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SIZES

One Size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Width: 42"

Length: 62"

MATERIALS

Fibra Natura Donnina (100% superwash extrafine merino; 50g/180 yds)

- 224 Navy (A) – 1 ball
- 210 Sweet Pea (B) – 3 balls
- 201 Vanilla (C) – 2 balls

Needles: US size 7 (4.5 mm) 24" circular or longer (to accommodate large number of sts) or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers

GAUGE

19 sts x 38 rows = 4" in garter st

Save time, check your gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

An oversized shawl is one of our favorite things. Getting lost in the soft comfort of the yarn and delicious colors reminds us of a nostalgic sweet treat. The aptly named Cotton Candy Shawl is wonderfully fun to make. Simple garter stitch allows you to focus on the modular construction and gorgeous Donnina yarn. The bright shades and color blocking mean you can wear this beauty year-round.

This shawl is knit modularly, beginning with a mitered square. Stitches are then picked up along the side of the square for each wing of the shawl. Each wing is decreased at a different rate. Finally, stitches are picked up along the side and bottom for a contrast-color edging. A diagram is included to help you visualize the construction.



SHAWL

Central Mitered Square

With color A, cast on 201 sts.

Row 1 (RS): K100, pm, p1, pm, k100.

Row 2 (Dec Row): Knit to 2 sts bef m, ssk, sl m, k1, sl m, k2tog, knit to end – 2 sts dec'd, 199 sts rem.

Row 3 (Even Row): Knit to m, sl m, p1, sl m, knit to end.

Rep Rows 2-3, 3 more times – 6 sts dec'd, 193 sts rem. Break color A, change to color B.

With color B, rep Rows 2-3, 16 times – 32 sts dec'd, 161 sts rem. Break color B, change to color C.

With color C, rep Rows 2-3, 24 times – 48 sts dec'd, 113 sts rem. Break color C, change to color B.

With color B, rep Rows 2-3, 38 times – 76 sts dec'd, 37 sts rem. Break color B, change to color A.

With color A, rep Rows 2-3, 17 times – 34 sts dec'd, 3 sts rem.

Next Row: K3tog – 1 st rem.

Bind off rem st.

Upper Wing

With color C and RS facing, beg at center of cast-on edge of Central Mitered Square. Pick up and knit 100 sts along cast-on edge.

Row 1 (WS): Knit.

Row 2 (RS): K2, ssk, knit to end – 1 st dec'd, 99 sts rem.

Rows 3-4: Knit.

Rep Rows 1-4, 71 more times – 71 sts dec'd, 28 sts rem. Break color C, change to color A.

With color A, rep Rows 1-4, 24 more times – 24 sts dec'd, 4 sts rem.

Next Row (WS): Knit.

Next Row (RS): K1, ssk, k1 – 1 st dec'd, 3 sts rem.

Next Row: Knit.

Next Row: K1, ssk – 1 st dec'd, 2 sts rem.

Next Row: K2tog – 1 st dec'd, 1 st rem. Bind off rem st.

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Lower Wing

With color B and RS facing, beg at corner of cast-on edge of Central Mitered Square. Pick up and knit 100 sts along cast-on edge.

Row 1 (WS): Knit.

Row 2 (RS): Knit to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – 1 st dec'd, 99 sts rem.

Rep Rows 1-2, 95 more times – 95 sts dec'd, 4 sts rem.

Next Row (WS): Knit.

Next Row (RS): K1, k2tog, k1 – 1 st dec'd, 3 sts rem.

Next Row: Knit.

Next Row: K1, k2tog – 1 st dec'd, 2 sts rem.

Next Row: Ssk – 1 st dec'd, 1 st rem.
Bind off rem st.

Edging

With color A and RS facing, beg at upper corner of Upper Wing. Pick up and knit 194 sts along side of Upper Wing, 99 sts along side of Central Mitered Square, 1 st at corner of Central Mitered Square, 99 sts along side of Central Mitered Square, and 98 sts along side of Lower Wing – 491 sts.

Row 1 (WS): Knit.

Bind off all sts kwise.

