

Design by Jackie Daugherty <u>Size:</u> Approx. 57 inches wide x 26 inches long after blocking

Materials:

- Two skeins Malabrigo Arroyo or approx. 650 yds of DK weight yarn
- Size #5 circular needle or size needed to get gauge
- Ring marker
- Blocking board, wires and T-pins

Gauge: Unblocked gauge: 26 sts and 30 rows = 4 inches in pattern Gauge is not critical for this pattern.

The pattern is an easy-to-memorize K2, P2 repeat. On right-side rows, once the initial 2 edge stitches and increase is worked, the pattern is just a simple K2, P2 repeat to the center where the pattern is a mirror image to the end of the row. On wrong-side rows, knit the knit stitches and purl the purl stitches.



Two stitches are increased in each right-side row. No increases are made on wrong-side rows. Due to the nature of the stitch pattern, for best results use stretchy bind off and wet-block the finished shawl. Sample shawl was 40 inches wide x 26 inches long before blocking.

Directions

Cast on 4 sts. Row 1 (WS): Purl Row 2 (RS): K1, M1R, K2, M1L, k1 (6 sts) Row 3: Purl Row 4: K2, M1R, P1, PM (center), P1, M1L, k2 (8 sts) Row 5: P3, k2, p3 Row 6: K2, M1R, P2, slM, P2, M1L, k2 (10 sts) Row 7 and WS rows: Purl the purl sts and knit the knit sts Row 8: K2, M1R, k2, P1, slM, P1, k2, M1L, k2 (12 sts) Row 10: K2, M1R, k2, P2, slM, P2, k2, M1L, k2 (14 sts) Row 12: K2, M1R, *p2, k2; rep from * to 1 st before marker, p1, slM, p1, *k2, p2; rep from * to last 2 sts, M1L, k2 Row 14: K2, M1R, *p2, k2; rep from * to 2 sts before marker, p2, slM, p2, *k2, p2; rep from * to last 2 sts, M1L, k2 Row 16: K2, M1R, *p2, k2; rep from * to 3 sts before marker, p2, k1, slM, k1, p2, *k2, p2; rep from * to last 2 sts, M1L, k2 Row 18: K2, M1R, *p2, k2; rep from * to marker, sIM, *k2, p2; rep from * to last 2 sts, M1L, k2 Rep rows 12-19 until desired size is reached. (model ended with approximately 226 sts)

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Soak shawl in warm water for 20 minutes, roll in towel to remove excess water. Model shawl blocked to 66 inches wide by 27 inches long.

WS rows →

← RS rows

Repeat rows 12-19, but with additional K2, P2 repeats in between as shawl grows in width!

Chart Key:

- □ Knit on RS, Purl on WS
- Purl on RS, Knit on WS
- ☑ M1L
- ☑ M1R



ABBREVIATIONS: K=Knit P=Purl K2tog= Knit 2 together PM= Place marker SIM= slip marker Kf&b= Increase by knitting into the front & back of stitch. SSK= Slip 2 sts, one at a time as if to knit. Insert left needle into fronts of these 2 sts from left to right and K2tog in this position. Y/O= yarn over (bring yarn in between and then over right hand needle) WS= wrong side RS= right side M1L= with left needle pick up bar between st just worked and next st on left needle from front to back and knit through the back. M1R= with left needle pick up bar between st just worked and next st on left needle from back to front and knit through the front.

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