

MATERIALS

YOU WILL NEED

☐ King Cole, Riot DK (70% acrylic, 30% wool, 100g/294m) 1 ball Hot (412)

- ☐ A 4½mm circular needle
- ☐ Stitch markers For yarn stockists contact King Cole 01535 650230 kingcole.co.uk

TENSION

Yarn used knits as DK to this tension: 17 sts and 28 rows to measure 4x4in (10x10cm) over stocking stitch using 4½mm needles

Position stitch markers in repeats to make knitting the shawl easier.

MEASUREMENTS

47cm deep, 112cm wide

between the pattern



Increases either side of a central spine give the shawl its shape.



6 STITCH LACE PATTERN

Row 1 Knit.

Row 2 Purl.

Row 3 Yo, K1, yo, K1, p3tog, K1.

Row 4 Purl.

Row 5 Knit.

Row 6 Purl.

4 STITCH PLUS 1 FOR BORDER

Row 1 P1, (K3, P1).

Row 2 K1, (P3, K1).

Row 3 P1, (K3, P1).

Row 4 K1, (yo, p3toq, yo).

Row 5 K2, P1, (K3, P1), K2.

Row 6 P2, K1, (P3, K1), P2.

Row 7 K2, P1, (K3, P1), K2.

Row 6 P2, K1, (yo, p3tog,yo, K1), P2.

Start knitting here...

SHAWL

Cast on 11 sts using 4½mm needles. Row 1 K5, add a stitch marker (SM), K6. Row 2 (RS) K2, yo, K to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, yo, K to last 2 sts, yo, K2. [15 sts] Row 3 Knit.

START THE LACE PATTERN

Row 1 (RS) K2, yo, K to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, yo, K to last 2 sts, yo, K2. [19 sts]

Row 2 K2, Pto last 2 sts, K2.

Row 3 K2, yo K1, yo, K1, yo, K1, p3tog, K1, yo, slip SM, K1, yo, K1, p3toq, K1, yo, K1, yo, K1, yo, K2. [23 sts]

Row 4 K2, Pto last 2 sts, K2.

Row 5 (RS) K2, yo, K to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, yo, K to last 2 sts, yo, K2. [27 sts]

Row 6 K2, Pto last 2 sts, K2.

Row 7 (RS) K2, yo, K to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, yo, K to last 2 sts, yo, K2. [31 sts]

Row 8 K2, Pto last 2 sts, K2.

Row 9 K2, yo K1, (yo, K1, yo, K1, p3tog, K1) to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, yo, (K1, p3tog, K1, yo, K1, yo) to SM, K1, yo, K2. [35 sts]

Row 10 K2, Pto last 2 sts, K2.

Row 11 (RS) K2, yo, K to SM, yo, slip SM,

K1, yo, K to last 2 sts, yo, K2. [39 sts]

Row 12 K2, Pto last 2 sts, K2.

Continue pattern as set in rows 7 to 12 until you have 187 sts, ending on a wrong side row. You will have worked 15 repeats and end on a row 10 of the stitch pattern.

BORDER

ne ball, one lovely warm shawl! If you like your yarn to go

that little bit further, you can't beat a shawl. However, if

the thought of tackling a complex lace pattern in a fine

yarn puts you off knitting shawls, try this one by Kirstie McLeod,

which uses classic construction techniques, but is worked in DK

yarn for an easier knit and a thicker, warmer garment at the end.

I loved the way it looked as the knitting grew," Kirstie says.

"I chose Riot DK because it's designed to knit up into stripes, and

Row 1 K2, yo, P1, (K3, P1) rep to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, place a SM, yo, P1, (K3, P1) rep to last 2 sts, yo, K2. [191 sts]

Row 2 K2, (knit the knit sts, purl the purl sts and purl the yarn overs) to last 2 sts,

Row 3 K2, yo, K1, P1, (K3, P1) rep to 1 st before SM, K1, yo, slip SM, K1, slip SM, yo, K1,P1, (K3, P1) rep to last 3 sts, K1, yo, K2. [195 sts]

Row 4 K2, P2,(K1, yo, p3tog, yo) rep to 3 sts before SM, K1, P5, (K1, yo, p3tog, yo) to last 5 sts, K1, P2, K2.

Row 5 K2, yo, P1, (K3, P1) rep to SM, yo, slip SM, K1, slip SM, yo, P1, (K3, P1) to last 2 sts, yo, K2.[199 sts]

Row 6 K2, (knit the knit sts, purl the purl sts and purl the yarn overs) to last 2 sts,

Row 7 K2, yo, K1, P1, (K3, P1) rep to 1 sts before SM, K1, yo, slip SM, K1, slip SM, yo, K1,P1, (K3, P1) rep to last 3 sts, K1, yo, K2. [203 sts]

Row 8 K2, P2,(K1, yo, p3tog, yo) rep to 3 sts before SM, K1, P5, (K1, yo, p3tog, yo) to last 5 sts, K1, P2, K2.

Repeat rows 1 to 8 once more and you'll have 219 sts.

Cast off knitwise.

Weave in all loose ends, dampen and block until dry. 🎨