



MATERIALS

Bernat® Blanket Extra™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 97 yds/87 m)

Main Color (MC) Softened Blue (27009) **3 balls**

Contrast A Velveteal (27008) **3 balls**

Size U.S. P/Q/19 (15 mm) crochet hook **or sizes needed to obtain gauge.** 30" [76 cm] square pillow form.

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

Rep = Repeat

Rnd = Round

RS = Right side

Sc = Single crochet

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

MEASUREMENT

Approx 30" [76 cm] square.

GAUGE

4 sc and 4 rows = 4" [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Notes: Worked in multiples of 3 + 2 ch. When joining colors, work to last 2 loops on hook of first color. Draw new color through last 2 loops and proceed. Carry color not in use loosely up side of work.

Stripe Pattern (Pat)

With MC, work 2 rows.

With A, work 2 rows.

These 4 rows form Stripe Pat.

FRONT and BACK (make 2 pieces alike)

With MC, chain (ch) 32.

1st row: [Right side (RS)]. 2 single crochet (sc) in 2nd ch from hook. *Skip next 2 ch. 3 sc in next ch. Repeat (rep) from * to last 3 ch. Skip next 2 ch. 2 sc in last ch. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Skip next sc. 3 sc in next space (sp). *Skip next 3 sc. 3 sc in next sp. Rep from * to last 2 sc. Skip next sc. 1 sc

in last sc. Join A. Turn.

3rd row: With A, ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. *Skip next 3 sc. 3 sc in next sp. Rep from * to last 4 sc. Skip next 3 sc. 2 sc in last sc. Turn.

4th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Skip next sc. 3 sc in next sp. *Skip next 3 sc. 3 sc in next sp. Rep from * to last 2 sc. Skip next sc. 1 sc in last sc. Turn.

First 4 rows of Stripe Pat complete. Keeping continuity (cont) of Stripe Pat, rep 3rd and 4th rows until work from beginning (beg) measures approximately (approx) 30" [76 cm], ending with 2 rows of MC. Fasten off.

Edging: Joining Front and Back:

1st round (rnd): With Wrong Side (WS) facing each other, join A with slip stitch (sl st) to any corner stitch (st) of Pillow. Ch 1. Working through both thicknesses, work sc evenly around 3 sides of Pillow, having 3 sc in each corner. Insert pillow form. Complete rnd of sc. Join with sl st. Fasten off.