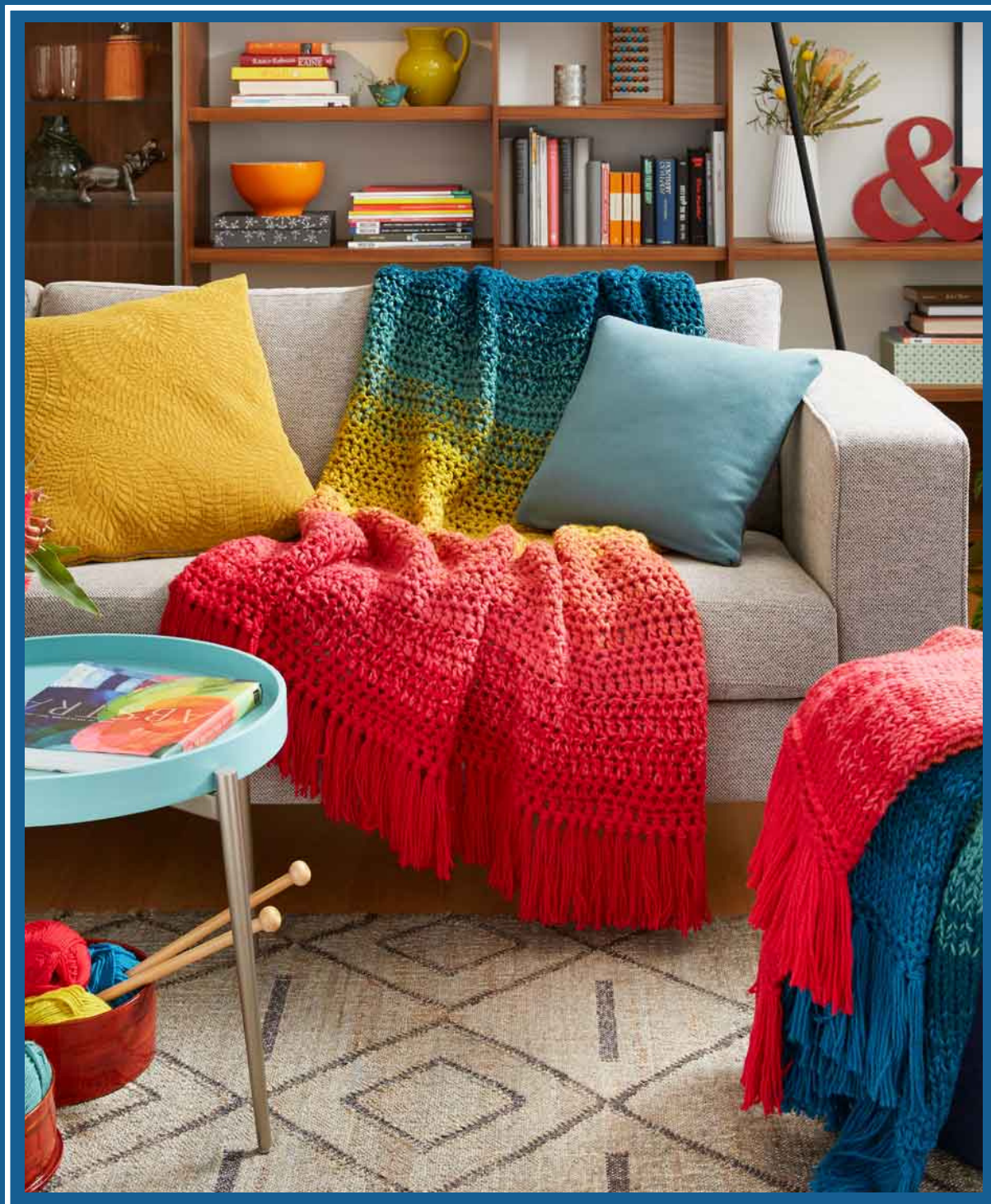# Better Homes and Gardens®

KNITTING PATTERN
12-HOUR THROW

EASY STEPS TO KNIT A 12-HOUR THROW

SKILL LEVEL
Easy knitting or crochet

YOU WILL NEED
- CLECKHEATON COUNTRY 8 PLY 50G: 3 balls 1st colour (C1 - 1872), 4 balls 2nd colour (C2 - 2323), 4 balls 3rd colour (C3 - 2384), 4 balls 4th Colour (C4 - 2361), 4 balls 5th colour (C5 - 2374), 4 balls 6th colour (C6 - 2346), 4 balls 7th Colour (C7 – 2308), 3 balls 8th Colour (C8 - 2389)
- 15mm knitting needles
- wool needle for sewing in ends

TENSION
8 sts and 11 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 15mm needles and 3 strands of yarn together.

