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The patchwork effect of entrelac often provides a canvas for color-changing yarns, but Hannah Poon uses the technique's back-and-forth rhythm to add a sweet and subtle lace motif to this generous wrap.

MATERIALS

Finished Size 14" wide and 63" long, excluding edging.

Yarn Manos del Uruguay Silk Blend (70% Merino, 30% silk; 150 yd [137 m]/1¼ oz [50 g]); #3043 juniper, 6 skeins. Yarn distributed by Fairmount Fibers.

Needles Size 6 (4 mm). Adjust needle size if necessary to obtain the correct gauge.

Notions Tapestry needle.

Gauge 24 sts and 32 rows = 4" in St st.

See farmfiberknits.com/abbreviations for terms you don't know.

NOTE

- K1f&b can be replaced with k1, M1R. K1b&f can be replaced with M1L, k1. The slightly different look of these stitches will affect the edges of the work, so use one or the other throughout for consistency.

STITCH GUIDE

Sk2p: Sl 1 kwise, k2tog, pss0—2 sts dec'd.

SHAWL

CO 55 sts.

Base triangle

Row 1 (WS) Sl 1, p1, turn.

Row 2 K2, turn.

Row 3 Sl 1, p2, turn.

Row 4 K3, turn.

Row 5 Sl 1, p3, turn.

Row 6 K4, turn.

Row 7 Sl 1, p4, turn.

Row 8 K5, turn.

Row 9 Sl 1, p5, turn.

Row 10 K6, turn.

Row 11 Sl 1, p6, turn.

Row 12 K7, turn.

Row 13 Sl 1, p7, turn.

Row 14 K8, turn.

Row 15 Sl 1, p8, turn.

Row 16 K9, turn.

Row 17 Sl 1, p9, turn.

Row 18 K10, turn.

Row 19 Sl 1, p10, do not turn.

Rep Rows 1–19 four more times—5 base triangles.



Tier 1

Right side triangle:

Row 1 (RS) K2, turn.

Row 2 P2, turn.

Row 3 K1f&b, ssk, turn.

Row 4 P3, turn.

Row 5 K1f&b, k1, ssk, turn.

Row 6 P4, turn.

Row 7 K1f&b, k2, ssk, turn.

Row 8 P5, turn.

Row 9 K1f&b, k3, ssk, turn.

Row 10 P6, turn.

Row 11 K1f&b, k4, ssk, turn.

Row 12 P7, turn.

Row 13 K1f&b, k5, ssk, turn.

Row 14 P8, turn.

Row 15 K1f&b, k6, ssk, turn.

Row 16 P9, turn.

Row 17 K1f&b, k7, ssk, turn.

Row 18 P10, turn.

Row 19 K1f&b, k8, ssk, do not turn.

Left-slanting flame rectangle: With RS facing, pick up and knit 11 sts along left side of triangle or rectangle from previous row, turn.

Row 1 and all WS rows P11, turn.

Row 2 K3, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k2, ssk, turn.

Row 4 K2, k2tog, [k1, yo] 2 times, [k1, ssk] 2 times, turn.

Row 6 K1, k2tog, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, [ssk] 2 times, turn.

Row 8 K1f&b, ssk, k5, k2tog, M1L, ssk, turn.

Row 10 K1f&b, k1, ssk, k3, k2tog, k1, M1L, ssk, turn.

Row 12 K1f&b, k2, ssk, k1, k2tog, k2, M1L, ssk, turn.

Row 14 K1f&b, k3, sk2p (see Stitch Guide), k3, M1L, ssk, turn.

Rows 16, 18, and 20 K10, ssk, turn.

Row 22 K10, ssk, do not turn; do not work a WS row.

Work 3 more left-slanting flame rectangles.

Left side triangle: With RS facing, pick up and knit 11 sts along left side of triangle or rectangle from previous row, turn.

Row 1 (WS) P2tog, p9, turn.

Row 2 K10, turn.

Row 3 P2tog, p8, turn.

Row 4 K9, turn.

Row 5 P2tog, p7, turn.

Row 6 K8, turn.

Row 7 P2tog, p6, turn.

Row 8 K7, turn.

Row 9 P2tog, p5, turn.

Row 10 K6, turn.

Row 11 P2tog, p4, turn.

Row 12 K5, turn.

Row 13 P2tog, p3, turn.

Row 14 K4, turn.

Row 15 P2tog, p2, turn.

Row 16 K3, turn.

Row 17 P2tog, p1, turn.

Row 18 K2, turn.

Row 19 P2tog, do not turn.

Tier 2

Right-slanting flame rectangle: With WS facing, pick up and purl 10 sts along side of triangle or rectangle from previous row, turn—11 sts for rectangle.

Row 1 (RS) K3, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k3, turn.

Row 2 and all WS rows P10, p2tog, turn.

Row 3 K2, k2tog, [k1, yo] 2 times, k1, ssk, k2, turn.

Row 5 K1, k2tog, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, ssk, k1, turn.

Row 7 K1, M1R, ssk, k5, k2tog, k1b&f, turn.

Row 9 K1, M1R, k1, ssk, k3, k2tog, k1, k1b&f, turn.

Row 11 K1, M1R, k2, ssk, k1, k2tog, k2, k1b&f, turn.

Row 13 K1, M1R, k3, sk2p, k3, k1b&f, turn.

Rows 15, 17, 19, and 21 K11, turn.

Row 22 P10, p2tog, do not turn.

Work 4 more right-slanting flame rectangles, picking up and purling 11 sts rather than 10.

Tiers 3-35

[Work tier 1, then tier 2] 16 times, then work tier 1 once more.

Ending triangle

With WS facing, pick up and purl 9 sts along triangle or rectangle from previous row, then pick up and purl 1 st tog with first st from next rectangle or triangle, turn—11 sts for triangle.

Row 1 (RS) K11, turn.

Row 2 P2tog, p8, p2tog, turn.

Row 3 K10, turn.

Row 4 P2tog, p7, p2tog, turn.

Row 5 K9, turn.

Row 6 P2tog, p6, p2tog, turn.

Row 7 K8, turn.

Row 8 P2tog, p5, p2tog, turn.

Row 9 K7, turn.

Row 10 P2tog, p4, p2tog, turn.

Row 11 K6, turn.

Row 12 P2tog, p3, p2tog, turn.

Row 13 K5, turn.

Row 14 P2tog, p2, p2tog, turn.

Row 15 K4, turn.

Row 16 P2tog, p1, p2tog, turn.

Row 17 K3, turn.

Row 18 [P2tog] 2 times, turn.

Row 19 K2, turn.

Row 20 Sl 1, p2tog, turn.

Row 21 K2, turn.

Row 22 P2tog, do not turn.

Work 4 more ending triangles. Fasten off last st.

FINISHING

Weave in loose ends.

Edging: With RS facing, pick up and knit 7 sts along a base triangle, centering sts on triangle.

Row 1 and all WS rows Purl.

Row 2 K1, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k1.

Row 4 K2tog, k1, yo, k1, yo, k1, ssk.

Row 6 Ssk, k3, k2tog—5 sts rem.

Row 8 Ssk, k1, k2tog—3 sts rem.

Row 10 Sk2p—1 st rem.

Break yarn, leaving a 6" tail. Fasten off last st. Cut a 12" length of yarn and pull halfway through top of point just worked. Braid 3 strands tog and finish with an overhand knot 2" from end. Rep for all base and ending triangles.

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