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SIZES / MEASUREMENT

60cm/24in wide by 78cm/30 ¾in long

MATERIALS

- Eight 50g/1 ¾oz balls of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Forget me not (120).
- 3.25mm (US 3) circular knitting needle.
- Cable needle.

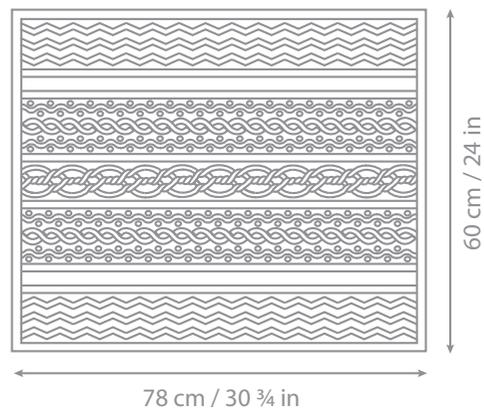
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TENSION / GAUGE

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

HINTS AND TIPS

A beautiful cable blanket, the ultimate gift for any newborn or for a christening. Softer colours really show off the cables at their best. Circular needles are only used to accommodate the number of stitches - you are still working back and forth in rows.



ABBREVIATIONS

approx approximately; **cont** continue; **dec** decrease(ing); **inc** increase(ing); **k** or **K** knit; **k2 tog** knit two stitches together; **m1** make one st by picking up the loop lying before the next st and knitting into back of it; **p** or **P** purl; **pssso** pass slipped stitch over; **patt** pattern; **rep** repeat(ed); **st(s)** stitch(es); **sl1** slip one; **st st** stocking stitch

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

C4F, cable 4 front - slip next 2 sts on a cable needle and leave at front of work, k2, then k2 from cable needle.
T4F, twist 4 front - slip next 2 sts on a cable needle and leave at front of work, p2, then k2 from cable needle.
T4B, twist 4 back - slip next 2 sts on a cable needle and leave at back of work, k2, then p2 from cable needle.
Cr3R, cross 3 right - slip next st onto a cable needle and hold at back of work, k2, then p1 from cable needle.
Cr3L, cross 3 left - slip next 2 sts onto a cable needle and hold at front of work, p1, then k2 from cable needle.
Cr4R, cross 4 right - slip next st onto a cable needle and hold at back of work, k3, then p1 from cable needle.
Cr4L, cross 4 left - slip next 3 sts onto a cable needle and hold at front of work, p1, then k3 from cable needle.
Cr5R, cross 3 right - slip next 3 sts onto a cable needle and hold at back of work, k2, then p3 from cable needle.
Cr5L, cross 5 left - slip next 2 sts onto a cable needle and hold at front of work, p3, then k2 from cable needle.
C6B, cable 6 back - slip next 3 sts onto a cable needle and hold at back of work, k3, then k3 from cable needle.
MB, make bobble - [k1, p1, k1] all in next st, turn, k3, turn, k3, turn, then sl1, k2tog, pssso to complete the bobble.

SUGGESTED ALTERNATIVE COLOURWAYS



CRISS CROSS CABLE WITH TWISTS (worked over 20 sts)

1st row (right side) P4, C4F, p4, C4F, p4.
2nd row K4, p4, k4, p4, k4.
3rd row P4, k4, p4, k4, p4.
4th row As 2nd row.
5th row As 1st row.
6th row As 2nd row.
7th row P2, [T4B, T4F] twice, p2.
8th row K2, p2, k4, p4, k4, p2, k2.
9th row P2, k2, p4, C4F, p4, k2, p2.
10th row As 8th row.
11th row P2, k2, p4, k4, p4, k2, p2.
12th row As 8th row.
13th row As 9th row.
14th to 21st rows Rep the last 4 rows twice more.
22nd row As 8th row.
23rd row P2, [T4F, T4B] twice, p2.
24th row As 2nd row.
These 24 rows form the patt and are rep throughout.