MEASUREMENTS
Winter Brights knitted throw approx 120cm x 125cm

Winter Brights knitted throw
(Worked in panels)

PANEL 1

Using 15mm needles and 3 strands of C1 tog, cast on 33 sts.

Begin Border

Work 3 rows garter st (every row knit), noting that first row is wrong side of throw.

Begin Patt

1st row Knit.
2nd row K3, purl to end.
Last 2 rows form patt for Panel 1.
Work a further 2 rows

Begin Gradual Stripes

Keeping patt correct, change one strand of C1 to C2 and work 6 rows, then change another strand of C1 to C2 and work 6 rows, then change last strand of C1 to C2 and work 6 rows … 3 strands of C2.

Following diagram on the last page (beginning with stripe 5), cont changing one strand every 6 rows until there are 3 strands of C8, then work 4 rows using 3 strands of C8. There will be 22 stripes in total.

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Begin Border

Cont using 3 strands of C8 and work 3 rows garter st.
Cast off loosely on wrong side.

PANEL 2

Using 15mm needles and 3 strands of C1 tog, cast on 33 sts.

Begin Border

Work 3 rows garter st as for Panel 1.
Begin Patt
1st row Knit.
2nd row Purl.
Last 2 rows form stocking st for Panel 2.
Work a further 2 rows.

Begin Gradual Stripes

Changing colours as for Panel 1 (beginning
with stripe 2), work in 6 row stocking st
stripes, ending with 4 rows using 3 strands of
C8 ... 22 stripes in total.

Begin Border

Cont using 3 strands of C8 and work 3 rows garter st.
Cast off loosely on wrong side.

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PANEL 3

Using 15mm needles and 3 strands of C1 tog, cast on 33 sts.

Begin Border

Work 3 rows garter st as for Panel 1.

Begin Patt

1st row Knit.
2nd row Purl to last 3 sts, K3.
Last 2 rows form patt for Panel 3.
Work a further 2 rows.

Begin Gradual Stripes

Keeping patt correct and changing colours as for Panel 1 (beginning with stripe 2), work 6 row stripes until there are 3 strands of C8, then work 4 rows using 3 strands of C8 ... 22 stripes in total.

Begin Border

Cont using 3 strands of C8 and work 3 rows garter st.
Cast off loosely on wrong side.

To make up

DO NOT PRESS. Using one strand of yarn and mattress stitch, join panels together, matching stripes with Panel 2 in the centre and garter stitch edges of Panels 1 and 3 on outer edges. Sew in ends.

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Fringes (optional)

Wind C1 around piece of cardboard and cut along one edge. Using 5 strands together, fold in half and draw through first stitch, draw ends through loop and pull to tighten. Repeat evenly along matching C1 end of Throw, then using C8, repeat along opposite end.

WINTER BRIGHTS GRADUATED STRIPE SEQUENCE

**Winter Brights
Graduated Stripe Sequence**

#	Strands
22	3 strands **C8**
21	1 strand **C7**, 2 strands **C8**
20	2 strands **C7**, 1 strand **C8**
19	3 strands **C7**
18	1 strand **C6**, 2 strands **C7**
17	2 strands **C6**, 1 strand **C7**
16	3 strands **C6**
15	1 strand **C5**, 2 strands **C6**
14	2 strands **C5**, 1 strand **C6**
13	3 strands **C5**
12	1 strand **C4**, 2 strands **C5**
11	2 strands **C4**, 1 strand **C5**
10	3 strands **C4**
9	1 strand **C3**, 2 strands **C4**
8	2 strands **C3**, 1 strand **C4**
7	3 strands **C3**
6	1 strand **C2**, 2 strands **C3**
5	2 strands **C2**, 1 strand **C3**
4	3 strands **C2**
3	1 strand **C1**, 2 strands **C2**
2	2 strands **C1**, 1 strand **C2**
1	3 strands **C1**