

THE COLOR EVOLUTION



NOTE: This is an Italian pattern and has not been tech edited for the US market, and might require advanced knitting skills & math.

SHAWL

MATERIAL

Poema Cashmere by Laines du Nord: 1 x 100g ball Circular needles size US8/5mm and 32"/80cm cable

Darning needle

Stitch marker

Pins

Row counter

Scissors

Tape measure

ABBREVIATIONS

SM = stitch marker

NB = nota bene

r. = row(s)

st.(s) = stitch(es)

incr. = increase

col. = color

k = knit

decr. = decrease

tog. = together

rep. = repeat

p = purl

foll. = follow

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

sk2p-C = Sk2p with central rib

NOTES

Work your shawl with circular needles in back-and-forth rows.

SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

MEASURES

Measures of the shawl after blockage.

Height: 28"/72cm approx.

Wingspan: 57½"/146cm approx.

STITCHES USED

Garter Tab Cast on: cast-on 3 sts. and work 6 r. in garter st. Next r.: k3, turn 90° and pick-up 3 sts. along long side (on "knots" of garter st.), turn 90° again and pick-up 3 cast-on sts. [=9 sts.]

Increase to the right: using left needle, lift the yarn between left and right needle, insert the needle under the yarn from front to back, then knit it through back loop.

Increase to the left: using left needle, lift the yarn between left and right needle, insert the needle under the yarn from back to front, then knit it.

Inner increase: work same stitch twice, first time like usually and then through back loop, at last drop it.

Decrease to the left: slip 1 k-wise, slip next stitch too. Move both stitches onto left needle and then knit them together though back loop.

Sk2p: slip 1, k2tog, pass slipped st. over k2tog.

Sk2p with central rib: slip 2 sts. together k-wise, k1, pass 2 slipped sts. over k1.

sk5p: slip 2 sts. tog. p-wise, p3tog, pass 2 slipped sts. over p3tog.

sk3/2p: k3, insert the point of left needle in first st., pass this st. over 2 rem. sts.

INSTRUCTIONS

Using Garter Tab Cast On, cast-on 3 sts. and shape the beginning rectangle (row 0).

From 1st r. and across the entire shawl work 3 selvages in garter st. (k3) at beginning and end of every r. The instructions below don't include the selvages.

1st r.: k3

2nd r.: yo, 1 inner increase, yo, k1, yo, 1 inner increase, yo [9 sts.]

3rd r. and odd r.: knit all sts.

4th r.: (yo, k2tog) 4 times, yo, k1, yo [11 sts.] **6th r.:** yo, k1, (yo, k2tog) 5 times, yo [13 sts.]

8th r.: (yo, k1) 13 times, yo [27 sts.]

10th r.: (yo, k2tog) 13 times, yo, k1, yo [29 sts.] **12th r.:** yo, k1, (yo, k2tog) 14 times, yo [31 sts.]

14th r.: (yo, k2tog) 15 times, yo, k1, yo [33 sts.]

16th r.: (yo, k1) 33 times, yo [67 sts.] **17th r.:** yo, k1 until the end, yo [69 sts.]

18th r.: k1, * yo, sk2p C, yo, k1 *, rep from * to * until the end of r.

19th r.: k1 in every st.

20th r.: k2tog, yo, * k1, yo, sk2p C, yo *, rep. from * to * until

3 sts. to the end, k1, yo, 1 decrease to the left.

21st r.: rep. the 19th r. **22nd r.:** rep. the 18th r.

23rd r.: rep. the 19th r.

24th r.: rep. the 20th r.

25th r.: rep. the 19th r.

26th r.: rep. the 20th r.

27th r.: rep. the 19th r. **28th r.:** rep. the 20th r.

29th r.: rep. the 19th r.

30th r.: k1, * yo, sk2p C, yo, k1 *, rep. from * to * until end

of r.

31st r.: rep. the 19th r.

32nd r.: (yo, k1) x 69 times, yo [139 sts.]

33rd r.: rep. the 19th r. Continue in bead stitch.

34th r.: * k2, yo, k3tog, yo, k1 *, rep. from * to * until 1 st. to the end, k1

35th r.: * k1, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, 1 decrease to the left *, rep. from * to * until 1 st. to the end, k1.

36th r.: k2tog, yo, * k3, yo, k3tog, yo *, rep. from * to * until 5 sts. to the end, k3, yo, 1 decrease to the left.

37th r.: * k1, yo, 1 decrease to the left., k1, k2tog, yo * rep. from * to * until 1 st. to the end, k1.

From 38th to 61st r.: rep. (from 34th to 37th r.) 6 times more.

62nd r.: rep. the 34th r. **63rd r.:** k1 in every st.

64th r.: k1, (k1, yo) x 137 times, k1 [276 sts.]

65th r.: k1 in every st.

Continue in "bird eyestitch."

66th r.: * yo, sk2p-C, yo, k1, yo, 1 decrease to the left.

67th r.: * 1 decrease to the left, yo, k1, yo, k2tog, k1 *, rep. from * to * until the end.

68th r.: k2tog, yo, k3, yo, * sk2p-C, yo, k3, yo *, rep. from * to * until 1 st. to the end, k1

69th r.: k1, * yo, k2tog, k1, 1 decrease to the left, yo, k1 *, rep. from * to * until the end.

70th r.: * k1, yo, 1 decrease to the left, yo, sk2p-C, yo, * rep. from * to * until 1 st. to the end, k1.

71st r.: k1, * yo, k2tog, k1, 1 decrease to the left, yo, k1, * rep. from * to * until the end.

72nd r.: * k2, yo, sk2p-C, yo, k1 *, * rep. from * to * until 1 st. to the end, k1.

73rd r.: sk2p-C, yo, k1, * yo, k2tog, k1, 1 decrease to the left, yo, k1 *, rep. from * to * until 3 sts. to the end, yo, k2tog, k1 **From 74th to 113th r.:** rep. (from 66th to 73rd r.) 5 times more.

From 114th to 116th r.: rep. (from 66th to 68th r.) once more.

117th r.: k1 in every st.

118th r. (picot binding off): * insert needle into first st., pull one loop through and move it on left needle (1 new st.); insert needle into this st., pull one loop through and move it on left needle (1 new st.); close 4 sts. *. Move last st. on left needle and rep. from * to * until the end of r.

