

RISE AND SHINE TEA COSY

■■■ Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Measures approx 34cm wide x 24cm high

PATONS TOTEM 8 PLY 50g balls

1 ball each Light Green, Dark Green, Blue, Yellow and White.

Small quantity Brown, Red and Black.

Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 3.25mm (UK 10) and 3.75mm (UK 9) knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- yarn bobs.
- fabric and wadding for lining.
- wool needle for sewing seams and embroidery.

TENSION

23.5 sts and 32 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 3.75mm needles.

To work a tension square, using 3.75mm needles, cast on 34 sts. Work 46 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Check your tension carefully.

If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

NOTE – This Cosy is worked on smaller needles and at a firmer tension than usually recommended for this yarn.

For abbreviations, embroidery stitches and more on knitting techniques, please see www.patonsyarns.com.au

FRONT

Using 3.25mm needles and Light Green, cast on 80 sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 3.75mm needles.

Beg Woolwind (Intarsia) Patt –

NOTE – When changing colours in centre of a row, twist the colour to be used (on wrong side) underneath and to the right of the colour just used, making sure yarns are worked firmly at joins. It is necessary to use a separate ball of yarn for each section of colour. To minimise tangles, wind small amounts of yarn onto yarn bobs. Unwind only enough yarn to knit the required sts, keeping bob close to work.

Working in stocking st, work rows 1 to 50 incl from Graph (see next page).

Shape Top –

Keeping Graph correct, dec one st at each end of next 10 rows ... 60 sts.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 14 rows.

Cast off rem 18 sts.



BACK

Work as for Front, noting to read odd numbered rows on graph (knit rows) from **left to right** and even numbered rows (purl rows) from **right to left** so that picture will be reversed.

TO MAKE UP

NOTE – We recommend using mattress stitch to sew up your cosy.

DO NOT PRESS. Using Chain Stitch and Yellow, embroider rays of sun. Using Satin Stitch, embroider sheep as pictured, using White for bodies and Black for heads and legs. Embroider flowers around lower edge (as pictured), using Bullion Stitch and Red for petals, French knots and Yellow for centres and Chain Stitch and Dark Green for leaves. Using mattress stitch, join front and back of cosy together, leaving cast-on edge open.

Using cosy as a template, cut 2 cosy shapes each from lining and wadding, noting to add 1cm for seam allowances. With wadding and lining together, join four pieces so that right sides of lining pieces will be facing on inside. Join together, leaving lower edge open. Insert lining and slip-stitch in place along lower edge and catch to cosy along seam.

Make a twisted cord, using 4 strands of Blue each 260cm long, attach to seam of cosy, twisting at centre to form a loop as pictured.



KEY

- = Work in colour indicated on Graph
- ▽ = Yellow
- = White
- = Brown

Broken lines = Chain Stitch

NOTE - When working from graph for Front of Cosy, read odd numbered rows (knit rows) from right to left and even numbered rows (purl rows) from left to right. When working Back of Cosy, read odd numbered rows (knit rows) from **left to right** and even numbered rows (purl rows) from **right to left**, so that picture will be reversed.



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