





KNIT SKILL LEVEL **EASY** 

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## What you will need:

RED HEART\* Super Saver\*: 1 skein each of 360 Café Latte A, 316 Soft White B, and 319 Cherry Red C. Note: Only a small amount of each yarn color is needed

Susan Bates® Knitting Needles: 3.75 mm [US 5].

Polyester fiberfill, 18" [45.5 cm] thin gold ribbon (for hanger), yarn needle.

GAUGE: 20 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 24 rows = 4" [10 cm] over Stockinette stitch (knit on right side, purl on wrong side). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART\*
Super Saver\*, Art.
E300 available in

solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yds (333 m); stripes, prints, multis and heathers 5 oz (141 g), 236 yds (215 m); flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins

**SHOP KIT** 



# Cup of Cocoa Ornament

Knit a cup of cocoa for the tree and then make an actual cup to enjoy as you decorate your home. It's a heart-warming ornament to enjoy year after year.

Ornament measures about 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" [12.5 cm] tall.

#### **Notes**

- Cup of Coca is made from 5 pieces: Cocoa, Cup, Handle, and 2 Marshmallows.
- 2. All pieces are sewn together to complete the ornament.
- Gauge is not critical for this project. Work tightly so stuffing will not show between stitches.
- Use photograph as a guide for arrangement of pieces to be sewn together.

#### **Special Stitch**

**kfb (Knit into front and back) =** Knit next stitch but do not remove from needle, knit into back loop of same stitch and remove from needle – 1 st increased.

### COCOA

With A, cast on 6 sts.

Row 1 (right side): Kfb in each st across—12 sts.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: [K1. kfb] 6 times—18 sts.

Row 4: Purl.

Row 5: [K2, kfb] 6 times-24 sts.

Row 6: Purl.

Row 7: [K3, kfb] 6 times-30 sts.

Row 8: Purl.

Bind off as if to knit. Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. With tail, sew side edges together to form a circle. Then thread tail through 6 cast-on sts and pull to close opening at center of circle. Weave in ends securely.

# **CUP**

Leaving a long beginning tail, with **B**, cast on 6 sts.

**Rows 1–5:** With **B**, work same as Rows 1–5 of Cocoa—24 sts.

Row 6: Knit. Change to C. Row 7: With C, [k3, kfb] 6 times—30 sts. Rows 8-10: With C, work in Stockinette st (knit on right side, purl on wrong side) for 3 rows.

Change to B.

Rows 11 and 12: With B, knit.

Change to C.

**Rows 13-17:** With **C**, work in Stockinette stitch (knit on right side, purl on wrong side) for 5 rows.

Rows 18-20: With C, knit.

Bind off as if to knit. Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread beginning tail through 6 cast-on sts and pull to gather bottom of Cup. Continuing with beginning tail, sew side edges of Rows 1-6 together. With ending tail, sew remainder of side edges together. Weave in ends securely.

### **HANDLE**

With C, cast on 20 sts.

Row 1: Knit.

Bind off, leaving a long tail. Sew ends of Handle together to form a circle.

# MARSHMALLOW (make 2)

With **B**, cast on 4 sts.

Row 1: Kfb in each st across—8 sts.

Rows 2 and 3: Knit.

Row 4: Purl.

Bind off, leaving a long tail. With tail, sew top and side seams, do not sew bottom edge.

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## **FINISHING**

Stuff Cup with fiberfill. With **C**, sew edges of Cocoa inside Cup, 3 rows below top edge.

With **C**, sew Handle to one side of Cup. With **B**, sew Marshmallows to Cocoa, overlapping one over the other.

Fold gold ribbon in half. Insert crochet hook around a few stitches at top of ornament, place ribbon fold on hook and draw through to form a loop.

Thread ends of ribbon through loop and pull to tighten. Tie ends together with bow or overhand knot to form hanging loop.

Weave in any remaining ends.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**A, B, and C** = Color A, Color B, and Color C; **k** = knit; **st(s)** = stitch(es); [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

