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MEASUREMENTS
Approx Finished Size $=80 \mathrm{~cm} \times 105 \mathrm{~cm}$

## BENDIGO WOOLLEN MILLS YARN REQUIREMENTS x 200g BALLS <br> 8 Ply Bloom x 3 balls

Yarn quantities can vary and are therefore approximate requirements only. Use only Bendigo yarns as specified.
TENSION - One square equals $13.5 \mathrm{~cm} \times 13.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ on 5.00 mm needles. Tension is not essential for this blanket, however, stated measurements and yarn quantities are based on this tension.

ABBREVIATIONS - inc = knit into front and back of stitch to make a stitch, $\mathrm{K}=$ knit, rep $=$ repeat, st/s = stitch/es, tog = together, yfwd = yarn forward.

NOTE - This blanket is worked on larger needles than is usually recommended for this yarn.

## BLANKET

Using 5.00mm needles cast on 1 st.
1st Row: Inc in st. 2sts.
2nd Row: Inc in first st, K1. 3 sts.
3rd Row: Inc in first st, knit to end. 4 sts.
Rep last row until there are 31 sts.
Begin Eyelet Pattern
1st Row (wrong side): K1, purl to last st,K1.
2nd Row: K2tog, knit to last 2sts,
K2tog. 29 sts.
3rd Row: K1, purl to last st, K1.
4th Row: *K2tog, yfwd, rep from * to last 3 sts, K3tog. 27 sts.
5th Row: Knit.
6th Row: K2tog, knit to last 2sts, K2tog. 25 sts.
Last 6 rows form eyelet pattern.
Work a further 21 rows in eyelet pattern. 5 sts.
28th Row: K2tog, K1, K2tog. 3 sts.
29th Row: P3tog.
Fasten off.
Make 48 of these squares in total.
Join squares together as pictured.

## BLANKET BORDER

Using 5.00 mm needles cast on 5 sts.
1st Row: Knit.
2nd Row: K2, yfwd, K3. 6sts.
3rd Row: K4, yfwd, K2. 7 sts.
4th Row: K3, yfwd, K4. 8 sts.


5th Row: K3, yfwd, K2tog, K1, yfwd, K2. 9 sts.
6th Row: Cast off 4 sts, knit to end. 5 sts.
Last 6 rows form pattern for border. Cont in patt until border is length required to fit evenly around all sides of blanket, easing around corners to keep border flat and ending with a 6th pattern row.
Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Sew straight edge of border evenly in position to blanket, beginning at one long edge. Join ends of border. Press lightly with a warm iron and a damp cloth.

