

Autumn Falling Shawl

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This triangular shawl is quite simply a celebration of the beauty of the changing colour of leaves for autumn. I chose a variegated yarn for this to represent the many shades of the autumn season.

Materials

Yarn: 1 hank of Lara Downs Angoraglow (heavy fingering weight, 400m/200g)

Needles: 5.5mm/US 9.

Stitch Markers: 2.

Abbreviations

K = Knit

P = Purl

YO = Yarn over needle to create a stitch.

SK2PSSO = Slip 1, Knit 2 stitches together, pass slipped stitch over.

M1 = Make 1 stitch by knitting into the front and back of stitch.

M1B = Pick up bar between stitches and K1 through back of loop to make a stitch.

Establishment rows:

Using 5.5mm **(US 9)** needles, cast on 1 st.

1: (K1, M1, K1) = 3 sts.

2: Knit 3.

3: (K1, M1) twice, K1 = 5 sts.

4: Knit 5.

5: K1, M1, K3, M1, K1 = 7 sts.

6: K3, place marker, P1, place marker, K3

7: K3, YO, K1, YO, K3 = 9 sts.

8: K3, P3, K3

9: K3, YO, K3, YO, K3 = 11 sts.

10: K3, P5, K3

11: K3, YO, K5, YO, K3 = 13 sts.

12: K3, P7, K3

13: K3, YO, K7, YO, K3 = 15 sts.

14: K3, P9, K3

15: K3, YO, M1B, YO, K3, SK2PSSO, K3, YO, M1B, YO, K3 = 19 sts.

16: K3, P13, K3

17: K3, YO, K3, YO, K2, SK2PSSO, K2, YO, K3, YO, K3 = 21 sts.

18: K3, P15, K3

19: K3, YO, K5, YO, K1, SK2PSSO, K1, YO, K5, YO, K3 = 23 sts

20: K3, P17, K3

Autumn Leaves Triangle Pattern:

1: K3, (YO, K7, YO, SK2PSSO) to within 7sts from marker, YO, K7, YO, K3 = increased by 2 sts.

2: K3, Purl to marker, K3.

3: K3, YO, M1B, YO, (K3, SK2PSSO, K3, YO, K1, YO) to within 9sts from marker, K3, SK2PSSO, K3, YO, M1B, YO, K3 = increased by 4 sts.

4: K3, Purl to marker, K3.

5: K3, (YO, K3, YO, K2, SK2PSSO, K2) to within 3sts from marker, YO, K3, YO, K3 = increased by 2 sts.

6: K3, Purl to marker, K3.

7: K3, (YO, K5, YO, K1, SK2PSSO, K1) to within 5sts from marker, YO, K5, YO, K3 = increased by 2 sts.

8: K3, Purl to marker, K3.

Repeat 8 row autumn leaves triangle pattern until there are 185sts on the needles (row 149 of work).

Finishing rows:

Row 150: Knit.

Row 151: Knit.

Row 152: Knit.

Row 153: Knit.

Row 154: Cast off loosely.

Block shawl. Enjoy!