

ROSE LEAF BABY SHAWL

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MEASUREMENTS

Shawl Measures (approx) cm 120 x 120

PATONS DREAMTIME MERINO 4 PLY 50g balls

Quantity 11

Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 4.5mm (UK 7) knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- tapestry needle for finishing.

TENSION

22 sts and 42 rows to 10cm over garter st, using 4.5mm needles.

To work a tension square, using 4.5mm needles, cast on 33 sts.

Work 62 rows garter st. Cast off loosely.

Check your tension carefully.

If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use larger needles.

NOTE – This shawl has been worked on larger needles and at a looser tension than usually recommended for this yarn.

ROSE LEAF PATTERN (WORKED AS A MAKE AND LOSE

PATT OVER 18 OR 20 STS)

1st row – Yfwd, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, K1, P1, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, K1, yfwd, K1, P3, K1.

2nd row – P3, (K1, P2) twice, K1, P4, K3, P1.

3rd row – Yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, P1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, (yfwd, K1) twice, P3, K1.

4th row – P4, (K1, P1) twice, K1, P5, K3, P1.

5th row – Yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, P1, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K3, yfwd, K1, P3, K1.

6th row – P6, K1, P7, K3, P1.

7th row – Yfwd, K5, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K5, yfwd, K1, P3, K1.

8th row – P16, K3, P1.

Rows 1 to 8 incl form Rose Leaf patt.

ABBREVIATIONS

alt = alternate; **beg** = beginning; **cont** = continue; **fol** = following; **garter st** = every row knit; **K** = knit; **P** = purl; **patt** = pattern; **pssso** = pass slipped stitch over; **rem** = remain; **rep** = repeat, repeating; **sl** = slip; **st, sts** = stitch, stitches; **tog** = together; **yfwd** = yarn forward – bring yarn under needle then over into knitting position, making a st.



NOTE – Use this image as a guide only. It has been taken from our Patons archive books and shows the original shawl designed for 2 ply or 3 ply.

We have adjusted the pattern to be made in Patons Dreamtime Merino 4 ply. The pattern detail in your shawl will not be as fine as pictured.

SHAWL (MAKE 4 PIECES ALIKE, BEG AT OUTER EDGE)

Using 4.5mm needles, cast on 255 sts.

NOTE – This is a make and lose pattern, as illustrated by the stitch counts given in rows 1 to 8 incl. St count should only be checked after every 8th patt row – there will be 8 sts dec for each 8 rows worked.

1st row – Yfwd, K3tog, K13, P3, K1, * yfwd, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, K1, P1, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, K1, yfwd, K1, P3, K1, rep from * to last 15 sts, K15 ... 232 sts.

2nd row – Yfwd, K3tog, K12, P1, K3, * P4, (K1, P2) twice, K1, P4, K3, rep from * to last 15 sts, P1, K14 ... 231 sts.

3rd row – Yfwd, K3tog, K12, P3, K1, * yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, P1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, (yfwd, K1) twice, P3, K1, rep from * to last 14 sts, K14 ... 230 sts.

4th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K11, P1, K3, * P5, (K1, P1) twice, K1, P5, K3, rep from * to last 14 sts, P1, K13 ... 229 sts.

5th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K11, P3, K1, * yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, P1, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K3, yfwd, K1, P3, K1, rep from * to last 13 sts, K13 ... 228 sts.

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6th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K10, P1, K3, * P7, K1, P7, K3, rep from * to last 13 sts, P1, K12 ... 227 sts.

7th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K10, P3, K1, * yfwd, K5, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K5, yfwd, K1, P3, K1, rep from * to last 12 sts, K12 ... 248 sts.

8th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K9, P1, K3, * P17, K3, rep from * to last 12 sts, P1, K11 ... 247 sts.

Last 8 rows form patt rep for Rose Leaf panels.

Working (*yfwd, K3tog*) at beg of every row and keeping garter st edges and Rose Leaf patt correct, work a further 16 rows ... 231 sts.

25th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K1, P3, K1, patt to last 3 sts, K3.

26th row – Yfwd, K3tog, P1, K3, P1, patt to last 2 sts, K2.

27th row – Yfwd, K3tog, P3, K1, patt to last 2 sts, K2.

28th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K3, P1, patt to last st, K1.

29th row – Yfwd, K3tog, P2, K1, patt to last st, K1.

30th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K2, P1, patt to end.

31st row – Yfwd, K3tog, P1, K1, patt to end ... 224 sts.

32nd row – Yfwd, K3tog, K1, P1, patt to last 19 sts, P16, K3.

33rd row – Yfwd, K3tog, K1, patt to last 19 sts, yfwd, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, K1, P1, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, K1, yfwd, K1, P3.

34th row – Yfwd, K3tog, P1, patt to last 16 sts, P3, (K1, P2) twice, K1, P4, K2.

35th row – Yfwd, K3tog, patt to last 16 sts, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, P1, sl 1, K1, pssso, P1, K2tog, (yfwd, K1) twice, P2.

36th row – Yfwd, K3tog, patt to last 15 sts, P4, (K1, P1) twice, K1, P5, K1.

37th row – Yfwd, K3tog, yfwd, K2, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, P1, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K3, yfwd, K1, P3, K1, patt to last 15 sts, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, P1, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K2, yfwd, K3.

38th row – Yfwd, K3tog, P5, K1, P7, K3, P1, patt to last 14 sts, (P6, K1) twice.

39th row – Yfwd, K3tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K5, yfwd, K1, P3, K1, patt to last 14 sts, yfwd, K5, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, (yfwd, K3) twice.

40th row – Yfwd, K3tog, K13, P1, K3, P1, patt to last 15 sts, K15 ... 215 sts.

Keeping patt correct as placed, rep rows 1 to 40 incl once, then rows 1 to 39 incl once ... 136 sts.

Next row – Yfwd, K3tog, (sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K1) twice, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K3, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, * K3, (sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K1) twice, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K3, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, rep from * to last 16 sts, K3, (sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K1) twice, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K2 ... 81 sts.

Next row – Yfwd, K3tog, knit to end.

Rep last row until 3 sts rem.

Next row – Yfwd, K3tog ... 2 sts.

Next row – K2tog. Fasten off.

TO MAKE UP

Place two triangles right side up and side by side on a flat surface, then thread tapestry needle with approx 1.5m of yarn. Beginning at cast-on edge, bring needle up through first loop on right piece, leaving a 10cm end to be sewn in later. Bring needle up through first loop on lower edge of left piece, * pass needle under the bar just made and cross to the right piece, bringing needle up through next loop, pass needle under bar just made and bring needle up through next loop on left piece, repeat from * up to the top points of triangles. Join other 2 triangles in same manner, then join both pieces in same manner from corner to corner, through centre.

Block to shape – on padded surface, pin shawl out to given measurements. Spray with water and leave to dry, OR steam lightly, holding iron above work without touching. Shawl should be left until completely dry and cool, before removing pins.

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