



FLOWER GARDEN

Diamond Lattice

Design by Lois S. Young

Pastel daisies bloom on a trellislike lattice. If care is taken with the embroidery, the afghan is truly reversible.



Skill Level

Beginner*

Size

Approximately 42 x 63 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Superwash Bulky, 100 percent washable wool bulky weight yarn (110 yds/100g per skein): 14 skeins white frost #SW11, small amounts strawberry chiffon #SW135, misty blue #SW71 and corn silk #SW13
- Size 10½ (6.5mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

12 sts and 14 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st

To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan.

A single strand is used for embroidery.

Sl the first st of each row purlwise.

Keep 4 sts at each side of afghan in garter st for border.

Afghan

Cast on 141 sts.

Beg with a WS row, knit 7 rows, slipping first st of each row.

Set up pat

Next row (RS): Sl 1, k3, [work Row 1 of Chart A] 7 times, k4.

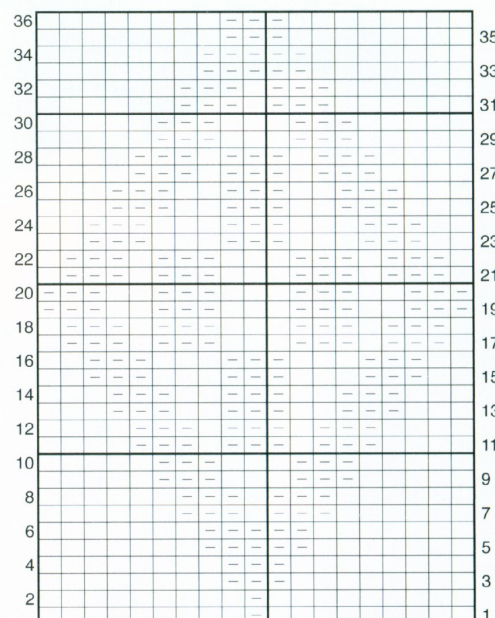
Continue to work even in established pats, rep 36 rows of [Chart A] twice, [Chart B] twice, [Chart A] once, [Chart B] twice, and finally [Chart A] twice.



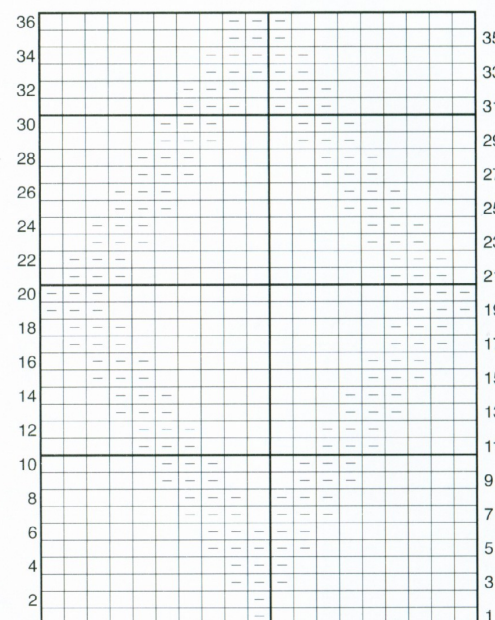
Rep Row 1 of Chart A.
Knit 6 rows, slipping first st of each row.
Bind off knitwise on WS.

Embroidery

Referring to small photo below for placement and colorway, embroider a 6-petal flower in center of plain diamond using lazy daisy st.
With C, embroider four French knots in center of each daisy. ♦



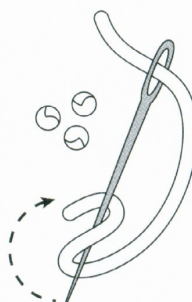
**CHART A
LATTICE**



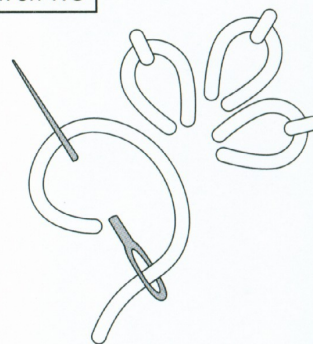
**CHART B
DIAMOND**

STITCH KEY

- ☐ K on RS, p on WS
- ☐ P on RS, k on WS



French Knot



Lazy Daisy

Bunches of Violets

Design by Lois S. Young

Bouquets of spring violets bloom in a carefully gridded garden.

Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 43 x 53 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Superwash Worsted, 100 percent washable wool worsted weight yarn (200 yds/100g per skein): 12 skeins prairie sage #SW160 (MC), 4 skeins mysterious fuchsia #SW27 (A), 1 skein plum crazy #SW55 (B)
- Size 7 (4.5mm) 16-inch circular or 2 double-pointed needles
- Size 11 (7mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

11 sts and 13 rows = 4 inches in St st with larger needles

To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Stitch

Blocks

Odd-numbered rows 1–9 and 21–29 (RS): K1, [p1, k1] twice, *p7, k7, p7, k21, rep from * across, end last rep p7, k7, p7, k22, [p1, k1] twice.

All even-numbered rows: K1, [p1, k1] twice, k the knit sts and p the purl sts to last 5 sts, k1, [p1, k1] twice.

Odd-numbered rows 11–19: K1, [p1, k1] twice, *k7, p7, k7, k21, rep from * across, end last rep k7, p7, k7, k22, [p1, k1] twice.

Odd-numbered rows

31–39 and 51–59:

K1, [p1, k1] twice, *k21, p7, k7, p7, rep from * across, end last rep k21, p7, k7, p7, k1, [p1, k1] twice.

Odd-numbered rows

41–49: K1, [p1, k1]

twice, *k21, k7, p7, k7, rep from * across, end last rep k21, k1 [p1, k1] twice.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of MC are held tog for entire afghan. Violets are worked with a single strand.

Afghan

With larger needles and MC, loosely cast on 115 sts.

Next 8 rows: *K1, p1, rep from * across, end last rep k1.

[Work Rows 1–60 of Blocks pat] 3 times, rep Rows 1–30.

Next 8 rows: *K1, p1, rep from * across, end last rep k1.

Bind off purlwise on RS of work.

Violets

Make 72

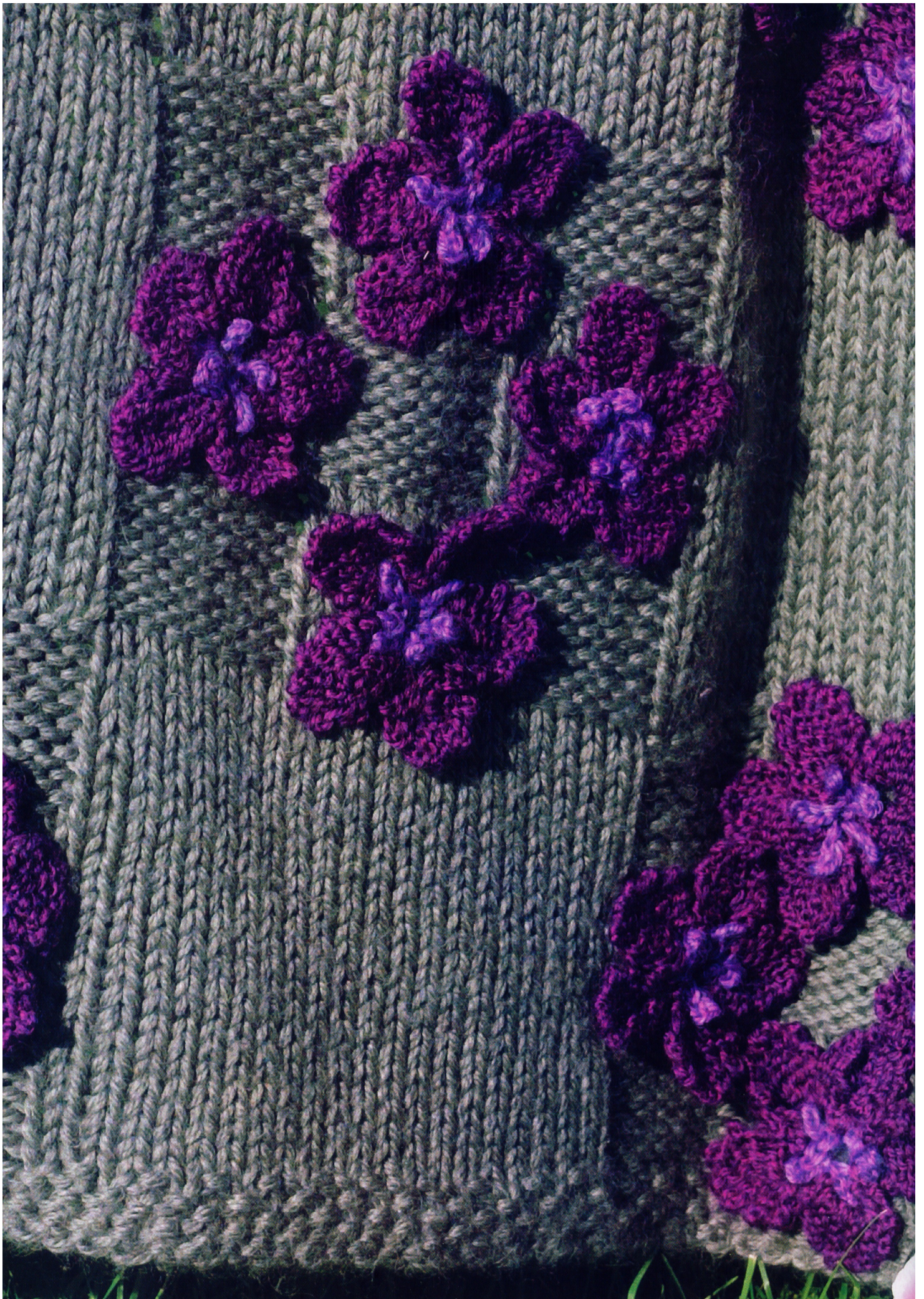
Center

With B and smaller dpn or circular needle, make a sl knot and place on RH needle.

*Cast on 3 sts by making backward loop onto RH needle, turn.

Bind off 3 sts. (1 st remains)







[Rep from *] 4 times. (5 center petals)
Join into circle by picking up a st from base of first petal, bind off this st.

Cut B.

Petals

With RS facing, attach A between 1 set of center petals by putting tip of RH needle under 2 strands of yarn, put sl knot on tip of needle, draw this st to RS of work.

