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Waves of Grain Shawl

by Karen Champion



SUPPLIES

1 skein fingering weight yarn Approx 430 yds (I used Road Trip Sock Yarns Blazing Star Ranch colorway in 100% alpaca)

Sz 6 needles (I used 24" circulars)

Tapestry Needle

GAUGE: 24 st, 28-29 rows = 4 inches

(Not important for size, just for amount of yarn needed)



Complimentary pattern in honor of the 2022 Yarn Along the Rockies yarn crawl.

ABBREVIATIONS:

RS – Right Side

WS – Wrong Side

K – knit

P – purl

Kfb _ - knit into the front and back of the stitch (increase)

K2tog – knit 2 stitches together (decrease)

Sl1p – slip 1 purlwise

St – stitch (or stitches)

Yo – yarn over

Seed stitch - Seed stitch is a k1, p1 pattern that repeats to the end of a row, The next row is p1, k1 to the end of the row, So, you knit over a purl in the previous row and purl over a knit in the previous row, This pattern increases 1 stitch every 2 rows, so you'll have to pay attention to stay in pattern. On the RS, you always k1, p1 after the beginning kfb. On the WS, you'll have to alternate beginning with a k or p after the sl1 p, k2tog,, due to the variation in st count.

SET UP ROWS

CO 3

Row 1 (RS) kfb, knit to end (4 st)

Row 2 (WS) k1, k2tog, kfb (4 st)

Part 1

Row 1 (RS) kfb, k to last stitch, p1 (5 st)

Row 2 (WS) sl1p, k2tog, k to last stitch, kfb (5 st)

Now you will begin the seed stitch (see stitch glossary) part. Each RS row will begin with kfb and end with p1.

Each WS row will begin with sl1p, k2tog and end with kfb.

Row 3 (RS) kfb, k1, p1 across, ending with p1

Row 4 (WS) sl1p, k2tog, p1, k1 (or k1, p1 as needed to stay in seed stitch pattern) to last stitch, kfb

Repeat rows 3 and 4 til you have 36 stitches.

Part 2

Row 1 (RS) kfb, knit to last stitch, p1

Row 2 (WS), sl1p, k2tog, purl to last stitch, kfb (37 st)

Row 3 kfb, k to last stitch, p1

Row 4 sl1p, k2tog, purl to last stitch, kfb (38 st)

Row 5 kfb, k to last stitch, p1

Row 6 sl1p, k2tog, purl to last stitch, kfb (39 st)

Row 7 kfb, k2, *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to last 4 st. K2, p1

Row 8: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (40 st)

Rows 9-14: Repeat Rows 1-6. (43 st)

Row 15: kfb, k4 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 5 st. k4, p1.

Row 16: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (44 st)

Rows 17-22: Repeat Rows 1-6 (47 St)

Row 23: kfb, *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to last 2 st. K1, p1

Row 24: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (48 st)

Rows 25-30: Repeat Rows 1-6 (51 st)

Part 3:

Row 1 kfb, *k1, p1* repeat from *-* to last stitch. P1

Row 2 sl1p, k2tog, start seed stitch. K or purl the 1 st st to keep in pattern. Go to last st. Kfb (52)

Repeat rows 1-2 7 more times. (59 st)

Part 4:

Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (62 st)

Row 7: kfb, k3 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 3 st. k2, p1.

Row 8: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (63 st)

Rows 9-14: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (66 st)

Row 15: : kfb, k5 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 4 st. k5, p1.

Row 16: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (67 st)

Rows 17-22: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (70 st)

Row 23: kfb, k1 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 2 st. k1, p1.

Row 24: : sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (71 st)

Rows 25-30: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2. (74 st)

Part 5

Repeat Part 3 Seed stitch (82 st)

Part 6:

Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (85 st)

Row 7: kfb, k3 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 4 st. k3, p1.

Row 8: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (86 st)

Rows 9-14: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2. (89 st)

Row 15: kfb, k5 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 6 st. k5, p1.

Row 16: : sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (90 st)

Rows 17-22: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2. (93 st)

Row 23: kfb, k2 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 2 st. k1, p1.

Row 24: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (94 st)

Rows 25-30 Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (97 st)

Part 7:

Repeat Part 3: Seed stitch (105 st)

Part 8:

Rows 1-6: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (108 st)

Row 7: kfb, k4 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 4 st. k3, p1.

Row 8: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (109 st)

Rows 9-14: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2. (112 st)

Row 15: kfb, *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last st. p1.

Row 16: : sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (113 st)

Rows 17 -22: Repeat Rows 1-6 from part 2 (116 st)

Row 23: : kfb, k3 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 3 st. k2, p1

Row 24: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (117 st)

Rows 25- 30: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (120 st)

Part 9:

Repeat Part 3 (128 st)

Part 10:

Rows 1-6 Repeat Rows 1-6 from part 2 (131 st)

Row 7: kfb, k4 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 5 st. k4, p1

Row 8: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (132 st)

Rows 9-14: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Section 2. (135 st)

Row 15: kfb, *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 2 st. k1, p1

Row 16: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (136 st)

Rows 17-22: Repeat Rows 1-6 from Section 2 (139 st)

Row 23: kfb, k3 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 3 st. k2, p1

Row 24: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (140 st)

Row 25-30 Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2 (143 st)

Row 31: kfb, k5 *(k2tog) twice, (yo, k1) 3 times, yo, (ssk) twice, repeat from * to the last 5 st. k4, p1

Row 32: sl1p, k2tog, Purl to last stitch, kfb (144 st)

Rows 33-38 Repeat Rows 1-6 from Part 2. (147 st)

Part 11:

Rows 39-46 Seed St (152)

BO. You can use a stretchy bind off if you like.

You will be very close to using all the yarn. If you see that you are running out, you can adjust the number of seed stitch rows at the end.