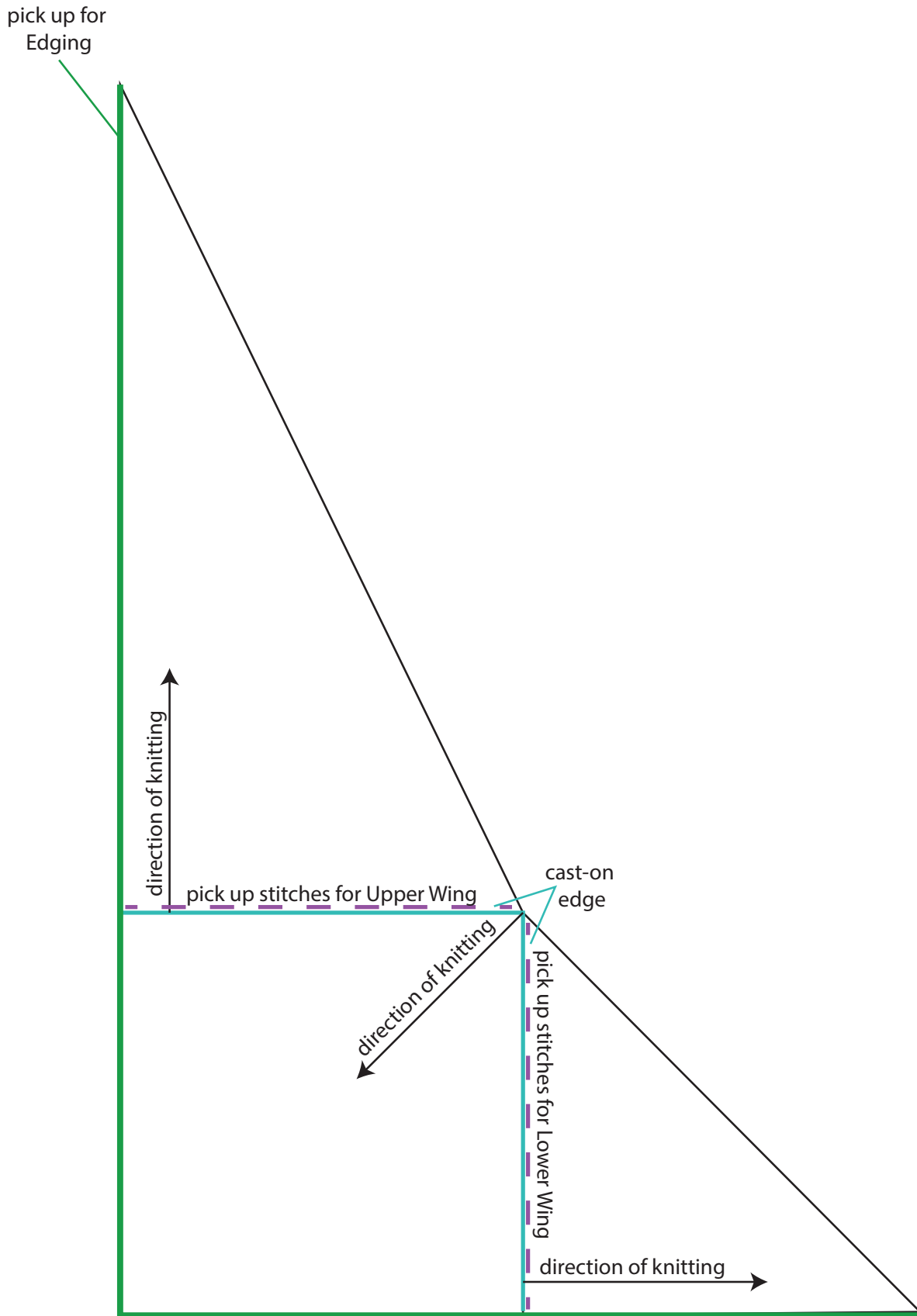
FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.



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Abbreviations

approx	approximately	RS	right side
beg	begin(ning)	S2KP2	slip 2 stitches as if to knit 2 together, knit 1, pass 2 slipped stitches over knit stitch; centered double decreases
circ	circular		
cn	cable needle		
cont	continue		
dec('d)	decrease(d)		
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)	sl	slip
est'd	established	ssk	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
inc('d)	increase(d)		
k	knit		
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)		
k3tog	knit 3 stitches together (2 sts dec'd)	ssp	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, purl them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
kfb	knit into front and back of next st (1 st inc'd)		
kwise	knitwise		
m	marker		
m1	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)	SSPP2	slip 2 stitches knitwise, return these 2 stitches to left needle and then slip them as if to p2tog through back loops, purl 1, pass 2 slipped stitches over purl stitch; centered double decrease
m1L	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)	St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
m1L	insert left needle from back to front under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the front loop (1 st inc'd)	st(s)	stitch(es)
		tbl	through the back loop(s)
		WS	wrong side
		yo	yarnover
meas	measures		
ndl	needle		
p	purl		
p2tog	purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)		
patt	pattern		
pm	place marker		
pwise	purlwise		
rem	remain(ing)		
rep	repeat		
rnd	round		

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