

PATTERN COLLECTION

Accessories



Helmsley

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DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZE

One Size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Width (at widest edge): 24"

Length: 67½"

MATERIALS

<u>Universal Yarn Vireo</u> (80% Tencel, 20% wool; 100g / 206 yds)

• 110 Rosewater - 2 skeins (see pattern notes)

Needles: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 16" circular (to accommodate large number of sts) or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers

GAUGE

18 sts x 24 rows = 4" in Stockinette stitch (St st)

Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

Rhythmic lace, simple shaping, and gorgeous yarn are all the ingredients necessary for the perfect springtime shawl, and Helmsley is just that. Worked in Vireo, a lovely blend of Tencel and wool, this shawl features fabulous drape, a subtle sheen, and stitch definition that makes the lace motif simply pop. The easily-memorized lace pattern is balanced out with soothing stockinette, and simple decreases worked every fourth row for a long, lightweight accessory you'll love wearing during the warm weather months.

This shawl is knit flat from the bottom up, starting at the widest edge and decreasing to the tip. You may wish to place stitch markers between each repeat of the Horseshoe Lace pattern to help you stay on track.

Please note that this shawl makes the most of 2 skeins of Vireo. You may wish to purchase an extra skein of yarn as insurance, and you will need to unravel your swatch.

STITCH GUIDE

Horseshoe Lace

(multiple of 10 sts, plus 1)

Row 1 (RS): * K1, yo, k3, S2KP2, k3, yo; rep from * to last st. k1.

WS Rows 2-8: Purl.

Row 3: * K2, yo, k2, S2KP2, k2, yo, k1; rep from *

Row 5: * K3, yo, k1, S2KP2, k1, yo, k2; rep from * to

Row 7: * K4, yo, S2KP2, yo, k3; rep from * to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 1-8 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS

Cast on 3 sts, pm, cast on 51 sts, pm, cast on 50 sts, pm, cast on 3 sts – 107 sts.

Establish Pattern and Begin Shaping

Row 1 (RS Dec Row): K3, sl m, ssk, knit to m, sl m, work Horseshoe Lace to m, sl m, k3 – 1 st dec'd, 106 sts rem. Horseshoe Lace patt will be repeated 5 times across each row.

Row 2 (WS): K3, sl m, work Horseshoe Lace to m, sl m, purl to m, sl m k3.

Row 3: K3, sl m, knit to m, sl m, work Horseshoe Lace to m, sl m, k3.

Row 4: Rep Row 2.

Rep Rows 1-4, 49 more times – 49 sts dec'd, 57 sts rem.



Lace Decrease Section

Note: Maintain Horseshoe Lace pattern as established as much as possible through this section. If there are not enough stitches to complete decreases with their corresponding yarnover increases in the pattern stitch, work these extra stitches in Stockinette stitch instead.

Row 1 (RS Dec Row): K3, sl m, ssk, cont in Horseshoe Lace patt to m, sl m, k3 - 1 st dec'd, 56 sts rem

Rows 2-4: Cont even in patt as est'd to end. Rep Rows 1-4, 49 more times - 49 sts dec'd, 7 sts rem

Shape Tip

Row 1 (RS): K3, ssk, k2 - 1 st dec'd, 6 sts rem.

Row 2 (WS): K2, p1, k3.

Row 3: K3, ssk, k1 - 1 st dec'd, 5 sts rem.

Row 4: K1, p1, k3.

Row 5: K3, ssk - 1 st dec'd, 4 sts rem.

Row 6: Knit.

Row 7: K2, ssk - 1st dec'd, 3 sts rem.

Row 8: Knit.

Row 9: K1, ssk - 1 st dec'd, 2 sts rem.

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Row 10: Knit.
Bind off rem 2 sts.

FINISHING

Weave in ends but do not trim. Wet or steam block, stretching to enhance lace. Once piece is fully dry, trim ends close to work.

Abbreviations

cont continue dec('d) decrease(d) est'd established k knit m marker place marker pm rem remain repeat rep RS right side

S2KP2 slip 2 stitches as if to knit 2

together, knit 1, pass 2 slipped stitches over knit stitch; centered

double decreases

sl slip

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)

st(s) stitch(es)

St st Stockinette stitch (knit on RS

rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd,

knit every rnd)

WS wrong side yo yarn over

Horseshoe Lace 8 7 6 0 0 5 4 0 0 3 2 То 1 10 stitch repeat Key pattern repeat knit on RS, purl on WS O yarn over

S2KP2

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