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Simple Stripe Blanket

Yarn required:

SEAN SHEEP POM POM YARN

3 x 250g balls (C1)

3 x 250g balls (C2)

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Skill Level
Beginner

Simple Stripe Blanket *(Beginner Knitting)*

MEASUREMENTS

Width (approx) 100 cms/39 ins

Length (approx) 120 cms/47 ins

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3 x 250g balls 1st Colour (**C1**)

3 x 250g balls 2nd Colour (**C2**)

NEEDLES

A long pair 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles **or size that gives correct tension/gauge.**

MATERIALS

A Yarn Needle.

TENSION/GAUGE

6 sts and 15 rows to 10 cms/4 ins over garter st, using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles.

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

ABBREVIATIONS

alt - alternate, **beg** - begin/ning, **cont** - continue, **dec** - decrease, **fol** - follow/ing, **garter st** - every row knit, **K** - knit, **rep** - repeat, **st/s** - stitch/es.

SPECIAL NOTES

1. When knitting make sure that on each stitch a pom pom is left at the back of the work, ie. Work each stitch between each pom pom on the yarn.
2. Work the thumb method when casting on sts rather than using a pair of needles, ensure that each stitch has a pom pom.
3. When casting off, knit into front of st, then slip the remainder of the st from left hand needle onto right hand needle, thus creating 2 sts. Repeat this for all sts across row, thus doubling the amount of sts, then cast off sts loosely in usual manner.

CREATE

Blanket

Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles and **C1**, using the thumb method (refer to Note 2), cast on 60 sts.

Knit (refer to Note 1 - 1st row is RS) until work measures 24 cms/9 ins from beg, working last row on WS. Break off C1.

Using **C2**, knit for 24 cms/9 ins, working last row on WS. Break off C2.

Using **C1**, knit for 12 cms/5 ins, working last row on WS.

Break off C1.

Using **C2**, knit for 12 cms/5 ins, working last row on WS.

Break off C2.

Using **C1**, knit for 24 cms/9 ins, working last row on WS.

Break off C1.

Using **C2**, knit for 24 cms/9 ins, working last row on WS.

Using **C2**, cast off (refer to Note 3).

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends towards centre of blanket, rather than along side edges.