



YARN TWISTERS

Year Opening Shawl created by Lisa Overby



This light and airy 1 skein shawl, knit up with Yarn Twisters January 2020 colourway. This asymmetrical triangle shawl is a mixture of easy garter and stripes of an open elongated pattern, perfect for layering under your coat to ward off the winter wind.



MATERIALS & INFO

Yarn: 1 skein Yarn Twisters SW Sock Yarn 390m (426 yards)/115 gr, Sample knit in colourway Twizzler

Gauge: approx 22 sts by 24 rows in garter; Note: gauge is not critical for this project, if you do not obtain the correct gauge, the dimensions of the finished shawl will be different and you may not have enough yarn to complete as written

Needles: 4 mm (US 6) 32" circular needles, or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: removable stitch marker, darning needle

Finished size: Wingspan - 63" (160 cm); Centre Depth - 12.5" (31.75 cm)

Note: to denote the RS and WS of the shawl at the beginning, place a removable stitch marker on the RS

ABBREVIATIONS

BO - bind off

CO - cast on

k - knit

kfb - knit into the front of the stitch, leaving on the left hand needle, knit into the back of the same stitch, dropping the stitch off the left hand needle (1 stitch increased)

k2tog - knit 2 together; insert needle into the next 2 sts, knit the 2 sts together as one (1 st decreased)

LHN - left hand needle

p - purl

RHN - right hand needle

st/sts - stitch/stitches

yo - yarnover, bring yarn forward between needles, wrap yarn over the right hand needle (1 st increased)

PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

CO on 4 sts

Set up:

Row 1: k1, kfb, k2 (5 sts)

Row 2 (RS): k1, k2tog, k to last 2 sts, kfb, k1

Row 3 (WS): k1, kfb, k to end (1 st increased)

Repeat Rows 2 & 3 forty-seven more times (53 sts)

Main Section:

Row 1 (RS): k1, k2tog, k to last 2 sts, kfb, k1

Row 2 (WS): k1, kfb, *k1, yo*, repeat * to * to last 3 sts, k3 (1 st increased, yo's will resolved in the following row)

Row 3: k1, k2tog, *slip the next 6 sts to RHN, dropping the yo's between each st, replace the 6 sts to the LHN, passing the last 3 sts over the first 3 sts (crossing them to the right), k the 6 crossed sts*, repeat * to * to last 3 sts, k1, kfb, k1

Row 4: k1, kfb, k to end (1 st increased)

Row 5: k1, k2tog, k to 2 sts remaining, kfb, k1

Row 6: k1, kfb, k to end (1 st increased)

Repeat **Rows 5 & 6** three more times (6 sts increased each 12 row repeat)

Repeat these **12 rows** thirteen more times (137 sts)

Finishing:

Repeat **Rows 5 & 6** of main section 2 more times (139 sts); or until you have approx 2 grams of yarn left (enough to bind off).

Bind off:

BO all stitches in the following manner to ensure a stretchy edge: k1, *k1, insert LHN into the 2 sts on the RHN, knit the 2 sts together through the back loop. Repeat from * until all sts have been bound off.

Weave in ends, block to measurements.

