

Kitty Afghan by Annette Roa



This was gift for my niece Emily, age 4.

I used the 28" Small gauge Knitting Board, standard spacers

Yarn: 10 Skeins of Red Heart yarn. (The main color was red heart yarn, 4 skeins. The cats were my scrap yarns including some pink yarn that I spun myself. I would say .5 skeins for each cat).

Finished size: 33W x 40L. It was big enough to cover my 4 yr old niece.

Stitch - Stockinette

The afghan was knit in 3 strips.

Main color = MC and Contrast Color= CC(this can be different yarns for each cat)

Cast On 30 stitches in MC. Lay anchor yarn.

Knit following 38 rows for one complete design section.

Rows 1-5 Knit in MC (main color)

Row 6= 9MC; 6 CC; 1 MC; 3 CC; 2 MC; 3 CC; 6 MC

Row 7=8MC; 7CC; 1 MC; 3 CC; 2MC;3CC; 6MC

ROW 8=8MC;5CC;4MC;2CC;2MC;2CC;7MC

ROW 9=7MC;8CC;2MC;2CC;2MC;2CC;7MC

ROW 10=7MC; 9CC;1MC;2CC;2MC;2CC;7MC

ROW11=6MC;13CC;2MC;2CC;7MC

ROW12=6MC;17CC;7MC

ROW 13=5MC;18CC;7MC

ROW 14=5MC;18CC;7MC

ROW15= 5MC;3CC;1MC;14CC;

ROW 16=5MC;3CC;2MC;13CC;7MC

ROW 17=5MC;2CC;4MC;12CC;7MC

ROW18=5MC;2CC;5MC;11CC;7MC

ROW 19=5MC;2CC;7MC;9CC;7MC

ROW 20=5MC;2CC;9MC6CC;8MC

ROW 21=5MC; 2CC;11MC;4CC;8MC

ROW22=5MC; 2 CC;10MC;5CC;8MC

ROW 23=5MC;2CC;9MC;7CC;7MC

ROW 24=5MC;3CC;8MC;3CC;1MC;3CC;1MC ;7MC

ROW 25=6MC; 2CC; 8 MC; 7CC;7MC

ROW 26=7MC; 3CC;6MC; 7CC;7MC

ROW 27=8MC; 2CC; 6MC; 7CC; 7MC

ROW 28 &29= 16MC;7CC;7MC

ROW 30= 16MC; 2CC' 3MC; 2CC; 7MC

ROW 31=16 MC; 1CC; 5MC; 1CC; 7MC

ROW 32-38 MC

Repeat these 38 rows. I knit them 4 times for 4 cat designs in each strip.

I knit 3 strips and then sewed them together. The finish was a Shell stitch crochet edge around the borders of the afghan with pink yarn.

I modified the cat design idea from Picture Knits by Betty Barnden