

X Marks the Spot by Amanda Rios

Materials:

5 Skeins of fingering weight yarn / approx. 400 yards each
US size 10, 24" circular needles
Darning needle

Gauge:

15 sts = 4" in Stockinette Stitch

Finished Size:

12.5" wide x 74" long

Abbreviations:

K: knit
Kfb: knit 1 into the front and back of a stitch; 1 stitch increased
K2tog: knit 2 stitches together; 1 stitch decreased
P: purl
RS: right side
Sk2p: slip 1 stitch knitwise, knit 2 together, pass slip stitch over knit 2 together; 2 stitches decreased
Sl3: slip 3 stitches purlwise
Ssk: slip, slip, knit; 1 stitch decreased
WS: wrong side
Wyib: with yarn in back
Wyif: with yarn in front
Yo: yarn over

Lace Section:

Row 1 (RS): Sl3wyib, kfb, (yo, sk2p, yo, k1) repeat to last 7 sts, k2, k2tog, k3.

Row 2: Sl3 wyif, p to end.

Row 3: Sl3 wyib, kfb, k3, (yo, sk2p, yo, k1) repeat to last 8 sts, yo, sk2p, yo, k2tog, k3.

Row 4: Sl3 wyif, p to end.

Row 5: Sl3 wyib, kfb, k2, (yo, sk2p, yo, k1) repeat to last 5 sts, k2tog, k3.

Row 6: Sl3 wyif, p to end.

Row 7: Sl3 wyib, kfb, k1, (yo, sk2p, yo, k1) repeat to last 6 sts, k1, k2tog, k3.

Row 8: Sl3 wyif, p to end.

Stockinette Section:

Row 1 (RS): Sl3 wyib, kfb, k to last 5 sts, k2tog, k3.

Row 2: Sl3 wyif, p to end.

Instructions:

With 2 strands held together (Color A & B), cast on 59 stitches.

Setup Rows:

Row 1 (WS): Sl3 wyif, (k1, p1) to last 4 sts, k1, p3.

Row 2: Sl3 wyib, (p1, k1) to last 4 sts, p1, k3.

Row 3: Sl3 wyif, (k1, p1) to last 4 sts, k1, p3.

Repeat rows 2-3, once more.

Work Lace Section rows 1-6.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 20 times.

Work Lace Section rows 1-8, then rows 1-2, once more.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 17 times.

Work Lace Section rows 1-8, then rows 1-2, once more.

Cut Color A.

Holding Color B and C together:

Work Lace Section rows 3-4.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 14 times.

Work Lace Section rows 1-8, 2 times then rows 1-2, once more.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 11 times.

Work Lace Section rows 1-8, 2 times then rows 1-2, once more.

Cut Color B.

Holding Color C and D together:

Work Lace Section rows 3-6.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 8 times.

Work Lace Section rows 1-8, 3 times, then 1-2, once more.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 5 times.

Work Lace Section rows 1-8, 3 times, then 1-2, once more.

Cut Color C.

Holding Color D and E together:

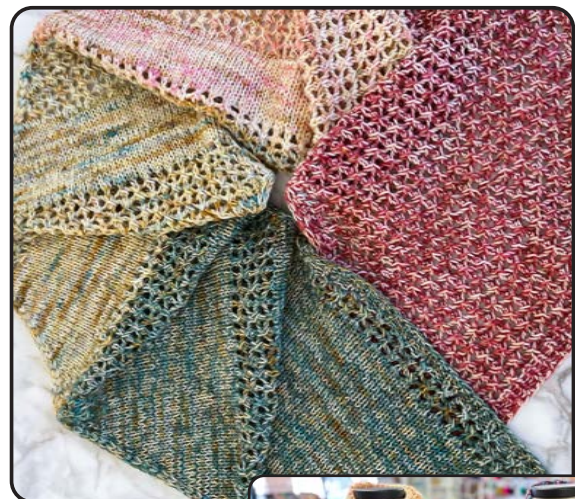
Work Lace Section rows 3-6.

Work Stockinette Section rows 1-2, 2 times.

Work Lace Section row 1-8, 9 times.

Work setup rows 2-3, 2 times, then row 2 once more.

Bind off loosely in pattern.



Enjoy!

"X Marks the Spot" is the knitted sister to the crocheted design "Going on a Treasure Hunt" by Lisa Martin. Lisa and Amanda worked hand in hand to create these lovely wraps that complement each other. Their hope is that as knitters and crocheters sit together working on these projects they can enjoy the similarities and differences these 2 designs have.