Push st to other end of needle, k1.

Row 1 (RS): Cast on 1 st by backward-loop method, pass first st over 2nd, cast on 1 st by backward-loop method. (2 sts)

Row 2: K1, (k1, p1) in next st. (3 sts)

Rows 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14 and 16: Knit.

Row 4: K2, (k1, p1) in next st. (4 sts)

Row 6: K3, (k1, p1) in next st. (5 sts)

Row 11: Bind off 1 st, k3. (4 sts)

Row 13: Bind off 1 st, k2. (3 sts)

Row 15: Bind off 1 st, k1. (2 sts)

Row 17: Bind off 1 st, pick up 1 st between next 2 center petals, pass first st over 2nd, cast on 1 st by backward-loop method. (2 sts)

[Rep Rows 2–17] 4 times.

On last rep, cut yarn and pull through last st after attaching between first set of center petals. Weave in ends, steam block each flower.

Finishing

With MC, sew one violet to center of each small knit square, referring to photo for placement.

Hide ends between afghan and violet. ♦

Gingham Garden

Design by Barbara Venishnick

Flowers bloom on a gingham-check background.

Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 37 x 50 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Waverly Woolcolors, 100 percent wool bulky weight yarn (162 yds/4 oz per hank): 3 hanks each beige #1214 (A) and chocolate #1212 (C), 2 hanks natural #1005 (B), 1 hank each rose #2103 (D) and leaf green #5003 (E)
- Size 11 (8mm) 29-inch circular and 2 double-pointed needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

14 sts and 24 rows = 4 inches/10cm in Gingham Checks pat

To save time, take time to check gauge.

Special Abbreviation

Cdd (centered double decrease): Sl 2 tog knitwise, k1, p2sso. Center st will lie on top of other 2.

Pattern Stitch

Gingham Checks

Row 1 (WS): With A, purl.

Row 2: With B, k1, sl 1 wyib, *k2, sl 2 wyib; rep from * across, end last rep sl 1 wyib, k1.

Row 3: With B, p1, sl 1 wyif, *p2, sl 2 wyif; rep from * across, end last rep p2, sl 1 wyif, p1.

Row 4: With A, knit.

Row 5: With C, p2, *sl 2 wyif, p2; rep from * across.

Row 6: With C, k2,

*sl 2 wyib, k2; rep from * across.

Rep Rows 1–6 for pat.

Pattern Notes

Circular needles are used to accommodate large number of sts. Do not join; work in rows.

Carry colors not in use up side of work.

Afghan

With A and circular needle, cast on 122 sts.

Work even in Gingham Checks pat until afghan measures approximately 48 inches, ending with Row 1 of pat.

Bind off all sts.

Side Border

With C and circular needle, pick up and k 137 sts along left edge of afghan.

Knit 4 rows.

Bind off all sts knitwise on WS.

Rep border along right edge.

Lower Border

With C and circular needle, pick up and k122 sts along cast-on edge.

Turn, k122, turn.

Pick up and k 1 st at the beg of right side trim, k122, pick up and k 1 st at beg of left side trim.

Turn, k124, turn.

Pick up and k 1 st in next row of left side trim, k124, pick up and k1 st in next row of right side trim.





Turn, k126, turn.
Bind off all sts knitwise on WS.
Rep border along bound-off edge.

Appliqué

Flower Petals

Make 12

With D, cast on 5 sts

Row 1 (WS): P4, sl 1 wyif.

Row 2: K1-tbl, [k1, yo] twice, k1, sl 1 wyif.

Row 3: K1-tbl, p5, sl 1 wyif.

Row 4: K1-tbl, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, k1-tbl.

Row 5: K1-tbl, p7, sl 1 wyif.

Row 6: K1-tbl, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, sl 1 wyif.

Rows 7, 9 and 11: K1-tbl, p9, sl 1 wyif.

Rows 8 and 10: K1-tbl, k9, sl 1 wyif.

Row 12: Sl 2 wyib, pass first sl st over 2nd sl st, bind off 1 st, k5, k2tog, sl 1 wyib. (8 sts)

Row 13: Sl 2 wyif, pass first sl st over 2nd sl st, bind off 1 st purlwise, p2tog, sl 1 wyif. (5 sts)

Row 14: Sl 2 wyib, pass first sl st over 2nd sl st, k2tog, sl 1 wyif. (3 sts)

Row 15: Sl 2 wyif, pass first sl st over 2nd sl st, sl 1 wyif. (2 sts)

Row 16: Sl 2 sts wyib, pass first sl st over 2nd sl st, pull yarn through last loop.

Cut yarn, leaving a 12-inch end.

Leaf

Make 7

With E, cast on 3 sts.

Row 1 (WS): K1-tbl, p1, sl 1 wyif.

Row 2: K1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, sl 1 wyif. (5 sts)

Row 3: K1-tbl, p3, sl 1 wyif.

Row 4: K1-tbl, [k1, yo] twice, k1, sl 1 wyif. (7 sts)

Rows 5, 7, 9 and 11: K1-tbl, p5, sl 1 wyif.

Rows 6, 8 and 10: K1-tbl, k5, sl 1 wyif.

Row 12: K1-tbl, ssk, k1, k2tog, sl 1 wyif. (5 sts)

Row 13: K1-tbl, p3, sl 1 wyif.

Row 14: K1-tbl, cdd, sl 1 wyif. (3 sts)

Row 15: K1-tbl, p1, sl 1 wyif.

Row 16: Cdd, pull yarn through last loop.

Cut yarn, leaving a 12-inch end.

Flower Center

Make 3

With C and dpn, cast on 3 sts.

*Replace sts to LH needle, k3.

Rep from * until cord measures 8 inches. K3tog.

Cut yarn, leaving an 18-inch end.

Fasten off final st.

Finishing

Sew corner edges of border tog.

Roll I-cord in a spiral to form a flat disc. Using 18-inch end, sew coil tog, leaving enough end to sew disc to afghan.

Referring to Fig. 1, pin flowers and leaves to afghan.

Sew appliqués in place using ends attached to each piece. ♦

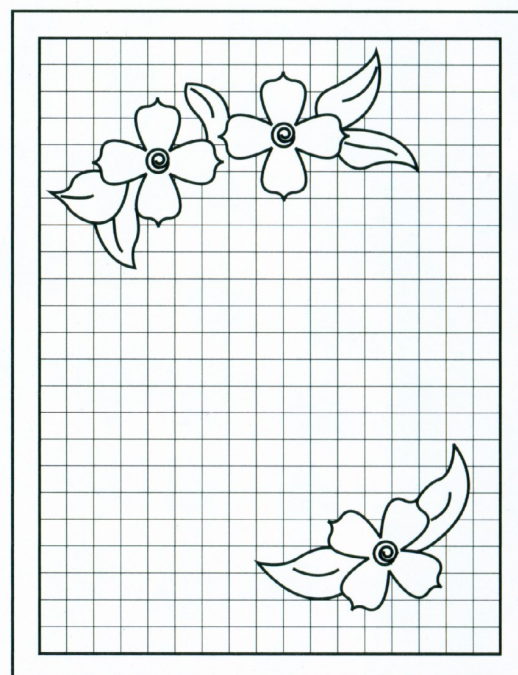


Fig. 1
Appliqué Placement

Flowers on the Fence

Design by Jean Schafer-Albers

Celebrate the first days of spring with tulips and daffodils in the vibrant hues of the season.

Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 38 x 62 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Nature Spun, 100 percent wool worsted weight yarn (245 yds/100g per skein): 4 skeins each arctic moss #N20, meadow green #N56, evergreen #N24 (A), 1 skein each natural #730 (B), bougainvillea #105 (C), husker red #N44 (D), impasse yellow #305 (E), lullaby #307 (F), orange you glad #N54 (G), Victorian pink #N87 (H), pink please #N98 (I)
- Size 11 (8mm) 32-inch circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

15 sts and 20 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st
To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Stitch

Seed Stitch (even number of sts)

Row 1 (WS): * K1, p1, rep from * across.

Row 2: * P1, k1, rep from * across.

Rep Rows 1–2 for pat.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan.

MC consists of 1 strand each arctic moss and meadow green held tog.

Circular needle is used to accommodate large number of sts. Do not join; work in rows.

Picket fencing motif, leaves and stems are knit using stranded method; flower heads are knit in intarsia using a separate ball or bobbin for each color.

To avoid holes when changing colors, always bring new color up over old.

Afghan

Lower Border

With 2 strands of A held tog, cast on 134 sts.

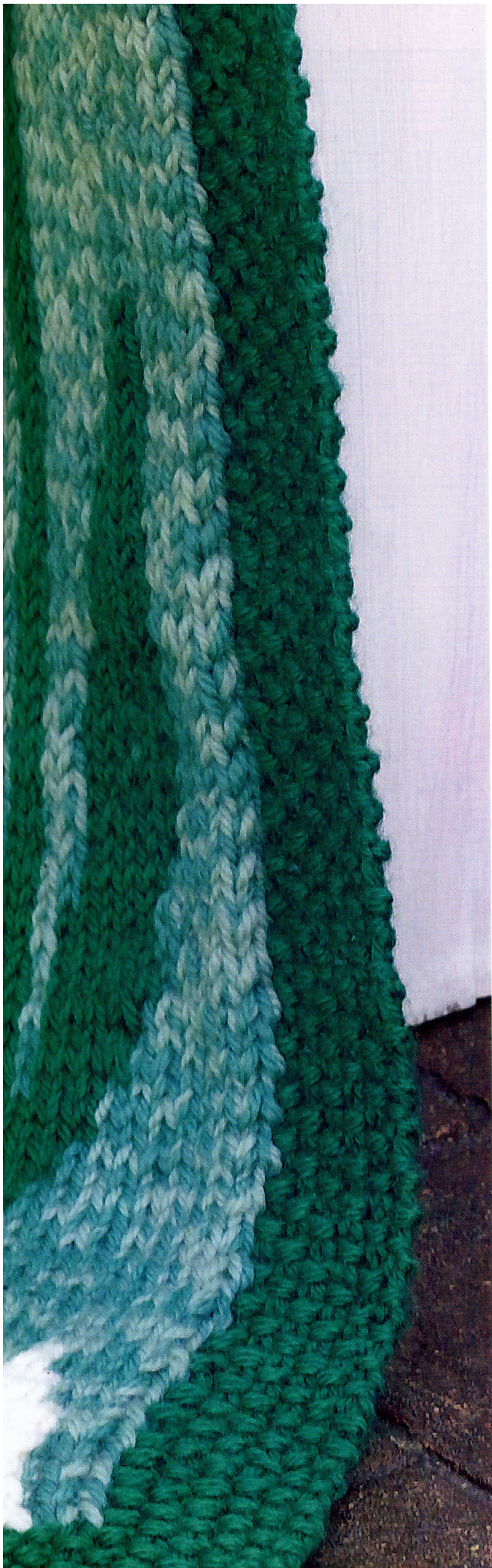
Work in Seed st for 7 rows, inc 1 st on last row.

