



Meadowgrass Shawl

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SIZES

67½" wingspan x 14" deep

MATERIALS

Manos del Uruguay FINO (70% extrafine merino, 30% silk; approx. 100g/490 yds),

1 sk MC.

Manos del Uruguay CABRITO (80% kid mohair, 20% polyamide; approx. 230yds/ 25g):

1 sk each C1 and C2.

Shown in 414 Ivory Letter-Opener (MC), R2305 Aloe (C1), and R9609 Meadow (C2).

US 8/5mm 24" or 36" circular needle, or size to obtain gauge

1 locking stitch marker

Tapestry needle

GAUGE

18 stitches = 4" in Garter Stitch with 1 strand MC + 1 strand CC held together

NOTES

Yarn is held double throughout.

Do not cut Cabrito after each stripe; carry yarn not in use up side of work.

ABBREVIATIONS

k: knit

kfb: knit into front then back of same stitch (1 stitch increased)

k2tog: knit 2 stitches together (1 stitch decreased)

LH: left-hand

RH: right-hand

RS: right side

p: purl

p2tog: purl 2 stitches together (1 stitch decreased)

st(s): stitch(es)

WS: wrong side

wyif: with yarn in front



INSTRUCTIONS

With MC and C1, cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (RS): K3, kfb, k1. (6 sts)

Row 2: K1, kfb, k1, sl 3 wyif. (7 sts) Turn and place locking marker on RS of fabric. Move this marker up as needed to identify RS of shawl.

Row 3: Drop C1 and join C2: K1, k2tog, k to last 2 sts, kfb, k1. (no change in st count)

Row 4: K1, kfb, k to last 3 sts, sl 3 wyif. (1 st increased)

Row 5: Drop C2 and pick up C1: K1, k2tog, k to last 2 sts, kfb, k1. (no change in st count)

Row 6 (WS): As Row 4

Continue repeating Rows 3 - 6, alternating C1 and C2 every other ridge until 130 sts are on the needles, or 6 yards remain of C1, whichever comes first.

Bind off in MC + C1: With RS facing, on LH needle and using the backward-loop cast-on method, CO 3 sts. *P2, p2tog; slip the 3 sts on the RH needle back to LH needle; rep from * until 3 sts remain; BO 3 knitwise. Cut yarn and fasten off last st.

FINISHING

Weave in ends and gently steam to finished size.

