



the georgia afghan

The original made by the club was quite generously sized and consisted of multiple panels. This throw is easily made all in one piece—which can make it a tad heavy as you get toward the finish, but it’s still manageable—and is meant to be just the right size to keep one person toasty while napping or, better yet, reading a book!

needles: Your project will knit up more quickly if you use thick yarn and bigger needles. Opt for number 15, 17, or 19 circular needles.

yarn: Be sure to use machine-washable yarn that’s soft to the touch. (Your fingers will thank you!) Visit your local yarn shop and choose something that appeals to your eyes, fingers, and Peri Pocketbook.

the pattern: A basic garter-stitch border kicks things off, and the interplay of knit 2 and purl 3 in the pattern creates a nice blocky texture and adds visual interest to the blanket.

Go to www.walkeranddaughter.com for detailed directions about basics such as how to cast on, how to knit or purl, and how to cast off.

Cast on 90 stitches.

Knit 10 rows.

