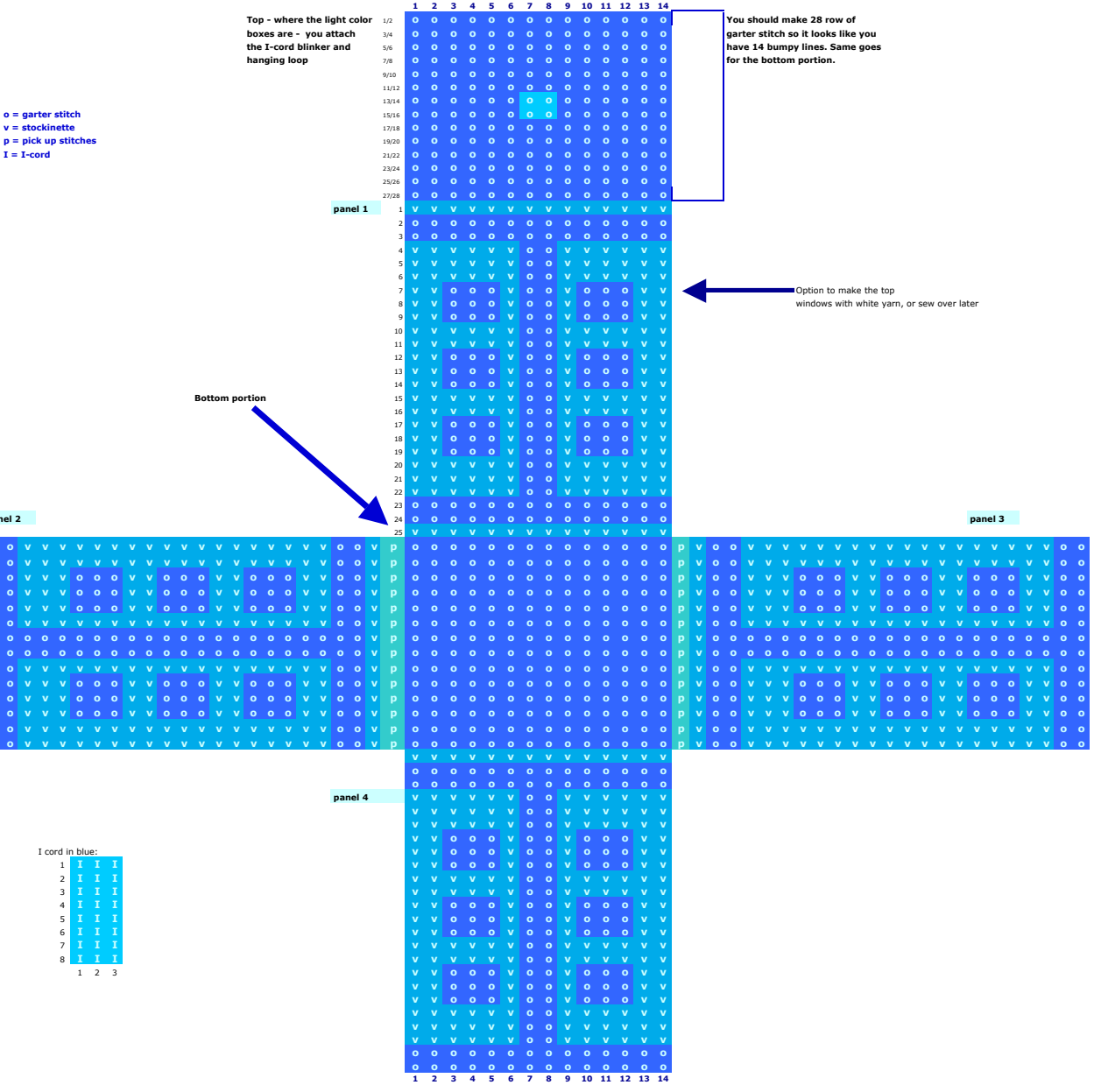


CHUBBY TARDIS PATTERN (large ornament or small toy)



pattern:
knit with lamb's pride worsted boy blue on US 6 needles. The different colors in the chart are to show differentiation of stitches (though two colors could look cool!)

the pattern is pretty simple - it's easier I feel to show in a chart. Basically - you're alternating between the bumps of garter and the v-stitches of stockinette. Simply, you're knitting the knits and purling the purls making sure the bumps are facing out.

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This is a pattern that was made to be modified and played with. there's many ways to assemble this quiv together. I want to make the very cool, much more accurate big blue box pattern someday at <http://www.entrophyhouse.com/penwiper/who/knittedardis.html> This can be fun simple ornament or small toy. blue box design, and someone with much better pattern skills than me can modify this into something wonderful :)

I knitted this as the top first, then panel 1, then the bottom portion, then panel 4. I then picked up 14 stitches on the sides for panels 2 and 3.

Cast on 14 stitches. Knit 28 rows for the top of the box to make a square (creating 14 bumpy lines you'll need to pick up stitches), then begin the chart pattern for panel 1. The Stockinette row is there to delineate where the panels start, and for better folding when assembling.

I then sewed it all together besides the top and filled it with stuffing and sewed it shut. It wanted desperately to be more of a round shape vs. a square, so I threaded the yarn and sort of criss crossed the yarn through the middle inside of the box. I chose to thread through the "doors" of the box pulling the yarn through and pulling it a little taught to pull in the panels of the box a little more. This gave the box more of a "box" shape.

I then made a very short 3-stitch I cord (8 rows), for the blinker on the top of the box. You can then either string some more yarn to hang it or I made another I-cord to attach it in white.

I chose to sew white yarn over the tardis once it was stuffed and sewn shut. In hindsight, I think I would have knitted the top 'windows' of the tardis white, but it was an xmas gift and I was in a hurry. Either way could work.