



Wavelet on the Bias

Materials

This knits up nicely either loose and lacy or close and warm.

Gauge not important. As a guide, the example used:

- 450m of
- light fingering yarn
- on 4.5mm needles
- for a scarf about 2.5m long
- with 12 increase and 12 decrease sections



Notes

Knitted on the bias [zigzag]. Uses short rows, increases, decreases, yarn overs and a fancy cast off. Surprisingly easy and fast to knit.

- kfb = knit into the front and then the back of the stitch to increase by 1
- yo = yarn over to increase by 1
- k2tog = knit 2 stitches together to decrease by 1
- p2tog = purl 2 stitches together to decrease by 1
- [p1. sl2 to L needle. p2tog] x 5 = purl 1. slip both stitches back onto left hand needle. purl them together. repeat for a total of 5 times

Cast on section

Cast on 2.

1. kfb. k1.
2. p1. k1. kfb.
3. kfb. yo. k2tog. k1.
4. p1. k to last stitch. kfb.
5. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
6. p1. k to last stitch. kfb.
7. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
8. p1. k until 3 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
9. kfb. k to last stitch. kfb.
10. p1. k until 5 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
11. k to last stitch. kfb. (12st)
12. p1. [p1. sl2 to L needle. p2tog] x 5. p to last stitch. kfb. (8st)

Increase rows (+ 4st)

1. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
2. p1. k to last stitch. kfb.
3. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
4. p1. k to last stitch. kfb.
5. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
6. p1. k to last stitch. kfb.
7. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
8. p1. k until 3 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
9. kfb. k to last stitch. kfb.
10. p1. k until 5 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
11. k to last stitch. kfb. (+10st)
12. p1. [p1. sl2 to L needle. p2tog] x 7. p to last. kfb. (-6st)

When the scarf is about half as long as you want; then switch from the increase rows to the decrease rows.

Decrease rows (- 4st)

1. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
2. p1. k to end.
3. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
4. p1. k to end.
5. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
6. p1. k to end.
7. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
8. p1. k until 3 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
9. k to last stitch. kfb.
10. p1. k until 5 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
11. k to last stitch. kfb. (+6st)
12. p1. [p1. sl2 to L needle. p2tog] x 10. p to last. (-10st)

When only 4 stitches remain, complete with the cast off section

Cast off section

1. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
2. p1. k to end.
3. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
4. p1. k to end.
5. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
6. p1. k to end.
7. kfb. yo. k2tog. k to end.
8. p1. k until 3 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
9. k to last stitch. kfb.
10. p1. k until 5 stitches are left on left hand needle. turn.
11. k to last stitch. kfb. (+6st)

Cast off: p1. [p1. sl2 to L needle. p2tog] x all stitches.

Gently wash and block to stretch out the points.

(<http://www.purlbee.com/knitting-tutorials-finishing/2006/11/13/blocking.html>)