



KNIT  
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EASY

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## Striped Bottle Cozy

*Decked out in festive stripes, this knit cozy is perfect for holiday gifting. Knit it in other colors and it can be ideal for any occasion.*

### What you will need:

**RED HEART® Super Saver®:**  
1 skein each 368 Paddy Green A,  
316 Soft White B, 320 Cornmeal  
C, 376 Burgundy D and 624 Tea  
Leaf E.

**Susan Bates® Double-Pointed  
needles:** 5mm [US 8]

Yarn needle, Stitch marker

**GAUGE:** 17 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 25  
rows = 4" [10 cm] in St st. **CHECK  
YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size  
needles to obtain the gauge.



**RED HEART® Super  
Saver®, Art. E300**  
available in solid color  
7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m);  
multicolor, heather and print 5 oz  
(141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5 oz  
(141g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins

SHOP KIT

Fits standard 750ml wine bottle  
**Finished circumference:** 10" [25 cm]  
**Height:** 12" [30 cm]

### NOTE

Bottle Cozy is worked in the round from the bottom up.

### BOTTLE COZY

With **A**, cast on 42 sts. Arrange stitches evenly around three double-pointed needles. Join, taking care not to twist sts. Place marker for beginning of round.

**Rounds 1-2:** Knit.

**Rounds 3-5:** Change to **B**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 6-8:** Change to **C**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 9-13:** Change to **D**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 14-15:** Change to **A**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 16-20:** Change to **D**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 21-23:** Change to **B**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 24-28:** Change to **E**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 29-31:** Change to **C**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 32-36:** Change to **A**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 37-38:** Change to **D**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 39-43:** Change to **A**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 44-45:** Change to **B**. Knit to end of round.

**Rounds 46-47:** Change to **E**. Knit to end of round.

**Round 48:** Change to **D**. Knit to end of round.

### Begin decrease rounds as follows:

**Round 1:** \*K5, k2tog; repeat from \* to end of Round - 36 sts.

**Round 2:** Knit.

**Round 3:** \*K4, k2tog; repeat from \* to end of round - 30 sts.

**Round 4:** Knit.

**Round 5:** \*K3, k2tog; repeat from \* to end of round - 24 sts.

**Round 6:** Knit.

**Round 7:** \*K2, k2tog; repeat from \* to end of round - 18 sts.

### NECK OF BOTTLE

Change to **A**.

**Round 1:** Knit.

**Rounds 2-13:** \*K2, P1; repeat from \* to end of round.

**Round 14:** Bind off sts tightly.

### FINISHING

With **A** cut an 18" [46 cm] piece of yarn and thread through yarn needle. With needle, weave in and out around neck of bottle, tie in a bow to secure. See photograph for placement. With **D**, make 2 pom-poms measuring approximately 2½" [6 cm] in diameter. Sew to ends of ties. Weave in ends.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**A** = Color A; **B** = Color B; **C** = Color C; **D** = Color D; **E** = Color E; **K** = knit; **K2tog** = Knit two stitches together; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = Purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **St st** = Stockinette stitch; **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; **\* or \*\*** = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.