

RIDGELINE SHAWL

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NOTES

This is an easy, versatile shawl designed to be a piece you will use for a long time!

YARN

Wonderland Yarn Mad Hatter (sport weight) 5 pk approx 430 yds

FINISHED

MEASUREMENTS

approx 62" x 18"

NEEDLES &

NOTIONS

24" circular needles, sz 5
stitch markers
tapestry needle

GAUGE

approx 20 st = 4", approx 26 rows = 4"
but gauge is not important for this shawl

ABBREVIATIONS

k - knit
p - purl
m1 - make 1
yo - yarn over
pm - place marker
RT - right twist
st - stitch
R - right side
W - wrong side
PR - Pattern Row
sm - slip marker



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This shawl has a consistent pattern down the center. There are 6 rows in the pattern repeat. Rather than writing out the pattern stitches each time, it is referred to as PR1, PR2, etc.

CENTER PATTERN

PR1 right side p3, k5, p3
PR2 wrong side k3, p5, k3,
PR3 right side p3, k1, RT, RT, p3
PR4 wrong side k3, p5, k3
PR5 right side p3, RT, RT, k1, p3
PR6 wrong side k3, p5, k3

TO START, MAKE A TAB.

Cast on 3 st. Knit 6 rows. Knit 3 st (7th row), but do not turn. Instead, on the same side, turn the 3 st 90 degrees and with left hand needle, pick up 3 st (the purl bumps). Knit them onto right hand needle. Turn 90 degrees again and, with left hand needle, pick up 3 st from the cast on end, Knit them. Now you have 9 st on your needle.

Set Up Rows 1-3:

ROW 1) M1, k across to last st, M1 (11 st)
ROW 2) M1, k across to last st, M1 (13 st)
ROW 3) M1, k across to last st, M1 (15 st)

Now the pattern starts.

ROW 1) M1, k1, pm, yo, pm, PR1, pm, yo, pm, k1, M1 (18 st)
ROW 2) k3, pm, yo, k1, sm, PR2, sm, k1, pm, yo, k3
ROW 3) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 4) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, sm, PR4, sm, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 5) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR5, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 6) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, sm, PR6, sm, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 7) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR1, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 8) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, sm, PR2, sm, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 9) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 10) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, sm, PR4, sm, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 11) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR5, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
ROW 12) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, sm, PR6, sm, k to marker, yo, sm, k3
Repeat Rows 6-12, til color is finished or until piece is approx. 6" long.
At this point, I had 149 st and 7 pattern repeats (counting the pattern for Rows 1-6).



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NOTE Up til now, the shawl has been done in garter stitch, except for the center pattern. It now switches to stockinette. I am going to begin the stockinette part by calling it Row 13 (even though it is probably Row 43 :). Your number of rows may vary a bit at this point due to gauge, or when you run out of your first color. That is ok. Just be sure to begin your second color on a right side row for first color change.)

ROW 13) This is a right side row.

k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR1, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3

ROW 14) k3, sm, yo, p to marker, sm, PR2, sm, p to marker, yo, sm, k3

ROW 15) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3

ROW 16) k3, sm, yo, p to marker, sm, PR4, sm, p to marker, yo, sm, k3

ROW 17) k3, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, PR5, sm, yo, k to marker, yo, sm, k3

ROW 18) k3, sm, yo, p to marker, sm, PR6, sm, p to marker, yo, sm, k3

NOTE You know the pattern now, so I will stop using the sm (slip marker) in the write-up. You know where to slip them!

ROW 19) k3, yo, k40, p15, k20, yo, PR1, yo, k20, p15, k40, yo, k3

ROW 20) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 21) k3, yo, k32, p15, k31, yo, PR3, yo, k31, p15, k32, yo, k3

ROW 22) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 23) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR5, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 24) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 25) k3, yo, k53, p15, k16, yo, PR1, yo, k16, p15, k53, yo, k3

ROW 26) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 27) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR3, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 28) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 29) k3, yo, k18, p15, k57, yo, PR5, yo, k57, p15, k18, yo, k3

ROW 30) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 31) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR1, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 32) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 33) k3, yo, k71, p15, k10, yo, PR3, yo, k10, p15, k71, yo, k3

ROW 34) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 35) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR5, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 36) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

I changed colors here.

ROW 37) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR1, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 38) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 39) k3, yo, k23, p15, k67, yo, PR3, yo, k67, p15, k23, yo, k3

ROW 40) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 41) k3, yo, k47, p15, k46, yo, PR5, yo, k46, p15, k47, yo, k3

ROW 42) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 43) k3, yo, k89, p15, k8, yo, PR1, yo, k8, p15, k89, yo, k3

ROW 44) k3, yo, purl to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 45) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR3, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 46) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 47) k3, yo, k63, p15, k40, yo, PR5, yo, k40, p15, k63, yo, k3

ROW 48) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 49) k3, yo, k24, p15, k82, yo, PR1, yo, k82, p15, k24, yo, k3

ROW 50) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 51) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR3, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 52) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 53) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR5, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 54) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 55) k3, yo, k21, p15, k15, p15, k64, yo, PR1, yo, k64, p15, k15, p15, k21, yo, k3

I had a color change here.

ROW 56) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 57) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR3, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 58) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 59) k3, yo, k82, p15, k15, p15, k9, yo, PR5, yo, k9, p15, k15, p15, k82, yo, k3

ROW 60) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 61) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR1, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 62) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 63) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR3, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 64) k3, yo, p to marker, PR4, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 65) k3, yo, k22, p15, k15, p15, k77, yo, PR5, yo, k77, p15, k15, p15, k22, yo, k3

ROW 66) k3, yo, p to marker, PR6, p to marker, yo, k3

ROW 67) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR1, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 68) k3, yo, p to marker, PR2, p to marker, yo, k3

I changed colors here and the pattern goes back to garter.

ROW 69) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR3, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 70) k3, yo, k to marker, PR4, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 71) k3, yo, k to marker, yo, PR5, yo, k to marker, yo, k3

ROW 72) k3, yo, k to marker, PR6, k to marker, yo, k3

Continue the garter stitch with the k3 yo border on each side, yo on odd numbered rows bordering the center pattern, and no yo on even numbered rows beside the pattern. Keep the center pattern going in the PR1-6 6 row repeat.

My shawl ended with 353 stitches. Yours may vary a little depending on your gauge.

You will need enough yarn left for your bind off, about 3 times the length of the shawl edge.

I used the Elizabeth Zimmerman sewn bind-off.

Weave in ends. Block.

