



The Interesting Bits

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Shawl Version

FINISHED SIZE

Shawl: About 65" wide along upper edge, and 32" long from center of upper edge to lower point, after blocking

Scarf: About 6½" wide and 78" long

*MATERIALS**Shawl:*

Manos del Uruguay MILO (65% merino wool, 35% linen; approx. 100g / 380 yds): 2 sks of MC and 1 sk of CC.

Shown in i2220 Roma (MC) and i8881 Beehive (CC)

Scarf:

Manos del Uruguay FELIZ (70% superwash merino, 30% modal; approx. 100g / 350 yds): 1 sk each of MC and CC.

Shown in Z2206 Mulberry (MC) and Z9089 Huarache (CC)

US 5 (3.75mm) 29" circular needle, or size needed to obtain gauge.

Stitch markers

Waste yarn for provisional cast-on

Tapestry needle

GAUGE

22 sts and 40 rows = 4" / 10 cm in pattern from Belted Stripes chart, blocked.

NOTES

When working the chart pattern it is not necessary to break the yarns at the color changes. Carry the unused color loosely up the side of the work to where it is needed again, twisting the yarns at the start of each RS row to avoid long floats.

The first time you work Rows 1–16 of the Belted Stripes chart there will be enough stitches to work the pattern repeat 12 times (for the shawl) or 14 times (for the scarf) in each of the two chart sections.

Every time you complete Rows 1–16, enough new stitches will have been added to work the pattern repeat two additional times in each section. For example, after completing Rows 1–16 of the chart the first time, 24 stitches will have been added to each chart section.

When you begin again with Row 1, there will be enough stitches to work the 12-stitch red pattern repeat box 16 (or 18) times in each section. The next time you start over again with Row 1, there will be enough stitches to work the red repeat box 15 times in each section, and so on.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg: beginning

BO: bind off

CO: cast on

k: knit

m: marker

p: purl

pm: place marker

rep: repeat(s), repeating

RS: right side

sl: slip

st(s): stitch(es)

St st: stockinette stitch

WS: wrong side

wyib: with yarn in back

wyif: with yarn in front

yo: yarnover (1 stitch increased)

STITCH GUIDE

Kyok: Work k1, yo, k1 all in same stitch. (2 sts increased)

3 Long Slipstitches (worked over 3 sts and 5 rows)

Setup row (WS): With MC, purl the next 3 sts, wrapping yarn twice around needle for each st.

Next row (RS): Sl 3 double-wrapped sts purlwise wyib, dropping extra wraps.

Next row: Sl 3 elongated sts purlwise wyif.

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On the following RS row, work the 3 slipstitches normally as k3 with MC when you come to them.

*INSTRUCTIONS**SHAWL**Garter tab*

Using MC and the provisional method of your choice, CO 3 sts. Knit 6 rows; do not turn the work at the end of the last row. With the same side facing, rotate the piece 90 degrees so the selvedge is across the top, pick up and knit 3 sts along selvedge (1 st for each garter ridge), then knit 3 sts from provisional CO edge—9 sts.

Setup

Next row (RS): K3, pm, work Row 1 of Setup Chart, pm, k1, (center st), pm, work Row 1 of Setup Chart, pm, k3—13 sts; 3 sts each chart section, 3 edge sts each side, 1 center st.

Next row (WS): K3, p to last 3 sts, k3. (This is Row 2 of Setup Chart.)

Continue pattern in chart sections as established, keeping 3 sts at each end of row in garter st and center st in St st, and work rows 3–7 of Setup Chart —29 sts; 11 sts each chart section, 3 edge sts each side, 1 center st.

Rep Setup Rows 8–11 23x, then rep Row 8 once more — 305 sts.

Body

Working edge sts and center st as established in setup, cont with the Belted Stripe Chart, beg with Row 1. Work rows 1–16 of Belted Stripe Chart 4 times, then rep rows 1–8 once more — 521 sts; 257 sts each chart section, 3 edge sts each side, 1 center st. Break CC.

Work Rows 1–3 once more, ending with a RS row — 533 sts; 263 sts each chart section, 3 edge sts each side, 1 center st.

