IN WINTER

a wrapped stitch motif resemmling bundles of wheat is paired with simple lace. knit using vibrant colors, this comforting shawl is sure to chase away winter blues.

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materials

yarn

Color A: Approximately 196 yards / 179 meters dk weight yarn.

Color B: Approximately 165 yards / 151 meters dk weight yarn.

Color C: Approximately 155 yards / 142 meters dk weight yarn.

yarn shown

Color A: Madelinetosh Tosh DK (225 yards / 205 meters per 115 grams) in Silver Fox

Color B: Madelinetosh Tosh DK (225 yards / 205 meters per 115 grams) in Button Jar Blue

Color C: Madelinetosh Tosh DK (225 yards / 205 meters per 115 grams) in Logwood

needles

Color A: US 6 (4 mm)

Colors B, C: US 8 (5 mm)

gauge

17 sts, 32 rows per 4in/10cm, garter stitch using smallest needle. 14 sts, 28 rows per 4 in/10cm, garter stitch using largest needle

notions

4 stitch markers

cable needle

darning needle

finished sizes

One: 56.75 in / 144.1 cm wingspan; 25.5 in / 64.8 cm depth

abbreviations

BO
bind off

CO
cast on

k

knit

kfb

knit through the front and back

m1p

make one purl

m1l

make one left

m1r

make one right

p

purl

pfb

purl through the front and back loop

pm

place marker

rpt

repeat

sts

stitches

special abbreviations: cables

C4B

slip 2 onto cable needle and hold in back, k2, k2 from cable needle

C4F

slip 2 onto cable needle and hold in front, k2, k2 from cable needle

special abbreviations

CN

cable needle

wrap3

k st, wrapping yarn around needle 3 times (instead of just once)

dropX

sl next X sts onto CN, dropping the extra loops. Wrap yarn around the sts from back to front, k X from CN.

Replace the X with the number (ex: 3, 5, 6) after 'drop' in the pattern.

Reference bottom for standard abbreviations.

instructions

set up

Using A and smallest needle, CO 3 sts.

k 6 rows, do not turn work.

Rotate work 90 degrees clockwise and pick up 6 sts (3 along the row edge, and 3 along the CO edge).
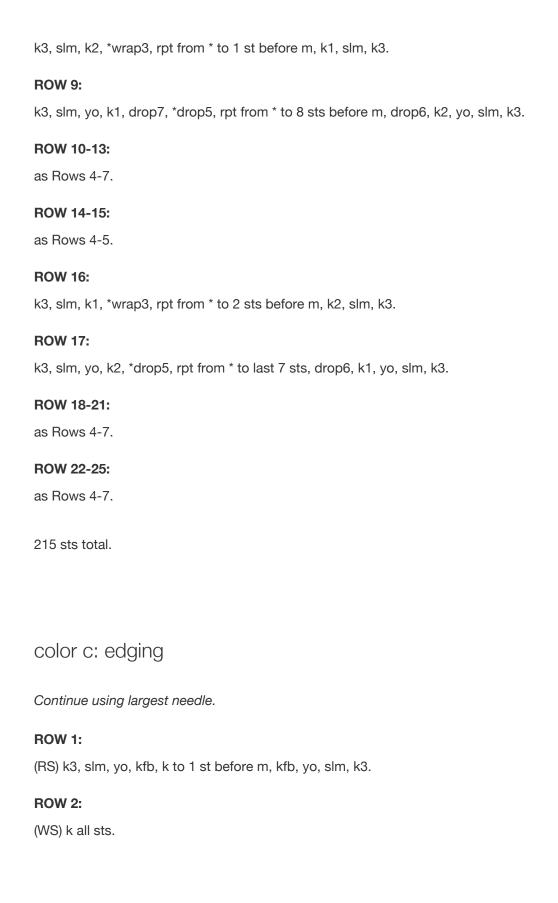
color a: body

ROW 1:

(RS) k3, pm, yo, k1, yo, pm, k1, pm, yo, k1, yo, pm, k3.

ROW 2:

(WS) k to 2nd m, slm, p1, slm, k to end.

ROW 3:

k3, slm, yo, k to m, yo, slm, k1, slm, yo, k to m, yo, slm, k3.

Repeat Rows 2-3 42 more times until you have 189 sts total.

color b: winter lace

Switch to largest needle.

ROW 1:

(RS) k3, slm, yo, k to last m (removing 2nd and 3rd markers as you come to them), yo, slm, k3.

ROW 2:

(WS) k3, slm, k2, *wrap3, rpt from * to 2 sts before m, k2, slm, k3.

ROW 3:

k3, slm, yo, k2, *drop5, rpt from * to 2 sts before m, k2, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 4:

k all sts.

ROW 5:

k3, slm, yo, k to m, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 6:

k all sts.

ROW 7:

k3, slm, yo, k to m, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 8:

k3, slm, k2, *wrap3, rpt from * to 1 st before m, k1, slm, k3.

ROW 9:

k3, slm, yo, k1, drop7, *drop5, rpt from * to 8 sts before m, drop6, k2, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 10-13:

as Rows 4-7.

ROW 14-15:

as Rows 4-5.

ROW 16:

k3, slm, k1, *wrap3, rpt from * to 2 sts before m, k2, slm, k3.

ROW 17:

k3, slm, yo, k2, *drop5, rpt from * to last 7 sts, drop6, k1, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 18-21:

as Rows 4-7.

ROW 22-25:

as Rows 4-7.

215 sts total.

color c: edging

Continue using largest needle.

ROW 1:

(RS) k3, slm, yo, kfb, k to 1 st before m, kfb, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 2:

(WS) k all sts.

ROW 3:

k3, slm, yo, *k2tog, yo, k1, rpt from * to m, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 4:

k all sts.

ROW 5:

k3, slm, yo, k to m, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 6:

k all sts.

ROW 7:

k3, slm, yo, k to m, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 8:

k3, slm, yo, *k2tog, yo, k1, rpt from * to m, yo, slm, k3.

ROW 9-12:

as Rows 5-8.

ROW 13-15:

as Rows 5-8.

finishing

BO all sts loosely. Be sure to take care when binding off as anything too tight will restrict the shape of the shawl.

Block gently.

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information

CURRENT VERSION: 1 (MARCH 21, 2015)

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