Set up pat

Next row (RS): With A work 6 sts in Seed st, with







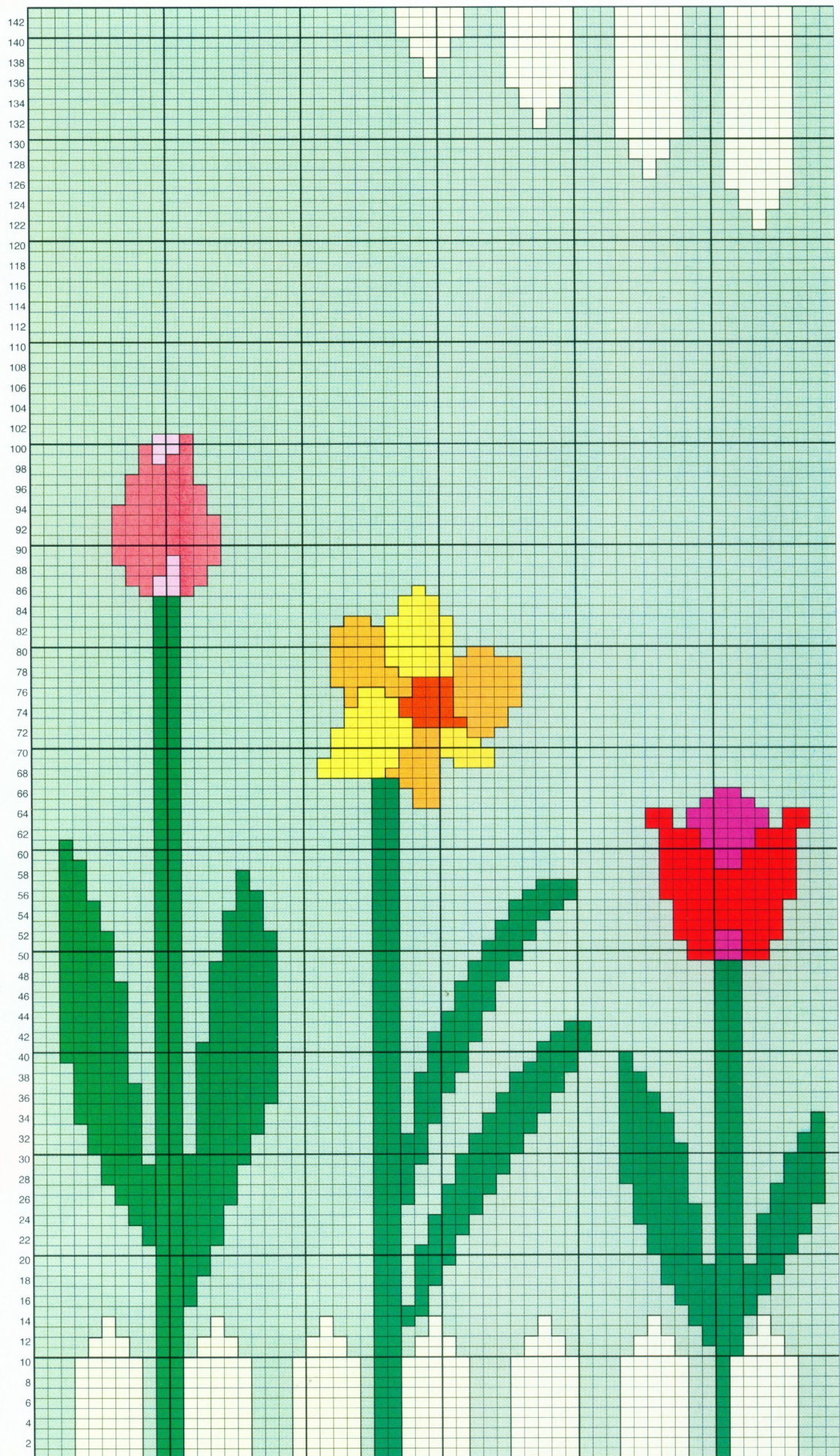
MC work Row 1 of chart across next 123 sts, with A work 6 sts in Seed st.
Continue to work even in established pats until 143 rows of chart have been completed.
Turn chart upside down and complete second half of afghan in same manner by reading chart rows in reverse order.
Dec 1 st on final row by p2tog.

Top Border

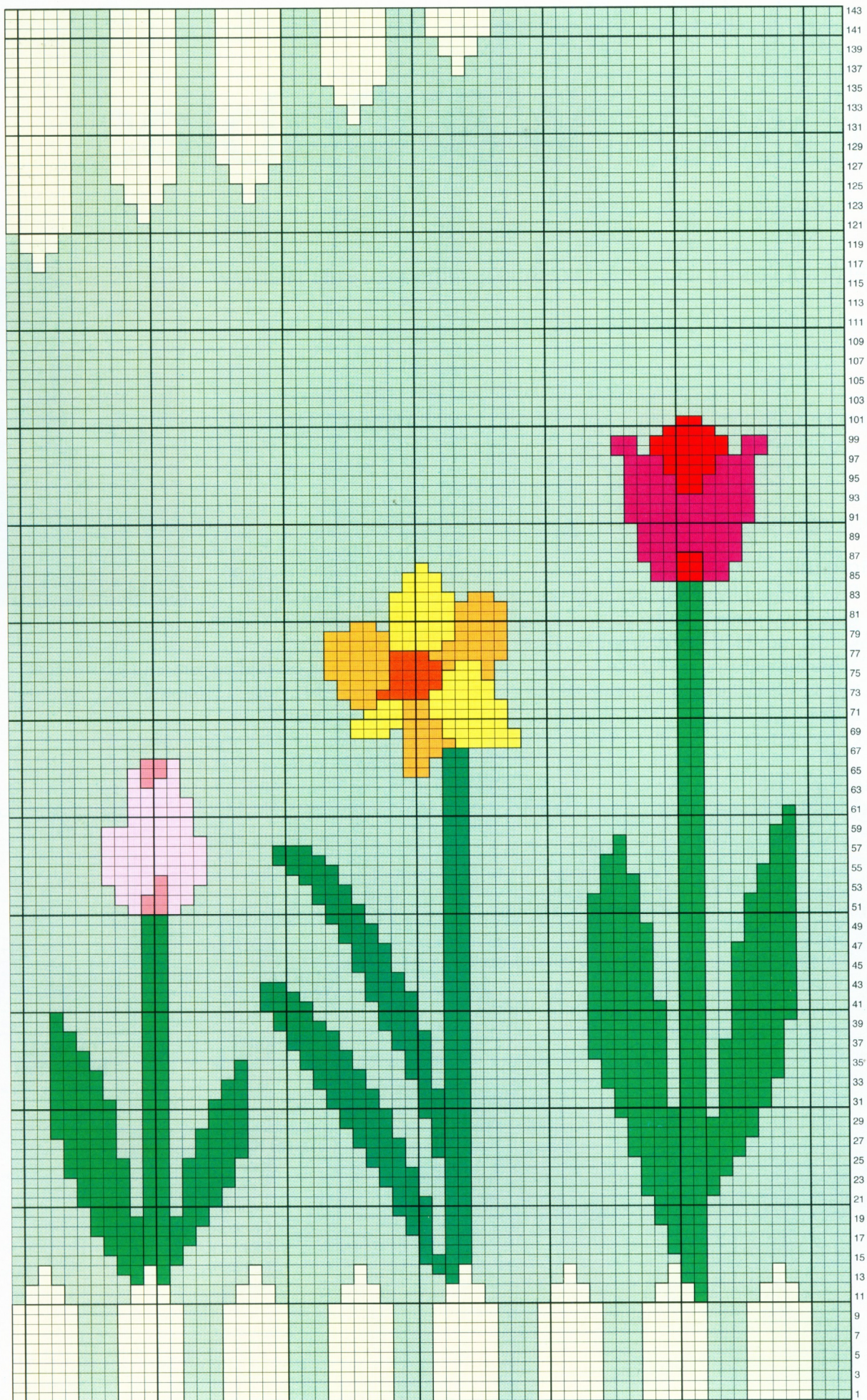
With A, knit 1 row.
Work in Seed st for 6 rows.
Bind off in pat. ♦

COLOR KEY

■	Arctic moss & meadow green combined (MC)
■	Evergreen (A)
■	Natural (B)
■	Bougainvillea (C)
■	Husker red (D)
■	Impasse yellow (E)
■	Lullaby (F)
■	Orange you glad (G)
■	Victorian pink (H)
■	Pink please (I)



FLOWERS ON THE FENCE
LEFT SIDE



FLOWERS ON THE FENCE
RIGHT SIDE

Blossoms & Cables

Design by Lois S. Young

Open cables and small blossoms alternate in narrow panels on an Aran style afghan.

Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 42 x 54 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Superwash Bulky, 100 percent washable wool bulky weight yarn (110 yds/100g per skein): 14 skeins alabaster #SW10
- Size 11 (8mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Cable needle

Gauge

14 sts and 16 rows = 4 inches/10cm in pat st
To save time, take time to check gauge.

Special Abbreviations

Cross cable: Pull 3rd st on LH needle over first 2 sts, k1, yo, k1.

Right cross: Sl 1 st to cn and hold in back of work, k1-tbl, p1 from cn.

Left cross: Sl 1 st to cn and hold in front of work, p1, k1-tbl from cn.

Bobble: (K1, [p1, k1] twice) all in one st, turn, p5, turn. Sl 3 sts tog to RH needle, k2tog, pull each of remaining 3 sts over k2tog, 1 st at a time. Bring yarn to front of work, sl bobble to LH needle, take yarn to back of work, return bobble to RH needle, pulling yarn tightly. Wrapping prevents bobble from popping to WS of afghan.

Pattern Notes

Sl first st of each row purlwise.

On final rep of Chart A (Row 217), do not cross cables.

