins from beg, ending with 7 cms/3 ins of C3.
Working stripes in reverse **C3**, **C2**, **C1**, **C4** -
**Next row** - K2, K2tog, knit to end.
Rep last row until 5 sts remain.
**Next row** - K1, sl 1, K2tog, psso, K1 = 3 sts.
Cast/bind off.
Using yarn needle, sew in all ends.