

SEMI CIRCULAR SHAWL

■■■ Intermediate Knitting

MEASUREMENTS

Width across straight edge (approx)	cm	130
Length at longest point (approx)	cm	65

PATONS BLUEBELL MERINO 5 PLY 50g balls

Quantity 9

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 each 3.75mm (UK 9) and 3.25mm (UK 10) knitting needles and one each 4mm (UK 8), 3.75mm and 3.25mm **circular** knitting needles (60-80cm) long or size needed to give correct tension.
- tapestry needle for finishing.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION

M1 = make one stitch – pick up loop which lies before next stitch, place on left-hand needle and knit into back of loop.

TENSION

26 sts and 35 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 3.75mm needles.

To work a tension square, using 3.75mm needles, cast on 38 sts.

Work 52 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely. Check your tension carefully.

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

MAIN PIECE

Using 3.25mm needles, cast on 34 sts.

1st row (wrong side) – Knit.

2nd row – P2, * **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 50 sts.

3rd row – K2, * P1, K2, rep from * to end.

4th row – P2, * K1, P2, rep from * to end.

5th row – As 3rd row.

6th row – P2, * **M1**, K1, P2, rep from * to end ... 66 sts.

7th row – K2, * P2, K2, rep from * to end.

8th row – P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

9th row – As 7th row.

10th row – P2, * K2, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 82 sts.

11th row – K2, * P3, K2, rep from * to end.

12th row – P2, * K3, P2, rep from * to end.

13th row – As 11th row.



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14th row – P2, * **M1**, K3, P2, rep from * to end ... 98 sts.

15th row – K2, * P4, K2, rep from * to end.

16th row – P2, * K4, P2, rep from * to end.

17th row – As 15th row.

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NOTE – Change to 3.25mm **circular** needle when number of sts no longer fit comfortably on pair of needles. Work backwards and forwards in rows.

1st row – P2, * K2, yfwd, K2tog tbl, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 114 sts.

2nd row – K2, * P5, K2, rep from * to end.

3rd row – P2, * K2, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, P2, rep from * to end.

4th row – As 2nd row.

5th row – P2, * **M1**, K2, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, P2, rep from * to end ... 130 sts.

6th row – K2, * P6, K2, rep from * to end.

7th row – P2, * K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, P2, rep from * to end.

8th row – K2, * P6, K2, rep from * to end.

9th row – P2, * K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 146 sts.

10th row – K2, * P7, K2, rep from * to end.

11th row – P2, * K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K2, P2, rep from * to end.

12th row – As 10th row.

13th row – P2, * **M1**, K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K2, P2, rep from * to end ... 162 sts.

14th row – K2, * P8, K2, rep from * to end.

15th row – P2, * K4, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K2, P2, rep from * to end.

16th and foll alt rows – K2, * purl across panel sts, K2, rep from * to end.

17th row – P2, * K4, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K2, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 178 sts.

19th row – P2, * K4, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, P2, rep from * to end.

21st row – P2, * **M1**, K4, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, P2, rep from * to end ... 194 sts.

23rd row – P2, * K5, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, P2, rep from * to end.

25th row – P2, * K5, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 210 sts.

27th row – P2, * K3, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, P2, rep from * to end.

29th row – P2, * K2, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K2, P2, rep from * to end.

31st row – P2, * K1, K2tog, yfwd, K5, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, P2, rep from * to end.

33rd row – P2, * K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K3, P2, rep from * to end.

35th row – P2, * K4, yfwd, **K3**tog tbl, yfwd, K4, P2, rep from * to end.

37th row – P2, * K5, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K4, P2, rep from * to end.

38th row – As 16th row.

Change to 3.75mm **circular** needle.

Rep rows 27 to 38 incl 3 times.

75th row – P2, * **M1**, K3, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 242 sts.

76th and foll alt rows – K2, * purl across panel sts, K2, rep from * to end.

77th row – P2, * K3, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, P2, rep from * to end.

79th row – P2, * K2, K2tog, yfwd, K5, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K2, P2, rep from * to end.
81st row – P2, * K1, K2tog, yfwd, K7, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, P2, rep from * to end.
83rd row – P2, * K3, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K3, K2tog, yfwd, K3, P2, rep from * to end.
85th row – P2, * K4, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K4, P2, rep from * to end.
87th row – P2, * K5, yfwd, K3tog tbl, yfwd, K5, P2, rep from * to end.
89th row – P2, * K6, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K5, P2, rep from * to end.
91st row – P2, * K4, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K4, P2, rep from * to end.
92nd row – As 76th row.
 Last 16 rows form Diamond patt.
 Change to 4mm **circular** needle.
 Rep rows 77 to 88 incl once.
105th row – P2, * **M1**, K6, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K5, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 274 sts.
 Work 15 rows patt.
121st row – P2, * **M1**, K7, yfwd, K2tog tbl, K6, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 306 sts.
 Work 13 rows patt.
135th row – P2, * **M1**, patt across diamond panel, **M1**, P2, rep from * to end ... 338 sts.
 Inc one st (as before) at each end of each diamond panel in every foll 12th row 4 times ... 466 sts.
184th row – As 76th row.
185th row – P2, * K27, P2, rep from * to end.
186th row – K2, * P27, K2, rep from * to end.
 Rep last 2 rows once.
 Cast off loosely.

CENTRE PIECE

With right side facing and using 3.25mm needles, knit up 34 sts evenly along cast-on edge of Main Piece.

1st row – K2tog, * K6, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 29 sts.
2nd and foll alt rows – Knit.
3rd row – K1, * K5, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 25 sts.
5th row – * K2tog, K4, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 21 sts.
7th row – K1, * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 17 sts.
9th row – * K2tog, K2, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 13 sts.
11th row – K1, * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 9 sts.
13th row – K1, * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 5 sts.
15th row – As 13th row ... 3 sts.
 Break off yarn, thread end through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

EDGING

Using 3.75mm needles, cast on 10 sts.

NOTE – This is a make and lose pattern. Count sts on every 8th row only.

1st row – Sl 1, K2, yfwd, K2tog, knit to last 4 sts, * (yfwd) twice, K2tog, rep from * once.
2nd row – Sl 1, (K1, P1) into double yfwd, K1, (K1, P1) into double yfwd, knit to last 3 sts, yfwd, K2tog, K1.
 Rep 1st and 2nd rows twice.
7th row – Sl 1, K2, yfwd, K2tog, K11.
8th row – Cast off 6 sts, knit to last 3 sts, yfwd, K2tog, K1 ... 10 sts.
 Rep rows 1 to 8 incl until straight side of edging fits (slightly stretched) around all edges of shawl.
 Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Using a flat seam, sew edging to shawl then join ends of edging. Block to size before sewing in ends.

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