Afghan

Loosely cast on 145 sts.

Knit 7 rows, sl first st of each row.

Set up pat

Next row: Sl 1, k4, [work row 1 of Chart A, work Row 1 of Chart B] 7 times, rep Row 1 of Chart A, k5.

Work even in established pats until Chart B has been worked 12 times. (216 rows)

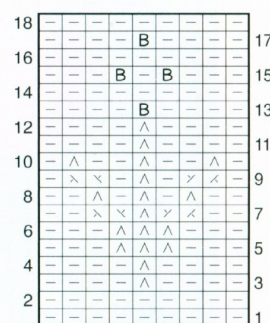
Rep Rows 1 and 2.

Knit 7 rows, sl first st of each row.

Bind off knitwise on WS. ♦



**CHART A
CABLES**



**CHART B
BLOSSOMS**

STITCH KEY

	K on RS, p on WS
	P on RS, k on WS
	K-tbl on RS, p-tbl on WS
	Cross cable
	Right cable
	Left cable
	Bobble



Tulip Time

Design by Susan Robicheau

Three different types of tulips bloom on an afghan worked in portable strips.

Skill Level

Advanced****

Size

Approximately 48 x 70 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Superwash Worsted, 100 percent washable wool worsted weight yarn (200 yds/100g per skein): 18 skeins blueberry sorbet #SW130
- Size 10½ (6.5mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

13 sts and 18 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st with 2 strands of yarn held tog

To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Stitches

Block A

Row 1 and all WS rows: K1, p to last st, k1.

Row 2: K7 [k2tog, yo] twice, k1 [yo, ssk] twice, k7.

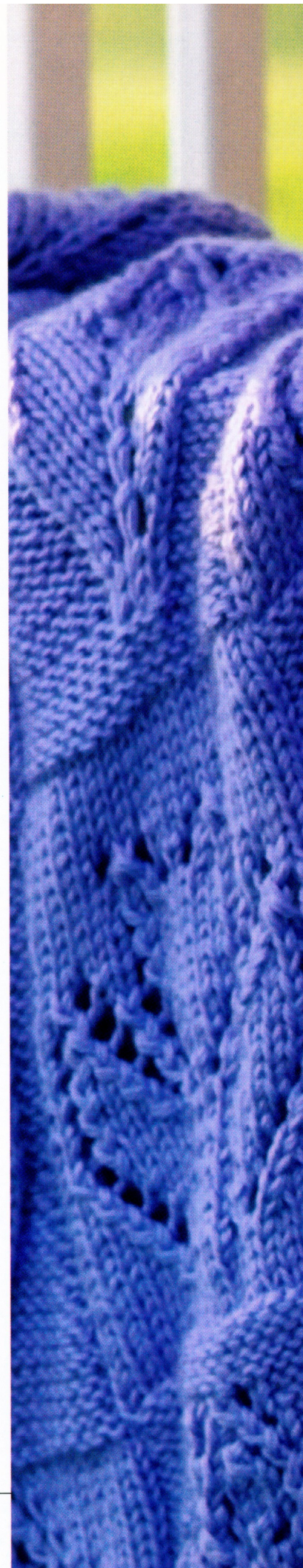
Row 4: K6, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, ssk, yo, ssk, k6.

Row 6: K5, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k1, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, k1, ssk, yo, ssk, k5.

Row 8: K4, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k2, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, k2, ssk, yo, ssk, k4.

Row 10: K3, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k3, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, k3, ssk, yo, ssk, k3.

Row 12: K2, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k4, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, k4, ssk, yo, ssk, k2.





Row 14: K3, yo, ssk, k3, k2tog, yo, k1-tbl, k1, k1-tbl, yo, ssk, k3, k2tog, yo, k3.

Row 16: K3, yo, ssk, k2, [k2tog, yo] twice, k1, [yo, ssk] twice, k2, k2tog, yo, k3.

Row 18: K3, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, ssk, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k3.

Row 20: K3, yo, ssk, k2tog, yo, k2tog, k1, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, k1, ssk, yo, ssk, k2tog, yo, k3.

Row 22: K3, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k2tog, k2, k1-tbl, yo, k1, yo, k1-tbl, k2, ssk, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k3.

Row 24: K3, k1-tbl, k1, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k1-tbl, k1, k1-tbl, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k1, k1-tbl, k3.

Row 26: K5, yo, ssk, [k2tog, yo] twice, k1-tbl, [yo, ssk] twice, k2tog, yo, k5.

Row 28: K5, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k2tog, yo, k1-tbl, k1, k1-tbl, yo, ssk, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k5.

Row 30: K5, k1-tbl, k1, [yo, ssk] twice, k1, [k2tog, yo] twice, k1, k1-tbl, k5.

Row 32: K7, k1-tbl, yo, ssk, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k2tog, yo, k1-tbl, k7.

Row 34: K8, k1-tbl, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k1-tbl, k8.

Row 36: K9, k1-tbl, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k1-tbl, k9.

Block B

Rows 1 and 3 (WS): Knit.

Rows 2 and 4: Purl.

Rows 5 and 7: K10, p3, k10.

Row 6: P10, k3, p10.

Row 8: P2, p2tog, p6, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p6, p2tog, p2.

Row 9: K9, p5, k9.

Row 10: P2, p2tog, p5, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p5, p2tog, p2.

Row 11: K8, p7, k8.

Row 12: P2, p2tog, p4, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, p4, p2tog, p2.

Row 13: K7, p9, k7.

Row 14: P2, p2tog, p3, k4, yo, k1, yo, k4, p3, p2tog, p2.

Row 15: K6, p11, k6.

Row 16: P2, p2tog, p2, k5, yo, k1, yo, k5, p2, p2tog, p2.

Rows 17, 19, 21, 23 and 25: K5, p13, k5.

Row 18: P5, ssk, k4, yo, k1, yo, k4, k2tog, p5.

Row 20: P5, ssk, [k3, yo] twice, k3, k2tog, p5.

Row 22: P5, ssk, k2, yo, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, yo,

k2, k2tog, p5.

Row 24: P5, ssk, k1, yo, k2tog, yo, k3, yo, ssk, yo, k1, k2tog, p5.

Row 26: P5, ssk, k1, yo, ssk, yo, k3, yo, k2tog, yo, k1, k2tog, p5.

Row 27: K7, p9, k7.

Row 28: P7, k1, yo, ssk, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k2tog, yo, k1, p7.

Row 29: K8, p7, k8.

Row 30: P8, k1, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k1, p8.

Row 31: K9, p5, k9.

Row 32: P9, k1, yo, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k1, p9.

Rows 33 and 35: Knit.

Rows 34 and 36: Purl.

Block C

Row 1 and all WS rows: K1, p to last st, k1.

Rows 2 and 4: Knit.

Row 6: K6, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, k2tog, k1, ssk, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k6.

Row 8: K5, k2tog, yo, k2, yo, k2tog, k1, ssk, yo, k2, yo, ssk, k5.

Row 10: K4, k2tog, yo, k3, yo, k2tog, k1, ssk, yo, k3, yo, ssk, k4.

Row 12: K3, k2tog, yo, k4, yo, k2tog, k1, ssk, yo, k4, yo, ssk, k3.

Row 14: K2, k2tog, yo, k5, yo, k2tog, k1, ssk, yo, k5, yo, ssk, k2.

Row 16: K3, yo, k2tog, k2, [k2tog, yo] twice, k1, [yo, ssk] twice, k2, ssk, yo, k3.

Row 18: K3, yo, k2tog, k1, [k2tog, yo] twice, k3, [yo, ssk] twice, k1, ssk, yo, k3.

Row 20: K3, yo, [k2tog] twice, yo, k2tog, yo, k5, yo, ssk, yo, [ssk] twice, yo, k3.

Row 22: K3, yo, sl 2, k1, p2sso, yo, k2tog, yo, k7, yo, ssk, yo, sl 2, k1, p2sso, yo, k3.

Row 24: K3, k2tog, yo, k2, yo, k2tog, k5, ssk, yo, k2, yo, ssk, k3.

Row 26: K7, yo, k2tog, k5, ssk, yo, k7.

Row 28: K7, yo, [k2tog] twice, yo, k1, yo, [ssk] twice, yo, k7.

Row 30: K7, yo, sl 2, k1, p2sso, yo, k3, yo, sl 2, k1, p2sso, yo, k7.

Rows 32, 34 and 36: Knit.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan. Afghan is worked in strips; see chart for placement of blocks.

Incs on border are made by knitting into front and back of next st.

Afghan

Cast on 23 sts for each strip.

Referring to chart for placement, work 6 strips of 8 blocks each.

Bind off final block of each strip.

Sew strips tog, using a single strand of yarn.

Border

Cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (RS): K2, yo, k1, yo, k2.

Row 2: P6, k into front and back of next st (inc made).

Row 3: K1, p1, k2, yo, k1, yo, k3.

Row 4: P8, inc, k1.

Row 5: K1, p2, k3, yo, k1, yo, k4.

Row 6: P10, inc, k2.

Row 7: K1, p3, k4, yo, k1, yo, k5.

Row 8: P12, inc, k3.

Row 9: K1, p4, ssk, k7, k2tog, k1.

Row 10: P10, inc, k4.

Row 11: K1, p5, ssk, k5, k2tog, k1.

Row 12: P8, inc, k2, p1, k2.

Row 13: K1, p1, k1, p4, ssk, k3, k2tog, k1.

Row 14: P6, inc, k3, p1, k2.

Row 15: K1, p1, k1, p5, ssk, k1, k2tog, k1.

Row 16: P4, inc, k4, p1, k2.

Row 17: K1, p1, k1, p6, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k1.

Row 18: P2tog, bind off next 5 sts using p2tog to bind off first st, p3, k1.

Rep Rows 1–18 for pat.

[Work Rows 1–18 of Border pat] 46 times or until border fits around entire afghan. Sl sts to holder and sew border to afghan, adjusting length as necessary when you near the end.

On final Row 18, p2tog, bind off rem sts.

Join border edges tog, and sew remaining area to afghan.

Block. ♦

A	B	A	B	A	C
C	A	B	A	B	A
A	B	C	B	C	B
B	A	B	A	B	A
A	B	C	B	C	B
B	A	B	A	B	A
A	B	A	B	A	C
C	A	B	A	B	A

ASSEMBLY CHART

Flora Dora

Design by Kathleen Power Johnson

This afghan is worked in one piece in bands of repeating blossoms. Each band is separated by picot-accented edging that is applied after the afghan is complete.



