



KNIT  
SKILL LEVEL  
EASY

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## Stitch a Hug Waves Throw

*This cozy throw is perfect for giving to someone that needs a reminder that they are loved, especially if they are faced with a trying time in their life. Choose soothing colors as shown, or knit it in their favorite colors.*



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16 oz (454 g), 867 yds (792 m) and  
multicolor 12 oz (340 g) 649 yds  
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SHOP KIT

Throw measures 44" (112 cm) wide and 48" (122 cm) long.

### Pattern Stitches

#### Ripple Stripe (multiple of 18 sts)

**Rows 1-4:** Beginning with a right side row, work in Stockinette st for 4 rows.

**Row 5 (right side):** \*(K2tog) 3 times, (yarn over, k1) 6 times, (k2tog) 3 times; repeat from \* to end of row.

**Rows 6 and 7:** Work in Stockinette st for 2 rows.

**Row 8 (wrong side):** Knit.

Repeat Rows 1-8 for Ripple Stripe.

#### Stockinette Stitch Stripe

**Rows 1-7:** Beginning with a right side row, work in Stockinette st for 7 rows.

**Row 8 (wrong side):** Knit.

Repeat Rows 1-8 for Stockinette Stitch Stripe.

### Notes

1. Throw is worked in sections of Ripple Stripe and Stockinette Stripe patterns with Garter stitch (knit every row) borders.
2. Circular needle is used to accommodate large number of stitches. Work back and forth in rows as if working with straight needles.

### THROW

With **A**, cast on 154 sts.

Garter Stitch Border

Knit 7 rows.

**Next Row:** K5, place marker, knit to last 5 sts, place marker, k5.

### Body

**Row 1:** K5 (side border), slip marker, work Row 1 of Ripple Stripe to next marker, slip marker, k5 (side border).

**Rows 2-8:** K5, slip marker, work next row of Ripple Stripe to next marker, slip marker, k5.

**Row 9:** K5, slip marker, work Row 1 of Stockinette Stripe to next marker, slip marker, k5.

**Rows 10-16:** K5, slip marker, work next row of Stockinette Stripe to next marker, slip marker, k5.

**Rows 17-32:** Repeat Rows 1-16.

**Rows 33-48:** Change to **B** and repeat Rows 1-8 twice.

**Rows 49-56:** Change to **C** and repeat Rows 1-8.

**Rows 57-72:** Change to **B** and repeat Rows 1-8 twice.

Repeat Rows 1-72 twice.

Change to **A** and repeat Rows 1-32.

### Garter Stitch Border

Knit 1 row, removing markers.

Knit 7 rows.

Bind off loosely.

### FINISHING

Weave in ends.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**A, B, C** = Color A, B, C; **k** = knit; **k2tog** = knit the next 2 sts together; **st(s)** = stitch(es); \* = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated.



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