



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.

DESERT ROSE SHAWL

MATERIAL

Poema Cashmere by Laines du Nord: 1 x 100g ball in the colour of your choice (yarn A)

Cashsilk Light by Laines du Nord: 1 x 25g ball in col. 3052 (yarn B)

Circular needles size US8/5 and 32"/80cm of cable.

Darning needle

Scissors

Pins

Tape measure

Stitch marker

GAUGE

10 x 10 cm = 14 sts. and 24 r. in garter st. using no. 3.25

ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work

WS = wrong side of work

M/Ms = marker/markers

PM = place marker

st./sts. = stitch/stitches

r. = row

incr. = increase/increasing

col. = colour/colours

k = knit

yo = yarn over

tog. = together

rep. = repeat/repeating

p = purl

follow. = follow/following

SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Finished and blocked shawl: 54"/137cm in width and 20"/52cm in height from top edge to lower point.

61"/155cm in length x 25"/63cm in height (from top edge to lower point)

STITCHES USED

Rib 1/1. Garter Stitch. Open-work stitch (follow the instruction)

Increase: k2 into the same st. (knit 1st st. but do not drop it from the left knitting needle, insert the right knitting needle into the back loop of the same st. on left knitting needle, yarn over, pull a new stitch and keep it on right knitting needle, drop the stitch from left knitting needle).

INSTRUCTIONS

Using yarn A, cast-on 2 sts. and work 4 r. rib 1/1. At the end of 4th r., do not turn but pick-up 6 sts. along the long side, turn.

Setting row: p1, k1, PM, k4, PM, k1, p1 (the 2 Ms mark the first and last 2 sts. of the r., then, across every next r., always move the 2 Ms upwards, even if not stated in the instruction)

1st r. (RS): slip 1 k-wise, p1, 1 incr. in each st. until the M, p1, k1 [12 sts.]

2nd r. (WS): slip 1 p-wise, k1, knit until the M, k1, p1

3rd r. (RS): slip 1 k-wise, p1, knit until the M, p1, k1

4th r. (WS): slip 1 p-wise, k1, knit until the M, k1, p1

5th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, 1 incr. in each st. until the M, p1, k1 [20 sts.]

From 6th to 9th r.: rep. the 2nd and 3rd r.

10th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (k1, yo) rep. until the M, k1, p1 [36 sts.]

From 11th to 18th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.

19th r.: rep. the 3rd r.

20th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (k1, yo) rep. until the M, k1, p1 [68 sts.]

From 21st to 24th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.

Use yarn B.

25th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (slip 1 with yarn in back, k1) rep. until the M, p1, k1

26th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (k1, slip 1 with yarn in front) rep. until the M, k1, p1

Use A.

27th r.: rep. the 3rd r.

28th r.: rep. the 4th r.

Use yarn B.

29th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (k1, slip 1 with yarn in back) rep. until the M, p1, k1

30th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (slip 1 with yarn in front, k1) rep. until the M, k1, p1

Use yarn A.

31st r.: rep. the 3rd r.

32nd r.: rep. the 4th r.

Use yarn B.

33rd r.: rep. the 25th r.

34th r.: rep. the 26th r.

Cut the yarn B.

Use yarn A.

From 35th to 38th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.

39th r.: rep. the 3rd r.

40th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (k1, yo) rep. until the M, k1, p1 [132 sts.]

41st r.: rep. the 3rd r.

42nd r.: rep. the 4th r.

Use yarn B.

43rd r.: rep. the 25th r.

44th r.: rep. the 26th r.

Cut the yarn B.

Use yarn A.

45th r.: rep. the 3rd r.

46th r. (RS): slip 1 p-wise, k1, purl until the M, k1, p1

47th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, k1, (slip 3 sts. with yarn in front, k3) rep. until the st. before the M, k1, p1, k1

48th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (p3, slip 3 sts. with yarn in back) rep. until 2 sts. before the M, p2, k1, p1

49th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (k3, slip 3 sts. with yarn in front) rep. until 2 sts. before the M, k2, p1, k1

50th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, p1, (slip 3 sts. with yarn in back, p3) rep. until 1 st. before the M, p1, k1, p1

51st r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, slip 2 sts. with yarn in front, (k3., slip 3 sts. with yarn in front) rep. until the M, p1, k1

52nd r.: slip 1 p-wise., k1, slip 2 sts. with yarn in back, (p3, slip 3 sts. with yarn in back) rep. until the M, k1, p1

From 53rd to 56th r.: rep. from 47th to 50th r.