Skill Level

Easy**

Size

Approximately 48 x 60 inches, without edging

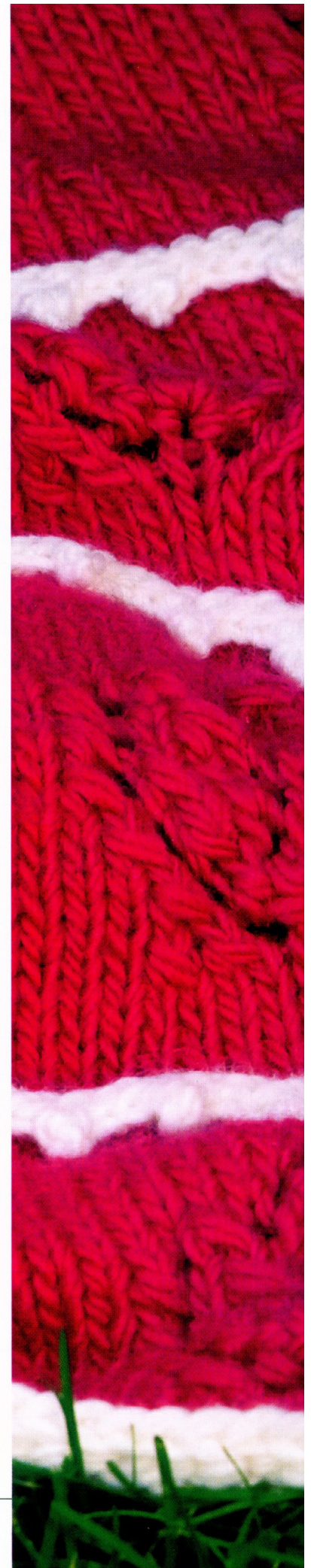
Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Worsted, 85 percent wool/15 percent mohair worsted weight yarn (190 yds/4 oz per skein): 13 skeins lotus pink #M38 (MC), 2 skeins white frost #M11 (A)
- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Bulky, 85 percent wool/15 percent mohair bulky weight yarn (125 yds/4 oz per skein): 1 skein white frost #M11 (B)
- Size 10 (6mm) 24-inch circular needle
- Size 11 (8mm) 36-inch circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge

Gauge

12 sts and 16 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st with 2 strands of yarn on larger needles

To save time, take time to check gauge.





Special Abbreviation

Picot: Cast on 2 sts, bind off these two sts.

Pattern Stitch

Eyelet Blossoms

Row 1 (RS): K8, *[k2tog] twice, yo, (k1, p1, k1) into next st, yo, [ssk] twice, k10, rep from * across, end last rep k8.

Row 2 (and all even-numbered rows): Purl.

Row 3: K8, *[k2tog, yo] twice, k1, [yo, ssk] twice, k10, rep from * across, end last rep k8.

Row 5: K7, *k2tog, yo, k2tog, [k1, yo] twice, k1, ssk, yo, ssk, k8, rep from * across, end last rep k7.

Row 7: K6, *k2tog, yo, k2tog, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, ssk, yo, ssk, k6, rep from * across.

Row 9: K6, *k2tog, yo, k1, k2tog, yo, k3, yo, ssk, k1, yo, ssk, k6, rep from * across.

Row 11: K6, *[k2tog, yo] twice, k5, [yo, ssk] twice, k6, rep from * across.

Row 13: K10, *yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k14, rep from * across, end last rep k10.

Row 15: K11, *yo, sl 1 knitwise, k2tog, pssso, yo, k16, rep from * across, end last rep k11.

Row 16: Purl.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan. Circular needles are used to accommodate large number of sts. Do not join; work in rows.

Afghan

With larger needles and MC, loosely cast on 139 sts.

*Work in St st for 6 rows, ending with a WS row.

Work 16 rows of Eyelet Blossoms pat, then 6 rows of St st.

With A, knit 2 rows.

Rep from * 6 times, ending last rep with 2nd 6 rows of St st.

Bind off loosely.

Picot Bands

Work in each garter-st stripe that separates bands.

Row 1: With smaller needles and 1 strand of B, beg with 2nd st pick up and k 1 st in each down-curving garter st 'bump' across row. Do not work last st. (137 sts)

Row 2: Bind off 4 sts, *slip last st back to LH needle, picot, bind off 3 sts, rep from * across, binding off last st.

Side Edging

With RS facing using larger needles and MC, pick up and k 179 sts along one long edge.

Knit 1 row.

Change to A and knit 1 more row.

Bind off.

Rep along remaining side edge.

Edging

With RS facing using larger needles and MC, pick up and k 144 sts across bound-off edge, including edge of trim.

Knit 1 row.

Change to A.

Next row: K1, *yo, k2tog, rep from * across, end last rep k1.

Purl 1 row.

Bind off purlwise.

Rep along cast-on edge. ♦

Nature's First Green

Design by JC Briar

Squares, knit from corner to corner, make great portable knitting projects. Sewn together, they form four-petaled flowers.



Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 40 x 60 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Bulky, 85 percent wool/15 percent mohair bulky weight yarn (125 yds/4 oz per skein): 12 skeins seafoam #M16
- Size 11 (8mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Size H/8 crochet hook

Gauge

13 sts and 20 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st
To save time, take time to check gauge.

Special Abbreviations

Cdd (centered double decrease): Sl 2 sts as if to k2tog, k1, pass 2 sl sts over.

Ssp (a decrease): Sl 2 sts knitwise 1 at a time to RH needle, place sts back on LH needle in this reversed position, p2tog.

M5 (Make 5 from 1): In next stitch, [k1, yo, k1, yo, k1].

Afghan Square

Make 24

Make a sl knot and place on LH needle, leaving a tail 36 inches long for later use in sewing squares tog.

Petal Section

Row 1 (RS): Yo, k1, k1-tbl. (3 sts)

Row 2: Yo, p3. (4 sts)

Row 3: Yo, p1, yo, k1, yo, p1, k1. (7 sts)

Row 4: Yo, k2, p3, k1, p1. (8 sts)

Row 5: Yo, p2, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p2, k1. (11 sts)

Row 6: Yo, k3, p5, k2, p1. (12 sts)

Row 7: Yo, p3, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p3, k1. (15 sts)

Row 8: Yo, k4, p7, k3, p1. (16 sts)

Row 9: Yo, p4, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, p4, k1. (19 sts)

Row 10: Yo, k5, p9, k4, p1. (20 sts)

Row 11: Yo, p5, k4, yo, k1, yo, k4, p5, k1. (23 sts)

Row 12: Yo, k6, p11, k5, p1. (24 sts)

Row 13: Yo, p6, k5, yo, k1, yo, k5, p6, k1. (27 sts)

Row 14: Yo, k7, p13, k6, p1. (28 sts)

Row 15: Yo, p7, k6, yo, k1, yo, k6, p7, k1. (31 sts)

Row 16: Yo, k8, p15, k7, p1. (32 sts)

Row 17: Yo, p8, k2tog, k11, ssk, p8, k1. (31 sts)

Row 18: Yo, k9, p13, k8, p1. (32 sts)

Row 19: Yo, p9, k2tog, k9, ssk, p9, k1. (31 sts)

Row 20: Yo, k10, p11, k9, p1. (32 sts)

Row 21: Yo, p10, k2tog, k7, ssk, p10, k1. (31 sts)

Row 22: Yo, k11, p9, k10, p1. (32 sts)

Row 23: Yo, p11, k2tog, k5, ssk, p11, k1. (31 sts)

Row 24: Yo, k12, p7, k11, p1. (32 sts)

Row 25: Yo, p12, k2tog, k3, ssk, p12, k1. (31 sts)

Row 26: Yo, k13, p5, k12, p1. (32 sts)

Row 27: Yo, p13, k2tog, k1, ssk, p13, k1. (31 sts)

Row 28: Yo, k14, p3, k13, p1. (32 sts)

Row 29: Yo, p14, cdd, p14, k1. (31 sts)



Row 30: Yo, k30, p1. (32 sts)

Row 31: Yo, p31, k1. (33 sts)

Row 32: Yo, k32, p1. (34 sts)

Row 33: Yo, p33, k1. (35 sts)

Row 34: Yo, k34, p1. (36 sts)

Eyelet Section

Row 35: Yo, k2tog, k31, ssk, k1. (35 sts)

Row 36: Yo, ssp, p30, p2tog, p1. (34 sts)

Row 37: Yo, k2tog, k1, [yo, k2tog] 14 times, ssk, k1. (33 sts)

Row 38: Yo, ssp, p28, p2tog, p1. (32 sts)

Row 39: Yo, k2tog, k27, ssk, k1. (31 sts)

Bud Section

Row 40: Yo, ssp, k26, p2tog, p1. (30 sts)

Row 41: Yo, k2tog, p25, ssk, k1. (29 sts)

Row 42: Yo, ssp, k24, p2tog, p1. (28 sts)

Row 43: Yo, k2tog, [p5, M5] 3 times, p5, ssk, k1. (39 sts)

Row 44: Yo, ssp, [k5, p5] 3 times, k4, p2tog, p1. (38 sts)

Row 45: Yo, k2tog, p4, [k2tog, k1, ssk, p5] 2 times, k2tog, k1, ssk, p4, ssk, k1. (31 sts)

Row 46: Yo, ssp, k4, [p3, k5] twice, p3, k3, p2tog, p1. (30 sts)

Row 47: Yo, k2tog, p3, [cdd, p5] twice, cdd, p3, ssk, k1. (23 sts)

Row 48: Yo, ssp, k18, p2tog, p1. (22 sts)

Row 49: Yo, k2tog, [p5, M5] 2 times, p5, ssk, k1. (29 sts)

Row 50: Yo, ssp, [k5, p5] 2 times, k4, p2tog, p1. (28 sts)

Row 51: Yo, k2tog, p4, k2tog, k1, ssk, p5, k2tog, k1, ssk, p4, ssk, k1. (23 sts)

Row 52: Yo, ssp, k4, p3, k5, p3, k3, p2tog, p1. (22 sts)

Row 53: Yo, k2tog, p3, cdd, p5, cdd, p3, ssk, k1. (17 sts)

Row 54: Yo, ssp, k12, p2tog, p1. (16 sts)

Row 55: Yo, k2tog, p5, M5, p5, ssk, k1. (19 sts)

Row 56: Yo, ssp, k5, p5, k4, p2tog, p1. (18 sts)

Row 57: Yo, k2tog, p4, k2tog, k1, ssk, p4, ssk, k1. (15 sts)

Row 58: Yo, ssp, k4, p3, k3, p2tog, p1. (14 sts)

Row 59: Yo, k2tog, p3, cdd, p3, ssk, k1. (11 sts)

Row 60: Yo, ssp, k6, p2tog, p1. (10 sts)

Row 61: Yo, k2tog, p5, ssk, k1. (9 sts)

Row 62: Yo, ssp, [k2tog] twice, p2tog, p1. (6 sts)

Row 63: [K2tog] 3 times. (3 sts)

Row 64: P3tog.