BOBBLES AND WAVES (worked over 26 sts)

1st row (right side) P2, Cr3R, p5, C6B, p5, Cr3L, p2.
2nd row K2, p2, k6, p6, k6, p2, k2.
3rd row P1, Cr3R, p4, Cr5R, Cr5L, p4, Cr3L, p1.
4th row K1, p2, k5, p3, k4, p3, k5, p2, k1.
5th row Cr3R, p3, Cr5R, p4, Cr5L, p3, Cr3L.
6th row P2, k1, MB, k2, p3, k8, p3, k2, MB, k1, p2.
7th row Cr3L, p3, k3, p8, k3, p3, Cr3R.
8th row K1, p2, k3, p3, k8, p3, k3, p2, k1.
9th row P1, Cr3L, p2, Cr5L, p4, Cr5R, p2, Cr3R, p1.
10th row K2, p2, [k4, p3] twice, k4, p2, k2.
11th row P2, Cr3L, p3, Cr5L, Cr5R, p3, Cr3R, p2.
12th row K1, MB, k1, p2, k5, p6, k5, p2, k1, MB, k1.
These 12 rows form the patt and are rep throughout.

ZIGZAG A (worked over 30 sts)

1st row (right side) P7, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p3.
2nd row K4, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k7.
3rd row P6, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p4.
4th row K5, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k6.
5th row P5, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p5.
6th row K6, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k5.
7th row P4, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p6.
8th row K7, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k4.
9th row P3, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p7.
10th row K8, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k3.
11th row P3, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p7.
12th row As 8th row.
13th row P4, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p6.
14th row As 6th row.
15th row P5, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p5.
16th row As 4th row.
17th row P6, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p4.
18th row As 2nd row.
19th row P7, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p3.
20th row K3, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k8.
These 20 rows form the patt and are rep throughout.

ZIGZAG B (worked over 30 sts)

1st row (right side) P3, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p7.
2nd row K7, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k4.
3rd row P4, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p6.
4th row K6, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k5.
5th row P5, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p5.
6th row K5, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k6.
7th row P6, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p4.
8th row K4, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k7.
9th row P7, [Cr4L, p4] twice, Cr4L, p3.
10th row K3, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k8.
11th row P7, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p3.
12th row As 8th row.
13th row P6, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p4.
14th row As 6th row.
15th row P5, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p5.
16th row As 4th row.
17th row P4, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p6.
18th row As 2nd row.
19th row P3, [Cr4R, p4] twice, Cr4R, p7.
20th row K8, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k3.
These 20 rows form the patt and are rep throughout.

TO MAKE

Using 3.25mm (US 3) circular needle cast on 164 sts.

Work in rows.

K 14 rows.

Inc row K11, [m1, k7] twice, m1, k25, m1, k6, m1, k4, m1, k6, m1, k11, m1, k10, m1, k11, m1, k6, m1, k4, m1, k6, m1, k25, [m1, k7] twice, m1, k11. 180 sts.

Cont in patt.

1st row K4, work across first row of Zigzag A, k16, work across first row of Bobbles and Waves panel, k4, work across first row of Criss Cross Cable with Twists, k4, work across first row of Bobbles and Waves panel, k16, work across first row of Zigzag B, k4.

2nd row K4, work across second row of Zigzag B, p4, k8, p4, work across second row of Bobbles and Waves panel, p4, work across second row of Criss Cross Cable with Twists, p4, work across second row of Bobbles and Waves panel, p4, k8, p4, work across second row of Zigzag A, k4.

These 2 rows set the patt panels.

Cont in patt until blanket measures approx 76cm/30in, ending with a 20th row of zigzag panels.

Dec row K11, [k2 tog, k6] twice, k2 tog, k23, k2 tog, k5, k2 tog, k3, k2 tog, k5, k2 tog, k10, k2 tog, k9, k2 tog, k10, k2 tog, k5, k2tog, k3, k2 tog, k5, k2 tog, k24, [k2 tog, k6] twice, k2 tog, k11. 164 sts.

K 14 rows.

Cast off.



