

## Stitch 1 - Basket Stitch

The Basket Stitch is thought to represent the fisherman's basket and the hope of abundant catches.

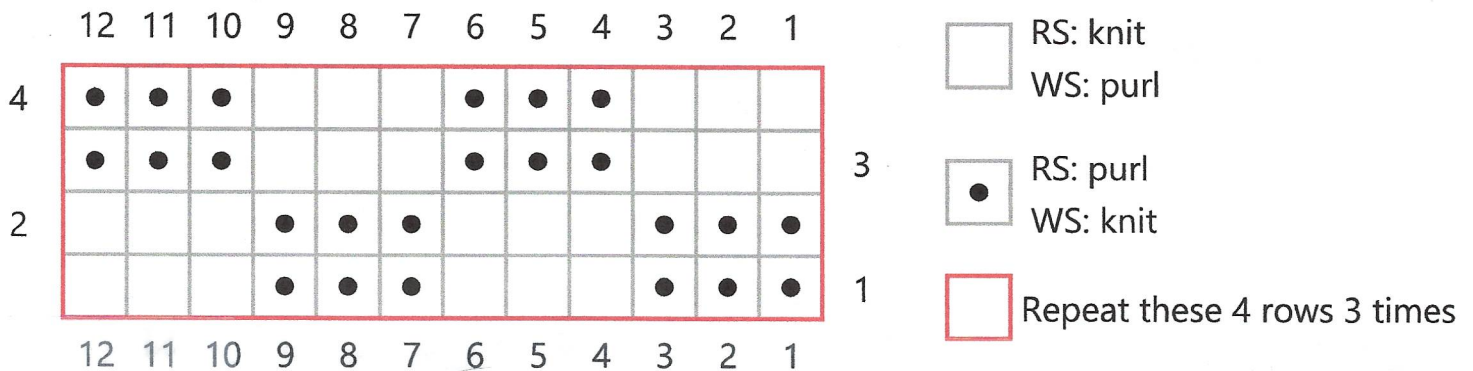
### Abbreviations:

RS = right side

WS = wrong side

### Basket Stitch

### Key



### Written Instructions:

Work the Hatch Stitch Borders before and after the 36 Basket Stitches.

Row 1: (RS) \*P3, K3, P3, K3\* repeat from \* to last marker before the left side border stitches.

Row 2: (WS) \*K3, P3, K3, P3\* repeat from \* to last marker before the right side boarder stitches.

Row 3: \*K3, P3, K3, P3\* repeat from \* to last marker before the left side border stitches.

Row 4: \*P3, K3, P3\* repeat from \*to last marker before the left side border stitches.

Repeat Rows 1-4 until 3 inches have been completed ending with Row 4.

Knit 6 rows (garter stitch) before starting Stitch 2 pattern.