Fasten off remaining st.

Cut yarn, leaving a tail 36 inches long for later use in sewing squares tog.

Finishing

Block each square to measure 11 x 11 inches.

Referring to photo and using 36-inch tails of yarn, sew 4 squares tog to form a larger square, having large petals at center. Join by sewing yo-edge loops of adjacent squares tog.

Sew resulting 6 squares tog to form afghan of 2 x 3 large squares.

Crochet Border

Join yarn in any yo-loop.

Work 2 sc in each yo-loop and 2 ch in each corner st.

Join with sl st and fasten off. ♦

Autumn Blaze

Design by Nazanin S. Fard

A colorful blaze of leaves and berries is featured on this lovely afghan. Worked in panels, it is a handy carry-along project.



Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 50 x 50 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Lamb's Pride Superwash Worsted, 100 percent washable wool worsted weight yarn (200 yds/100g per skein): 18 skeins blaze #SW145
- Size 10 (6mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

14 sts and 22 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st

To save time, take time to check gauge.

Special Abbreviations

M1 (Make 1): Lift the running thread between st just worked and next st, k into the back of this thread.

P inc: P into front and back of next st.

K inc: K into front and back of next st.

Cdd (centered double decrease): Sl 2 tog knitwise, k1, p2sso.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan.

Pay special attention to incs and decs, as st count varies in both panels.



Afghan

Leaves Panel

Make 4

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, cast on 26 sts.

Rows 1 (WS)–4: Knit.

Row 5: K5, p5, k4, p3, k9.

Row 6: P7, p2tog, k inc, k2, p4, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p5.

Row 7: K5, p7, k4, p2, k1, p1, k8.

Row 8: P6, p2tog, k1, p inc, k2, p4, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, p5.

Row 9: K5, p9, k4, p2, k2, p1, k7.

Row 10: P5, p2tog, k1, p inc, p1, k2, p4, ssk, k5, k2tog, p5.

Row 11: K5, p7, k4, p2, k3, p1, k6.

Row 12: P4, p2tog, k1, p inc, p2, k2, p4, ssk, k3, k2tog, p5.

Row 13: K5, p5, k4, p2, k4, p1, k5.

Row 14: P5, yo, k1, yo, p4, k2, p4, ssk, k1, k2tog, p5.

Row 15: K5, p3, k4, p2, k4, p3, k5.

Row 16: P5, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p4, k1, M1, k1, p2tog, p2, cdd, p5.

Row 17: K9, p3, k4, p5, k5.

Row 18: P5, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p4, k1, k inc, k1, p2tog, p7.

Row 19: K8, p1, k1, p2, k4, p7, k5.

Row 20: P5, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, p4, k2, p inc, k1, p2tog, p6.

Row 21: K7, p1, k2, p2, k4, p9, k5.

Row 22: P5, ssk, k5, k2tog, p4, k2, p1, p inc, k1, p2tog, p5.

Row 23: K6, p1, k3, p2, k4, p7, k5.

Row 24: P5, ssk, k3, k2tog, p4, k2, p2, p inc, k1, p2tog, p4.

Row 25: K5, p1, k4, p2, k4, p5, k5.

Row 26: P5, ssk, k1, k2tog, p4, k2, p4, yo, k1, yo, p5.

Row 27: K5, p3, k4, p2, k4, p3, k5.

Row 28: P5, cdd, p2, p2tog, k1, M1, k1, p4, [k1,

yo] twice, k1, p5.

[Rep Rows 5–28] 10 times.

Knit 4 rows.

Bind off all sts loosely.

Berries Panel

Make 3

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, cast on 26 sts.

Rows 1 (WS)–4: Knit.

Row 5: *K2, p1; rep from * across, end last rep k2.

Row 6: *P2, [k1, p1] twice in next st, p2, k1; rep from * across, end last rep p2.

Rows 7 and 9: K2, *p1, k8; rep from * across.

Row 8: *P2, k4, p2, k1; rep from * across, end last rep p2.

Row 10: * P2, [k2tog] twice, pass first k2tog over 2nd, p2, k1; rep from * across, end last rep p2.

Row 11: Rep Row 5.

Row 12: *P2, k1, p2, [k1, p1] twice in the next st; rep from * across, end last rep p2.

Rows 13 and 15: *K8, p1; rep from * across, end last rep k2.

Row 14: *P2, k1, p2, k4; rep from * across, end last rep p2.

Row 16: *P2, k1, p2, [k2tog] twice, pass first k2tog over 2nd; rep from * across, end last rep p2.

[Rep rows 5–16] 20 times.

Knit 4 rows.

Bind off all sts loosely.

Finishing

Alternating Leaves and Berries panels, sew panels tog using single strand of yarn.

Side Border

With RS facing, pick up and k 130 sts evenly along one side edge.

Knit 3 rows.

Bind off loosely.

Rep for remaining side. ♦

English Garden

Design by Kathleen Power Johnson

Elementary panels are worked in Stockinette stitch and are later decorated with duplicate stitch and bobbles. The panels are joined and edged with crochet stitches.



Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 60 x 73 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Nature Spun, 100 percent wool worsted weight yarn (245 yds/100g per skein): 12 skeins enchanted forest #N25 (MC), 4 skeins Arctic moss #N20 (A), 3 skeins snow #740 (B), 2 skeins Victorian pink #N87 (C)
- Size 11 (8mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Size I/9 crochet hook

Gauge

12 sts and 20 rows = 4 inches/10cm in St st with 2 strands of yarn

To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan. Sl first st of every row to form a chain stitch selvage.

Afghan

Lattice Panel

Make 2

With A, loosely cast on 21 sts.

Work even in St st until panel measures 73 inches.

Bind off loosely.

Referring to Chart A, duplicate st latticework onto panel.

Blossom Panel

Make 3

With MC, loosely cast on 45 sts.

Work in St st for 15 rows.

Referring to Chart B, mark the lower st of each leaf.

Work even in St st until panel measures 73 inches.

Bind off loosely.

Referring to Chart B and using markers to position first row, embroider leaves onto panel in duplicate st. Make bobbles and attach to panel as indicated on Chart B.

Pull yarn ends to WS and tie tightly.

Bobble

With C, place a slip knot on LH needle, leaving a 3-inch tail.

Row 1: [K into front and back of st] twice, then k into front once more.

Work 3 rows St st.

Next row: Sl first 3 sts tog knitwise to the RH needle, k2tog, pass 2nd, then 3rd, then last st over first. Fasten off.

Finishing

With crochet hook and 2 strands of B, pull up a loop in lower corner of one panel, ch 1, pull up a loop in corresponding st on 2nd panel, *ch 1,



pull up a loop in st on opposite panel, moving up 1 row. Rep from * until panel is completely joined. Rep for remaining panels.

Floret Edging

Rnd 1: Join B to edge of afghan near but not in corner st, ch 1. Work 1 rnd of sc around entire afghan, working 3 sc in each corner st and making sure to keep work flat. Join with sl st, turn.

Rnd 2: With C, ch 3,*sl st into next st, 1 dc in next st; rep from * around. Join with sl st at top of beginning ch-3. Fasten off. ♦

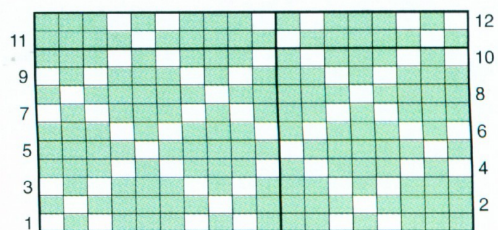


CHART A
LATTICE PANEL

COLOR KEY

- Enchanted forest (MC)
- Arctic moss (A)
- Snow (B)
- Victorian pink (C)

