## 'Zarnspirations"

## BERNAP HEXAGONAL STARBURST KNIT AFGHAN | KNIT



## MATERIALS

Bernat ${ }^{\oplus}$ Blanket ${ }^{\text {Tm }}$ ( $10.5 \mathrm{oz} / 300 \mathrm{~g} ; 220 \mathrm{yds} / 201 \mathrm{~m}$ )
Main Color (MC) Vintage White (10006) $\mathbf{3}$ balls or $\mathbf{5 6 0} \mathbf{y d s} / \mathbf{5 1 0} \mathbf{~ m}$ Contrast A Dark Grey (10044)
Contrast B Coal (10040)
Contrast C Moss (10803)
Contrast D Lapis (10800) 2 balls or $260 \mathrm{yds} / 237 \mathrm{~m}$ 2 balls or $260 \mathrm{yds} / 237 \mathrm{~m}$ 1 ball or 115 yds/ 105 m 1 ball or 115 yds/ 105 m

Size U.S. 11 ( 8 mm ) circular needle 29 " [ 73.5 cm ] long or size needed to obtain gauge.

## ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly)
Beg $=$ Begin(ning)
Cont $=$ Continue
K = Knit
K2(3)tog = Knit next 2(3) stitches together
$\mathbf{K f b}=$ Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch
Rem = Remain(ing)
Rep $=$ Repeat
RS = Right side
St(s) $=$ Stitch $(\mathrm{es})$
Tog = Together

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## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 54" x 62" [137 cm x 157.5 cm ]

## GAUGE

7 sts and 16 rows $=4$ " 10 cm ] in garter stitch.

## INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Blanket is made with 6 Strips (see diagram). Strips are sewn tog in Finishing.
Base Triangle of each Strip is cast on and knit back and forth across needle. Each additional Triangle begins by picking up sts along the edge of previous Triangle.

## Base Triangle

Using appropriate color for each Strip (see diagram on page 2), work back and forth across needle in rows as follows:
Cast on 22 sts.
1 st row: (RS). Knit.
**2nd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to end of row. 21 sts.
3rd row: Knit.
4th row: Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog.
K1. 20 sts.
Rep last 4 rows until 4 sts rem.
Next row: K4.
Next row: K1. K2tog. K1. 3 sts.
Next row: K3.
Next row: K3tog. Fasten off.**

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## Triangle

Using appropriate color (see diagram), and with RS facing, pick up and knit 22 sts evenly along edge of previous Triangle.
Work from ${ }^{* *}$ to ${ }^{* *}$ as given for Base Triangle.

Using appropriate color (see diagram), cont working Triangles to complete each Strip.

## FINISHING

Following diagram, sew 6 Strips tog.

Edging: With RS facing, pick up and knit 66 sts evenly along any edge of Blanket.
1st row: (WS). K1. Kfb. Knit to end of row.
2nd row: Knit.
3rd row: Knit to last 2 sts. Kfb. K1. Cast off leaving a tail approx 12" [ 30.5 cm ] long.
Rep across rem 5 edges of Blanket. Using leftover tails, sew sides of Edging tog.

Fringe: Cut strands of MC 10" [ 25.5 cm ] long. Taking 1 strand, fold in half and knot into fringe through each st of edging around entire Afghan. Trim fringe evenly.



