

Boston Red Sox Afghan

by Deborah V. Gardner

Size: 48" x 72" (192 st by 424 rows)

Materials:

Red Heart SuperSaver (7oz/198gr, 364yd/333m, 100% acrylic)

4 skeins #0387 Soft Navy (MC)

2 skeins Soft White (CC1)

1 skein #0319 Cherry Red (CC2)

Be sure to get all of the same lot number. No-dye-lot yarns do vary in shades.

Size 8 circular needle 40" or size to obtain gauge
yarn needle

Gauge:

16 stitches x 25 rows = 4" x 4"

Notes:

- Each chart is marked with a different color to show the center points. The stitches marking the side centers on the main logo should be knit in CC2.
- The logo is 159 stitches x 212 rows.
- Intarsia is the colorwork technique used. Stranding is not recommended because of the long floats that will result. Crocheting the logo will result in a skewed finished design.

With MC, cast on 192 stitches. Work 12 rows in K1, P1 seed stitch.

Row 13: Work the first 9 stitches in seed stitch as established, knit 174 stitches, work the last 9 stitches in seed stitch as established.

Row 14: Work the first 9 stitches in seed stitch as established, purl 174 stitches, work the last 9 stitches in seed stitch as established.

Continue in st st for another 94 rows. (Total rows completed will be 106.)

As you continue knitting, the border will be in seed stitch and the body of the afghan, including the logo will be in stockinette stitch.

Knit the logo from the chart. It is 212 rows.

After the logo is complete, knit 94 rows of st st, keeping the border in seed st. Work 12 rows of seed stitch. Bind off.



Two proud Red Sox fans, Sean and Monique