57th r.: rep. the 49th r.

58th r.: rep. the 48th r.
59th r.: rep. the 47th r.
60th r.: rep. the 52nd r.
61st r.: rep. the 51st r.
62nd r.: rep. the 50th r.
63rd r.: rep. the 49th r.
64th r.: rep. the 48th r.
65th r.: rep. the 47th r.
66th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, purl until the M, k1, p1
 Use the yarn B.
67th r.: rep. the 25th r.
68th r.: rep. the 26th r.
 Cut the yarn B.
 Use the yarn A.
From 69th to 70th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.
71st r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (k2tog, yo) rep. until the M, p1, k1, p1
From 72nd to 78th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.
79th r.: rep. the 3rd r.
80th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (k1, yo) rep. until the M, k1, p1 [260 sts.]
From 81st to 84th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.
 Use yarn B.
85th r.: rep. the 25th r.
86th r.: rep. the 26th r.
 Use yarn A.
87th r.: rep. the 3rd r.
88th r.: rep. the 4th r.
 Use yarn B.
89th r.: rep. the 29th r.
90th r.: rep. the 30th r.
 Use yarn A.
91st r.: rep. the 3rd r.
92nd r.: rep. the 4th r.
From 93rd to 108th r.: rep. From 85th to 92nd r. twice more, alternating the colours. At the end, cut the yarn B.
 Use yarn A.
109th r.: rep. the 3rd r.
110th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (k2tog, yo) rep. until the M, k1, p1
111th r.: rep. the 3rd r.
112th r.: rep. the 4th r.
 Use yarn B.
113th r.: rep. the 25th r.
114th r.: rep. the 26th r.
 Cut the yarn B.
 Use yarn A.
115th r.: rep. the 3rd r.
116th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, purl until the M, k1, p1
117th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, k1, (slip 3 sts. with yarn in front, k3.) rep. until 3 sts. before the M, slip 3 sts. with yarn in front, p1, k1
118th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, slip 2 sts. with yarn in back, (p3, slip 3 sts. with yarn in back) rep. until 2 sts. before the M, p2, k1, p1
119th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (k3., slip 3 sts. with yarn in front) rep. until 4 sts. before the M, k4, p1, k1

120th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, (p3, slip 3 sts. with yarn in back) rep. until 4 sts. before the M, p4, k1, p1
121st r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, slip 2 sts. with yarn in front, (k3., slip 3 sts. with yarn in front) rep. until 2 sts. before the M, k2, p1, k1
122nd r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, p1, (slip 3 sts. with yarn in back, p3) rep. until the M, k1, p1
123rd r.: rep. the 117th r.
124th r.: rep. the 118th r.
125th r.: rep. the 119th r.
126th r.: rep. the 120th r.
127th r.: rep. the 119th r.
128th r.: rep. the 118th r.
129th r.: rep. the 117th r.
130th r.: rep. the 122nd r.
131st r.: rep. the 121st r.
132nd r.: rep. the 120th r.
133rd r.: rep. the 119th r.
134th r.: rep. the 118th r.
135th r.: rep. the 117th r.
136th r.: rep. the 122nd r.
137th r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, knit until the M, p1, k1
138th r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, purl until the M, k1, p1
 Use yarn B.
139th r.: rep. the 25th r.
140th r.: rep. the 26th r.
 Cut the yarn B.
 Use yarn A.
141st r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, knit until the M, p1, k1
142nd r.: slip 1 p-wise, k1, knit until the M, k1, p1
143rd r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (2 sts. ins. a dir., yo) rep. until the M, p1, k1
144th r.: rep. the 4th r.
From 145th to 150th r.: rep. the 3rd and 4th r.
151st r.: slip 1 k-wise, p1, (k2tog, yo) 7 times, (k1, yo) 16 times, k2tog, yo, p1, k1 [276 sts.]
152nd r.: rep. the 4th r.
 Use yarn B.
153rd r.: rep. the 29th r.
154th r.: rep. the 30th r.
 Use yarn A.
155th r.: rep. the 3rd r.
156th r.: rep. the 4th r.
From 157 to 168th r.: rep. from 153rd r. to 156th r. 3 times more, alternating the colours.
 Use yarn B
169th r.: bind off the sts. loosely.