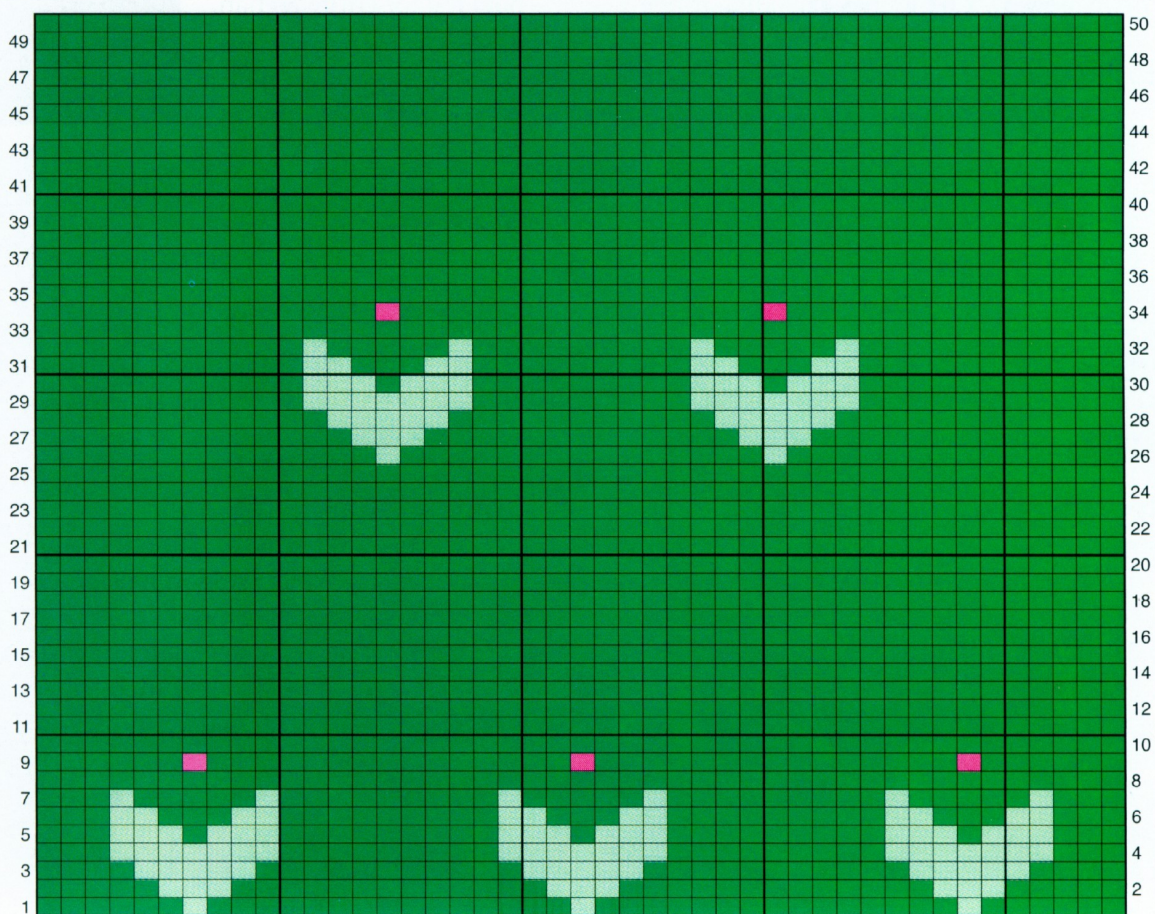


CHART B
BLOSSOMS

Hyacinth Beauty

Design by Frances Hughes

Puffy bud stitches combine with multiple yarn-overs to create a light and airy summer afghan.

Skill Level

Intermediate***

Size

Approximately 52 x 62 inches excluding fringe

Materials

- Brown Sheep Wildfoote Luxury Sock Yarn, 75 percent washable wool/25 percent nylon fingering weight yarn (215 yds/50g per skein): 20 skeins little lilac #SY32
- Size 11 (8mm) 32-inch circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge

Gauge

14 sts and 10 rows = 4 inches/10cm in pat st
To save time, take time to check gauge.

Pattern Stitch

Hyacinths

Row 1 (WS): K1, *p5tog, (k1, p1, k1, p1, k1) all in next st, rep from * across, end last rep k1.

Row 2: K1, purl to last st, k1.

Row 3: K1, *(k1, p1, k1, p1, k1) all in next st, p5tog, rep from * across, end last rep k1.

Row 4: K1, purl to last st, k1.

Row 5: Knit, wrapping yarn twice around needle for each st.

Row 6: K1, purl to last st dropping extra wrap for each st, k1.

Rep Rows 1–6 for pat.

Pattern Notes

Three strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan. Circular needle is used to accommodate large number of sts. Do not join; work in rows.

Afghan

With 3 strands of yarn held tog, cast on 176 sts.
Knit 2 rows.

Work even in Hyacinth pat until afghan measures 62 inches, ending with Row 3 of pat.

Next 2 rows: K1, purl to last st, k1.

Bind off loosely.

Double Knot Fringe

Cut strands of yarn, each 18 inches long.

Hold 5 strands tog and fold in half. Knot 1 group of strands in every 3rd cast-on st.

Divide strands, using 5 from left and 5 from right groups, and tie again about $\frac{3}{4}$ inch below first row of knots using an overhand knot.

Rep for another row of knots.

Rep fringe along bound-off edge. ♦





Climbing Vines

Design by Katharine Hunt

Vines and flowers frame a central trellis. The outer border is reminiscent of a woven fence.

Skill Level

Advanced****

Size

Approximately 40 x 40 inches

Materials

- Brown Sheep Nature Spun, 100 percent wool worsted weight yarn (245 yds/100g per skein): 12 skeins Arctic moss #N20 (A), 1 skein snow #740 (B), small amount purple splendor #N60 (C)
- Size 9 (5.5mm) straight and circular needles
- Size 10 (6mm) straight and circular needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Size 8 (5mm) needles for flowers
- Size E/4 crochet hook
- Cable needle
- Stitch markers
- Stitch holders
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

17 sts and 22 rows = 4 inches/10cm in Lattice Panel pat, lightly blocked

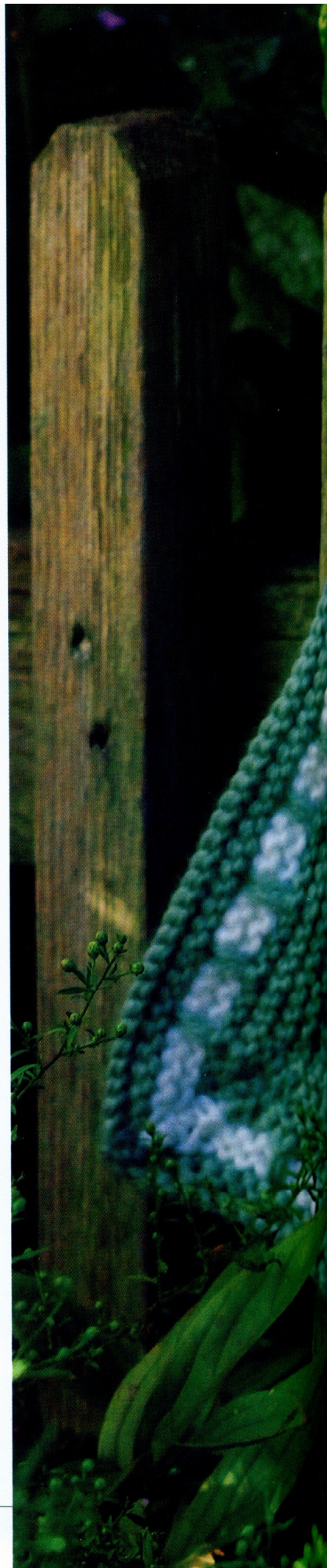
To save time, take time to check gauge.

Special Abbreviations

C2R (Cross 2 Right): Sl next st to cn and hold in back, k1, k1 from cn.

C2L (Cross 2 Left): Sl next st to cn and hold in front, k1, k1 from cn.

T2B (Twist 2 Back): Sl next st to cn and hold in back, k1, p1 from cn.





T2f (twist 2 Front): Sl next st to cn and hold in front, p1, k1 from cn.

M1 (Make 1): Lift running strand between st just worked and next st, k into back of this strand.

Knit inc: Knit into front and back of next st.

Purl inc: Purl into front and back of next st.

Cdd (centered double decrease): Sl 2 sts knitwise, k1, pass 2 sl sts over. Center st will lie on top of other 2.

K1w2: K1 wrapping yarn twice around needle. Extra yarn will be dropped on following row.

Pattern Notes

Two strands of yarn are held tog for entire afghan. Flowers are worked with single strand.

Work selvage as a k st on every row on left edge of left panel and right edge of right panel. Selvage st is not included in instructions.

Pattern Stitches

A. Lattice Panel (multiple of 10 sts + 4)

Row 1 (WS): K6, p2, *k8, p2; rep from * to last 6 sts, k6.

Row 2: P5, t2b, t2f, *p6, t2b, t2f; rep from * to last 5 sts, p5.

Row 3: K5, p1, k2, p1, *k6, p1, k2, p1; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

Row 4: *P4, t2b, p2, t2f; rep from * to last 4 sts, p4.

Row 5: *K4, p1; rep from * to last 4 sts, k4.

Row 6: P3, t2b, p4, t2f, *p2, t2b, p4, t2f; rep from * to last 3 sts, p3.

Row 7: K3, p1, k6, p1, *k2, p1, k6, p1; rep from * to last 3 sts, k3.

Row 8: P2, *t2b, p6, t2f, rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 9: K2, p1, *k8, p2; rep from * to last 11 sts, k8, p1, k2.

Row 10: P2, k1, *p8, c2l; rep from * to last 11 sts, p8, k1, p2.

Row 11: K2, p1, *k8, p2; rep from * to last 11 sts, k8, p1, k2.

Row 12: P2, t2f, p6, t2b, *t2f, p6, t2b; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 13: K3, *p1, k6, p1, k2; rep from * to last 11 sts, p1, k6, p1, k3.

Row 14: P3, *t2f, p4, t2b, p2; rep from * to last 11 sts, t2f, p4, t2b, p3.

Row 15: *K4, p1; rep from * to last 4 sts, k4.

Row 16: *P4, t2f, p2, t2b; rep from * to last 4 sts, p4.

Row 17: K5, *p1, k2, p1, k6; rep from * to last 9 sts, p1, k2, p1, k5.

Row 18: P5, *t2f, t2b, p6; rep from * to last 9 sts, t2f, t2b, p5.

Row 19: K6, *p2, k8; rep from * to last 8 sts, p2, k6.

Row 20: P6, *c2r, p8; rep from * to last 8 sts, c2r, p6.

Rep Rows 1–20 for pat.

B. Vine Leaf Panel

Section A (flower stem on right)

Row 1 (WS): K6, p5, k4, p3, k10.

Row 2: P8, p2tog, knit inc, k2, p4, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p6.

Row 3: K6, p7, k4, p2, k1, p1, k9.

Row 4: P7, p2tog, k1, purl inc, k2, p4, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, p6.

Row 5: K6, p9, k4, p2, k2, p1, k8.

Row 6: P6, p2tog, k1, p1, purl inc, k2, p4, ssk, k5, k2tog, p6.

Row 7: K6, p7, k4, p2, k3, p1, k7.

Row 8: P5, p2tog, k1, p2, purl inc, k2, p4, ssk, k3, k2tog, p6.

Row 9: K6, p5, k4, p2, k4, p1, k6.

Row 10: P5, purl inc, k1, purl inc, p3, k2, p4, ssk, k1, k2tog, p6.

Row 11: K6, p3, k4, p2, k5, p1, k7.

Row 12: P6, purl inc, k1, purl inc, p4, k1, M1, k1, p2tog, p2, cdd, p6.

Row 13: K10, p3, k6, p1, k8.

Row 14: P8, k1, p6, k1, knit inc, k1, p2tog, p8.

Row 15: K9, p1, k1, p2, k6, p1, k8.

Row 16: P15, k2, purl inc, k1, p2tog, p7.

Row 17: K8, p1, k2, p2, k15.

Row 18: P15, k2, p1, purl inc, k1, p2tog, p6.

Row 19: K7, p1, k3, p2, k15.

Row 20: P13, p2tog, k2, p2, purl inc, k1, p2tog, p5.

