

GARTER BLOCK 'FOUR-PATCH' PILLOW

Instructions for adapting your Churchmouse at Home 'Big Garter Blocks Throw & Afghan' pattern to make a simple '4-patch' pillow cover in two colors.

This easy pillow, knitted in a soft alpaca-blend yarn, makes an eye-catching and cozy addition to any room.

Finished Size: 18 x 18"/46 x 46cm.

Yarn: 4 skeins Berroco *Ultra Alpaca Chunky* (131 yds/120m each), 2 skeins each of Color A and

Color B (our shop sample used Color A = Color 7207, Color B = Color 7214).

Or approx. 524 yds/480m total of an equivalent chunky-weight yarn in two colors

(approx. 262 yds/240m each).

Needles & Notions: US 10½ (6.5mm) needles.

Pillow form: 18 x 18"/46 x 46cm.

Darning needle.

Gauge: Approx. 14 sts = 4"/10 cm in garter stitch.

Please refer to the original pattern for complete instructions.

Only changes are covered in this adaptation.

Cast on: Make <u>four</u> pieces as follows:

With Color A, cast on 32 sts. *Knit 62 rows (31 ridges) per pattern instructions*. Change

to Color B and repeat between * *. Bind off.

Finishing: Lay four strips side by side to make checkerboard pattern. Sew together using seaming

instructions from pattern. Fold in half and sew around two sides; insert pillow form and

complete last side.

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