With MC, knit 3 rows. BO all sts knitwise.

SCARF

With MC, CO 357 sts. Set-up Row: K3, pm, k175, pm, k1, pm, k175, pm, k3. Knit 2 rows. Beg with Row 3, work Belted Stripe Chart through Row 16, then work rows 1–16 twice, then rows 1–11 once more — 533 sts; 263 sts each chart section, 3 edge sts each side, 1 center st. Break CC.

With MC, knit 3 rows. BO all sts knitwise.

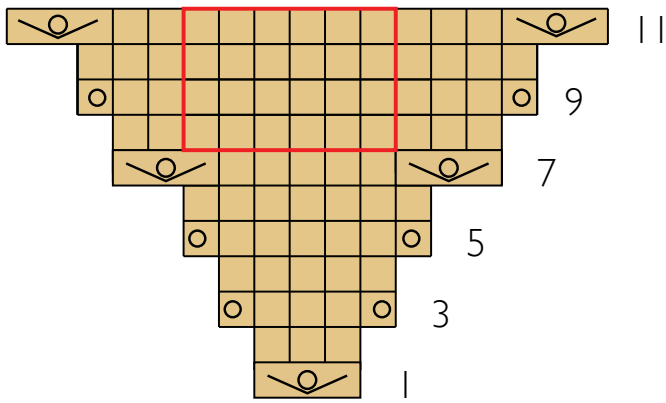
FINISHING

Block to measurements. Weave in ends.



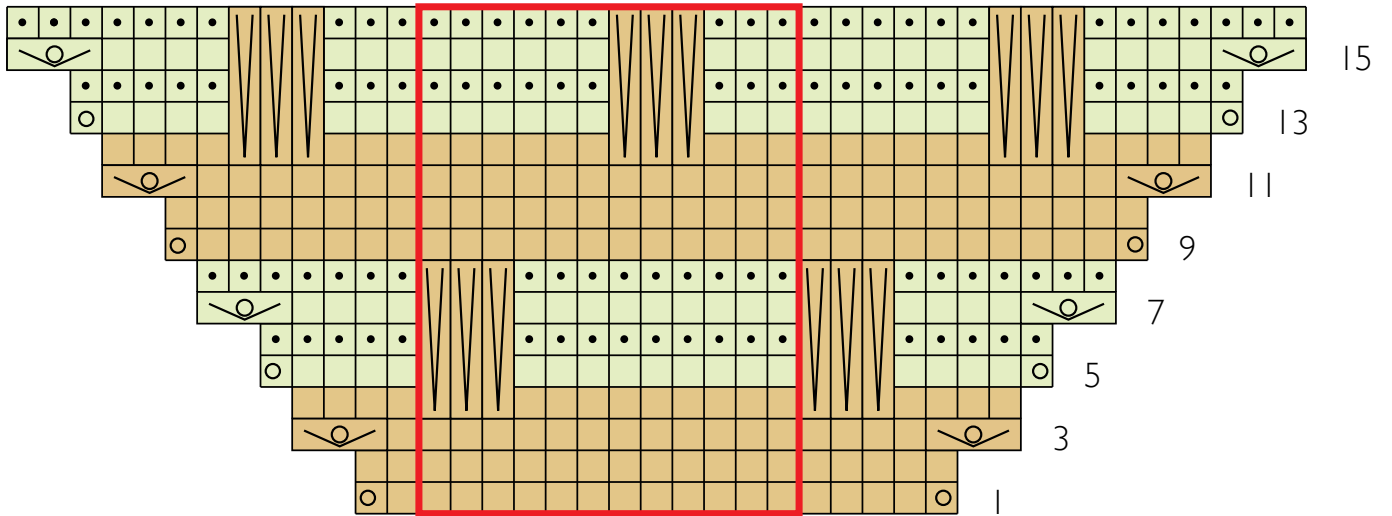
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Setup Chart



- knit on RS, purl on WS with MC
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- knit on RS, purl on WS with CC
- purl on RS, knit on WS with CC
- yo with color shown
- pattern repeat
- kyok with color shown (see Stitch Guide)
- 3 long slipstitches with MC (see Stitch Guide)

Belted Stripes Chart



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