Row 21: K6, p1, k4, p2, k14.

Row 22: [P5, p2tog] twice, k2, p3, purl inc, k1, purl inc, p5.

Row 23: K6, p3, k4, p2, k12.

Row 24: P5, p2tog, p3, p2tog, k1, M1, k1, p4, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p6.

Section B (two leaves)

Rows 1–10: Rep Rows 1–10 of Section A.

Row 11: K6, p3, k4, p2, k4, p3, k6.

Row 12: P6, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p4, k1, M1, k1, p2tog, p2, cdd, p6.

Row 13: K10, p3, k4, p5, k6.

Row 14: P6, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p4, k1, knit inc, k1, p2tog, p8.

Row 15: K9, p1, k1, p2, k4, p7, k6.

Row 16: P6, k3, yo, k1, yo, k3, p4, k2, purl inc, k1, p2tog, p7.

Row 17: K8, p1, k2, p2, k4, p9, k6.

Row 18: P6, ssk, k5, k2tog, p4, k2, p1, purl inc, k1, p2tog, p6.

Row 19: K7, p1, k3, p2, k4, p7, k6.

Row 20: P6, ssk, k3, k2tog, p4, k2, p2, purl inc, k1, p2tog, p5.

Row 21: K6, p1, k4, p2, k4, p5, k6.

Row 22: P6, ssk, k1, k2tog, p4, k2, p3, purl inc, k1, purl inc, p5.

Row 23: K7, p1, k5, p2, k4, p3, k6.

Row 24 (if the next section to be worked is

Section A): P6, cdd, p2, p2tog, k1, M1, k1, p4, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p6.

Row 24 (if the next section to be worked is

Section C): P6, cdd, p2, p2tog, k1, M1, k1, p4, purl inc, k1, purl inc, p6.

Section C (flower stem on left)

Row 1 (WS): K8, p1, k6, p3, k10.

Row 2: P8, p2tog, knit inc, k2, p6, k1, p8.

Row 3: K8, p1, k6, p2, k1, p1, k9.

Row 4: P7, p2tog, k1, purl inc, k2, p6, k1, p8.

Row 5: K8, p1, k6, p2, k2, p1, k8.

Row 6: P6, p2tog, k1, p1, purl inc, k2, p15.

Row 7: K15, p2, k3, p1, k7.

Row 8: P5, p2tog, k1, p2, purl inc, k2, p15.

Row 9: K15, p2, k4, p1, k6.

Row 10: P5, purl inc, k1, purl inc, p3, k2, [p2tog, p5] twice, p1.

Row 11: K13, p2, k4, p3, k6.

Row 12: P6, [k1, yo] twice, k1, p4, k1, M1, k1, [p2tog, p2] 3 times, p1.

Rows 13–24: Rep Rows 13–24 of Section B.

Afghan

Center Panel

With size 9 needles and 2 strands of A held tog, cast on 87 sts.

Knit 3 rows, inc 7 sts evenly on last RS row. (94 sts)

Change to larger needles.

[Work Rows 1–20 of Lattice Panel] 12 times.

Place sts on length of yarn.

Left Panel

With size 9 needles and 2 strands of A held tog, cast on 27 sts.

Knit 3 rows, inc 2 sts on last RS row as follows:

K17, M1, k3, M1, k6. (28 sts +1 selvage st)

Work sections in order of A, B, C, B, A, B, C, B, A, rep first 12 rows of Section B. Place sts on length of yarn.

Right Panel

Work as for left panel through inc row. (28 sts +1 selvage st)

Work sections in order of C, B, A, B, C, B, A, B, C, rep first 12 rows of Section B. Place sts on length of yarn.

Finishing

Block panels.

Referring to Fig. 1 on page 131, sew left panel with sts still on length of yarn to left edge of lattice panel, adjusting length as necessary to fit.

Sew right panel to right edge of lattice panel.

Place 29 stitches from right panel, 94 sts from lattice panel, and 29 sts from left panel onto size 9 circular needle. (152 sts)

Beg with a WS row, 3 rows, dec 11 sts evenly across first row. (141 sts)

Top Border

Row 1 (RS): With A, knit.

Row 2: P1, k to last st, p1.

Row 3: K1, M1, k to last st, M1, k1. (143 sts)

Row 4: Rep Row 2.

Row 5: Rep Row 3. (145 sts)

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Row 7: Rep Row 3 (147) sts
Row 8: P1, k2, *k1w2, k3, rep from * to last 4 sts, k1w2, k2, p1. Change to B.
Row 9: K1, M1, k2, *sl 1, k3, rep from * to last 4 sts, sl 1, k2, M1, k1. (149 sts)
Row 10: P1, *k3, sl 1 wyif, rep from * to last 4 sts, k3, p1.
Row 11: K1, M1, k3, * sl 1, k3, rep from * to last st, M1, k1. (151 sts)
Row 12: P1, k4, sl 1 wyif, k3, rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, p1. Change to A.
Row 13: K1, M1, k to last st, M1, k1. (153 sts)
Row 14: P1, k to last st, p1.
Row 15: K1, M1, * knit to last st, M1, k1. (155 sts)
 Bind off.

Lower Border

With A and size 9 circular needle, pick up and k 141 sts along cast-on edge. Work as for top border, omitting decs of first row.

Side Borders

With A and size 9 circular needle, pick up and k 180 sts along side edge. Work as for top border, dec 7 sts evenly across first row. (173 sts)
 Sew mitered corners of border.

Flower

Make 10

Beg at outer edge of petal with single strand of B and size 8 needle, cast on 3 sts.

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2 and all WS rows: Purl.

Row 3: K1, [M1, k1] twice. (5 sts)

Row 5: K1, M1, k3, M1, k1. (7 sts)

Row 7: K2, ssk, put this st on LH needle, pass 2nd st over first st, return st to RH needle, k2. (5 sts)

Row 8: Purl.

Cut yarn leaving a 10-inch tail. Slide petal to end of needle.

Make 4 more petals. Do not cut yarn after last petal. (25 sts)

Next Row (RS): Working across all petals and taking care not to spread sts apart, [k1, k2tog] 8 times, k1. (17 sts)

Row 2: [P1, p2tog] 5 times, p2tog. (11 sts)

Row 3: With C, p2, p2tog, p3, p2tog, p2. (9 sts)

Row 4: Knit firmly.

Cut yarn and draw through all sts twice.

Using yarn tails and crochet hook, work 10 sl sts around each petal edge.

With C, embroider a lazy daisy st on each petal as shown in photo on page 127.

Sew one flower to each stem on side panels. ♦

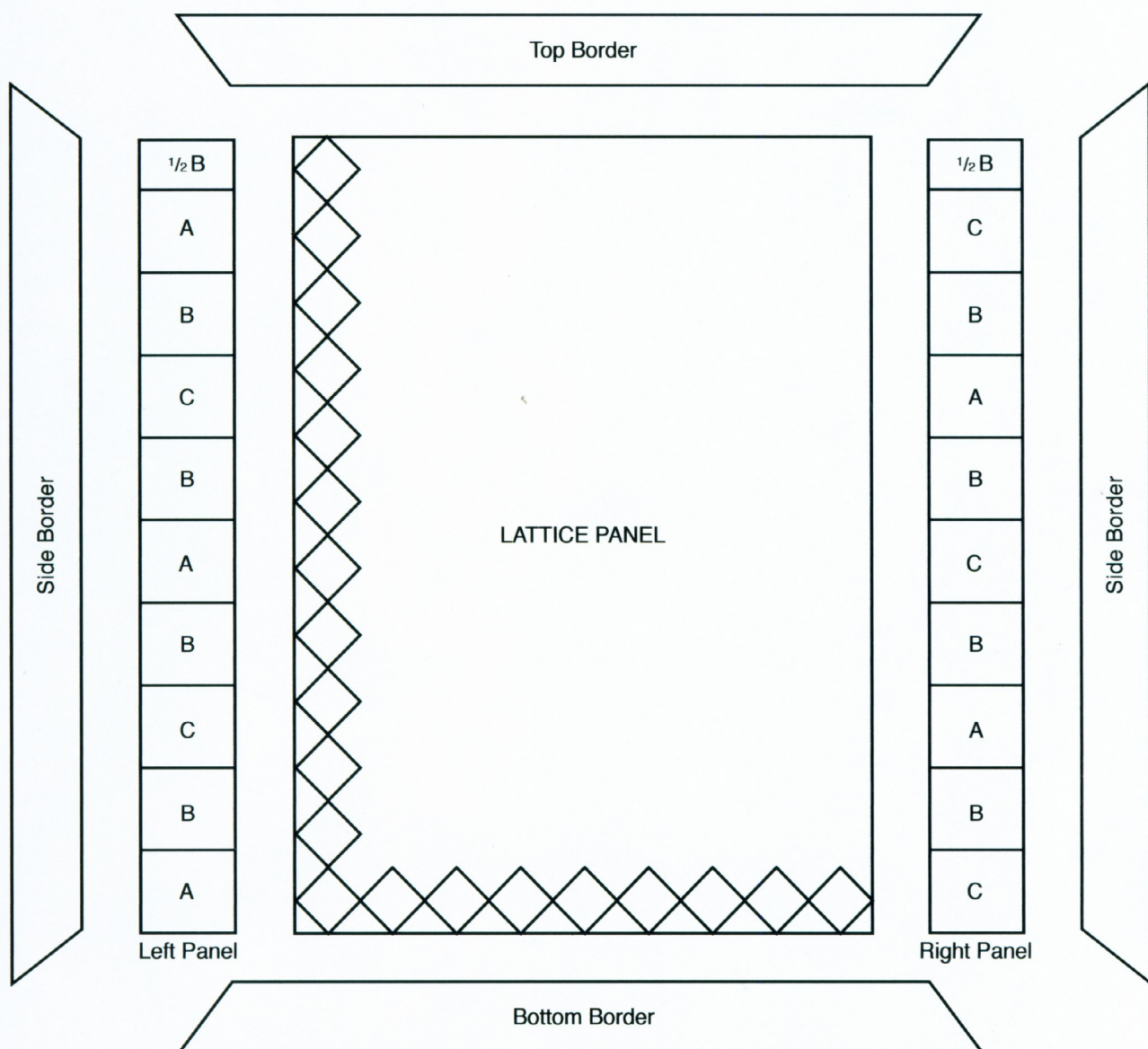


FIG. 1
ASSEMBLY