

**LANA GATTO**



**SUPER SOFT/NUOVO IRLANDA**

# CHECKED THROW

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**Skill Level:** intermediate

**How much yarn:** Super Soft yarn, 200 g for each of following shades: light grey no. 20439, grey no. 20742 and dark grey no. 20206

**Needles:** Pair of 5.00mm (no. 6) knitting needles  
Two 5.00mm (no. 6) Double-pointed (Dp) knitting needles

**Crochet hook:** A 5.00mm (no. 6) hook

**Sewing needle:** Yarn needle with rounded point

## STITCHES

**Using needles:** stocking stitch (st st)

**Using hook:** slip stitch (ss)

## TENSION

17 sts and 25 rows measure 10 cm square over st st with 5.00 mm (no. 6) needles.

## INSTRUCTIONS

The throw is made with 48 modular knitted squares worked in st st, whose 16 light grey, 16 grey and 16 dark grey. For each square, with with 5.00 mm (no. 6) needles cast on 26 sts and work 15 cm in st st, then cast off all sts.

## FINISHING

See throw layout and place squares as shown, alternating shades and working in st st or rev st st. With crochet hook join squares together, working a row of slip stitch: insert hook into both edges (an edge of a square and other edge of nearest square, in correspondence) every time, to form a ridge. Some squares will be more in relief and other squares less.

**Border:** work colour-on-colour. With Dp-needles cast on 3 sts, \* K2, slip next st, insert LH (left hand) needle

into throw border st and knit it. Pass slipped st over this knitted st: join in this manner border to throw. Do not turn, but slide sts to opposite end of needle; rep from \* to end, paying attention to create corners well-rounded. At end, cast off, cut yarn leaving a long end. With yarn needle, join cast-off sts to cast-on sts. Weave in all ends.

## LAYOUT

GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st	LIGHT GREY st st
LIGHT GREY st st	GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st
DARK GREY rev st st	LIGHT GREY st st	GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st
GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st	LIGHT GREY st st	GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st
LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st	LIGHT GREY st st	GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st
DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st	LIGHT GREY st st	GREY rev st st
GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st	LIGHT GREY st st
LIGHT GREY st st	GREY rev st st	DARK GREY st st	LIGHT GREY rev st st	GREY st st	DARK GREY rev st st

# TEAPOT COSY AND MUG COSY

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**Skill Level:** intermediate

**How much yarn:** 50 g Nuovo Irlanda yarn, in cream shade no. 978, for teapot cosy and for mug cosy

**Needles:** A pair of 6.00mm (no. 4) knitting needles  
A Double-pointed (Dp) needle

**Crochet hook:** A 6.00mm (no. 4) hook

**Sewing needle:** Yarn needle with rounded point

**Other items:** A wooden button for each cosy

## STITCHES

**Using hook:** chain (ch) - Slip stitch (ss)

**RAISED HALF TREBLE (HTR) BACK:** wrap the yarn around the hook, insert hook from back to front around post of the stitch in the previous row and complete half treble as usual.

**Using needles:** garter stitch (g st)

**DOUBLE CABLE PATT:** work over 16 sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K16. **Row 2 and next even rows:** P16. **Row 3:** K16. **Row 5:** 8 Right crossed stitches (= place next 4 sts onto Dp needle, on backside, K next 4 sts, K4 from Dp needle), 8 Left crossed stitches (= place next 4 sts onto Dp needle, on frontside, K next 4 sts, K4 from Dp needle). **Row 7:** K16. **Row 8:** P16. Rep Rows 1-8 throughout.

## INSTRUCTIONS TEAPOT COSY

With 6.00mm (no. 4) hook ch 19. Work 1 htr into 4th ch from hook and 1 htr into each ch to end. There are 17 htr. Turn. **Next row:** 2 ch, miss first st, 1 raised htr back into each of next sts to end. Turn. Rep last row 26 more

times. **Next row:** 2 ch, miss first st, 1 raised htr back into each of next 4 sts, for spout opening ch 7 and miss next 7 sts, work last 5 raised htr back, turn. **Next row:** 2 ch, miss first st, 1 raised htr back into each of next sts and 1 htr into each of 7 ch. At end, turn. **Next row:** 2 ch, miss first st, 1 raised htr back into each of next sts to end. Turn. Rep last row 25 more times. **Next row:** 2 ch, miss first st, 1 raised htr back into each of next 4 sts, for buttonhole ch 5 and miss next 7 sts, work last 5 raised htr back. Fasten off. With yarn needle join together first and last 3 corresponding stitches on first and last row. In the middle, there is an opening for handle. Sew button at center of an opening side, then insert it between two sts on opposite side, to close opening. With yarn needle, sew a row in running st along upper edge and along lower edge of cosy. Slip cosy on teapot and gather upper and lower rows, then weave in ends.

## INSTRUCTIONS MUG COSY

With 6.00mm (no. 4) needles cast on 6 sts. **Row 1:** \* kfb = knit into the front and back of st (=1 st increased); rep from \* to end. There are 12 sts. **Row 2:** \* kfb, rep from \* to end. There are 24 sts. There is a little point. Work as follows: 4 sts in g st, 16 sts in double cable patt and 4 sts in g st. When work measures approx 22cm from beg (or measurement required), end with a 8th row of patt. **Next row:** \* K2 tog, rep from \* to end: 12 sts rem. **Next row:** \* K2 tog, rep from \* to end: 6 sts rem. Cast off, without casting off last st. Place st on hook, ch 6 and 1 ss into first cast-off st. A buttonhole is created. Fasten off. Sew button on opposite end.

