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Connected Rectangles Shawl

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Level: Intermediate



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Length: 60"

Width: 18"

MATERIALS

Deborah Norville Collection® *Everyday Soft* Worsted by Premier® Yarns (100% anti-pilling acrylic, 113g/203 yds)

- #100-12 Black (MC) – 3 skeins
- #100-23 Mist (CC) – 3 skeins

Needle: US Size 10 (6mm) 29" circular needle and dpns (optional) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: 4 Stitch markers (one of a different color), tapestry needle

GAUGE

14 sts x 22 rows = 4" in stitch pattern

Save time, check your gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

Each rectangle begins at the outer edge and decreases toward the center. Change to double pointed needles when sts no longer fit on circular needles. Each new rectangle is picked up along one edge of the previous rectangle. Decreases are worked on each side of markers every odd numbered rnd. On dec rnds, work dec, work in patt to last 2 sts before marker, then dec.

STITCH GUIDE

Mitered Square

Rnd 1: Using MC, *k2tog, knit to 2 sts before m, ssk; rep from * around.

Rnd 2: Using MC, purl.

Rnd 3: Using MC, *k2tog, (yo, k2tog) to 2 sts before m, ssk; rep from * around.

Rnd 4: Using MC, knit.

Rnd 5: Using MC, *k2tog, knit to 2 sts before m, k2tog; rep from * around.

Rnd 6: Using CC, knit.

Rnd 7: Using CC, *k2tog, knit to 2 sts before m, ssk; rep from * around.

Rnd 8: Using CC, *k1, p1; rep from * around.

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Rnd 9: Using CC, *k2tog, knit to 2 sts before m, ssk; rep from * around.

Rnd 10: Using CC, knit.

Rep Rnds 1-10, 4 times – 80 sts dec'd.

Three-needle Bind off: Divide rem sts evenly on 2 dpns. Hold needles in left hand and, using a third needle, knit tog one st from front needle with one st from back needle. Rep with next 2 sts, then lift the first st on right needle over second st and drop it off the right-hand needle (one st remains). Repeat this process until you have only one st left. Fasten off last st.

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Rectangle #1

Using MC and circular needles, * cast on 42 sts, pm, cast on 62 sts, pm, rep from * once, placing different colored marker last for beg of rnd – 208 sts.

Work in Mitered Square patt until 2 sts rem bet markers on the short sides of the rectangle. Close the center using the 3-needle bind off method – 22 sts on each needle.

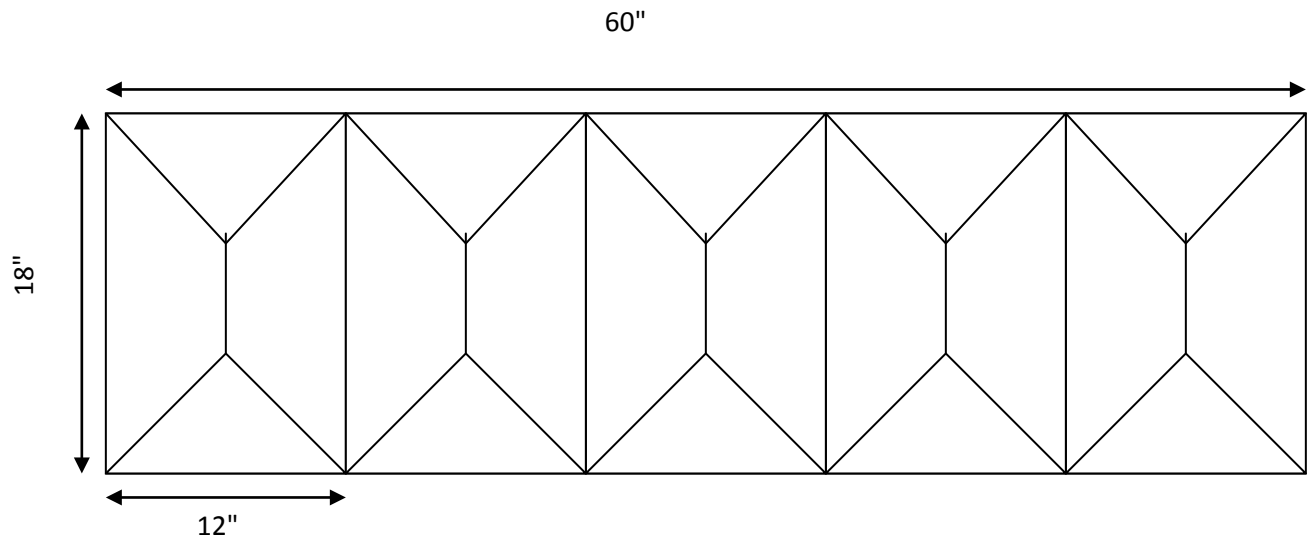
Cut yarn and pull through last st. Finish off.

Rectangles# 2 -# 5

Using MC and circular needles, cast on 42 sts, pm, cast on 62 sts, pm, cast on 42 sts, pm, pick up and knit 62 sts along long side edge of previous rectangle, pm, using different colored marker for beg of rnd. Work remainder of rectangle same as Rectangle 1.

Abbreviations

beg	beginning
bet	between
CC	contrast color
dec	decrease
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 sts tog
MC	main color
p	purl
p2tog	purl 2 sts tog
pm	place marker
rem	remain
rep	repeat
rnd	round
ssk	sl 1 knitwise, sl next 1 knitwise, k these 2 sts tog
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together
yo	yarn over



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