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♥ WHEN THE EVENINGS TURN COOLER, THE SLOPPY BLANKET COMES TO THE RESCUE. THE LOVELY BLANKET IS WORKED IN A LACE PATTERN – AND THE ELONGATED STITCHES MEAN THAT IT IS A QUICKER KNIT THAN YOU WOULD THINK. THE PERFECT PROJECT FOR THE ADVANCED BEGINNER OR INTERMEDIATE KNITTER – BRING ON THE COOLER WEATHER!

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## ABBREVIATIONS:

**st[s]** = stitch[es]**k** = knit**k2tog** = knit 2 stitches together**kfb** = Work an increase by knitting first into the front and then the back of the same stitch**p** = purl**p2tog** = purl 2 stitches together**RS** = right side**WS** = wrong side**tbl** = through the back loop[s]**tog** = together**Selv** = Selvedge stitch: Slip the first stitch of row purl-wise with the yarn held in front (without knitting it). Knit the last stitch of the row.

Designed by Vibe Ulrik

## PATTERN

Cast on 110 sts on a UK size 2 [7 mm] needle. Work 5 rows in stockinette stitch, beginning with a WS row, remembering to work the first and last stitch of every row as selv.

Now work in pattern as follows:

**Row 6 [RS]:** 1 selv, \*yarn over, k1\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, k1. There are now 218 sts on the needle.

**Row 7 [vrang]:** 1 selv, purl to the last stitch, k1. There are now 218 sts on the needle.

**Row 8:** 1 selv, \*k2tog\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv. There are now 110 sts on the needle.

**Row 9:** 1 selv, \*yarn over, k2tog\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 10:** Knit to end of row.

**Row 11:** Purl to end of row.

**Row 12:** Knit to end of row.

**Row 13:** Purl to end of row.

**Row 14:** 1 selv, \*yarn over twice, k1\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 15:** 1 selv, \*purl stitch and let the yarn overs fall off the needle\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 16:** Knit to end of row.

**Row 17:** Purl to end of row.

**Row 18:** 1 selv, \*p2tog\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 19:** 1 selv, \*kfb\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 20:** 1 selv, \* yarn over twice, k1\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 21:** 1 selv, \* purl stitch and let the yarn overs fall off the needle\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last stitch, 1 selv.

**Row 22:** Knit to end of row.

**Row 23:** Purl to end of row.

**Row 24:** Knit to end of row.

**Row 25:** Purl to end of row.

Rows 6 – 25 forms the pattern. Repeat the pattern until the work measures approx. 140 cm.

End by working 4 rows in stockinette stitch. Bind off.

Weave in all ends and gently press according to the directions on the yarn label.

Tassels: Cut approx. 25 cm length of yarn. Group them together, so there are 3-4 in each tassel and tie them to each end of the blanket.

Optionally you can experiment with adding different yarns that you might have left over.

## MEASUREMENTS

100 cm x 140 cm

## YARN

Happy Fraya  
44% Baby Alpaca + 32% Fine Merino  
+ 22% Polyamid + 2% Viscose  
50 g = 110 m

## YARDAGE

400 g

## GAUGE

In stockinette stitch:

11 sts x 15 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm on  
UK size 2 [7 mm] needles.

## SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZE

UK size 2 [7 mm] circular needle,  
80 cm

Please note: The needle sizes given above are only suggestions. The size of the needles you need depends on your personal gauge. If you knit firmly you might need a large needle size, if you knit loosely you might need a smaller needle size.