



## MATERIALS

**Bernat® Crushed Velvet™** (10.5 oz/300 g; 315 yds/288 m)

**Main Color (MC)** White (16007)      **2 balls**

**Contrast A** Blue Brilliance (16014)      **1 ball**

Size U.S. 8 (5 mm) circular knitting needle 24" [61 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Tapestry needle. 14" x 24" [35.5 x 61 cm] pillow form.

 **KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximately

**Beg** = Beginning

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

**K** = Knit

**P** = Purl

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**St(s)** = Stich(es)

**Tog** = Together

**WS** = Wrong side

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 14" x 24" [35.5 x 61 cm], excluding flange.

## GAUGE

15 sts and 25 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking stitch.

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Note:** Cushion is worked from side to side with Flange Trim knit in Finishing.

## CUSHION FRONT

### Front:

With MC, cast on 51 sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows proceed as follows:

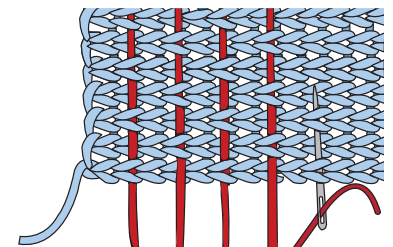
Beg on a knit row, work 23½" [59.5 cm] in stocking st, ending on a purl row.

Cast off.

## Weaving:

Cut lengths of A 26" [66 cm] long.  
**Row A:** With RS facing and threading 1 strand onto tapestry needle, weave under **1st** st and every other st from edge to edge along 2nd row. Fasten ends of strand in place, ensuring strand does not gather fabric.

**Row B:** With RS facing and threading 1 strand onto tapestry needle, weave under **2nd** st and every other st from edge to edge along 4th row. Fasten ends of strand in place, ensuring strand does not gather fabric.



Cont in this manner, rep Rows A and B, weaving under every other stitch from edge to edge along every other row of Front, alternating the weave pattern as shown in diagram.

**CUSHION BACK** (make 2 pieces alike)

**Ribbing:** With MC, cast on 51 sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows proceed as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). K1. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.

**3rd to 12th rows:** Rep last 2 rows 5 times more.

Beg on a knit row, proceed in stocking st until work from beg measures 15" [38 cm], ending on a purl row.  
Cast off.

### FINISHING

**Joining Back Pieces:** Overlap Back pieces to match Front, with ribbed sections in center to create opening to insert pillow form. Seam side edges of Back pieces tog.

**Seaming Front and Back Tog:** With WS of Front and Back tog, sew outer edge seams tog.

### Flange Edging

**Side Flange:** With RS of Front facing and A, pick up and knit 51 sts evenly along first side seam. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows proceed as follows:

Work in garter st (knit every row) until Flange from beg measures 1½" [4 cm], ending on a WS row.  
Cast off.

Rep Side Flange for other side seam.  
Cast off.

**Top Flange:** With RS of Front facing and A, pick up and knit 100 sts evenly along top seam, including side edges of Side Flanges. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows proceed as follows:

Work in garter st (knit every row) until Flange from beg measures 1½" [4 cm], ending on a WS row.  
Cast off.

**Bottom Flange:** Work as for Top Flange along bottom seam.

