

Celestial Shawl

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- Size** as knit about 14" wide and 62" long will stretch to 16" x 76" after washing/blocking
- Yarn** 4 skeins of Morehouse Merino Lace (225 yards per skein)
- Needle** 32" circular needle #7 (Shawl is knit the long way and circular needle will accommodate number of stitches more comfortably)
- Gauge** as knit, about 5½ stitches = 1 inch over pattern

Cast on 350 stitches (shawl is knit the long way). Use yarn double for cast-on row only. Use an elastic cast-on method, such as long-tail cast-on. Continue with yarn single and knit 6 rows. Start pattern.

Pattern

- Row 1** Knit row
- Row 2** Knit first 3 stitches, purl row to last 3 stitches, knit those 3 stitches
- Row 3** Knit row
- Row 4** Knit 3 stitches, purl row to last 3 stitches, knit 3
- Row 5** Knit 3 stitches, *knit 2 stitches, bind off 1 stitch (lift first stitch of the two stitches you just knit over second stitch); repeat from * to last 3 stitches, knit those 3 stitches = 178 stitches
- Row 6** Knit 3 stitches, purl row to last 3 stitches, knit 3
- Row 7** Knit 3 stitches, then *knit each stitch twice, (once through the front of stitch, then again through the back of stitch); repeat from * to last 3 stitches, knit those 3 stitches = 350 stitches
- Row 8** Knit 3 stitches, purl row to last 3 stitches, knit 3
- Row 9** Knit row
- Row 10** Knit 3 stitches, purl row to last 3 stitches, knit 3
- Row 11** Knit row

Work pattern a total of 9 times (total of 99 rows). End Shawl with 6 knit rows. Bind off loosely using yarn double (bind-off row should be as elastic and stretchable as knit Shawl).

Finishing Soak Shawl in warm water for a few minutes, then squeeze out as much water as possible. Lay flat to dry, stretching Shawl to final size.

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