Shawl I Stay or Shawl I Go?

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MATERIAL

- circular needle US #9 (you can use straight needles but with a circular needle all the project can be handled on the long cable)
- 2 skeins of BB Mérinos by Fonty
- 3 skeins of Alpaga by Fonty
- 8 stitch markers

ABBREVIATIONS

BO: bind off CO: cast on k: knit p: purl sl: slip st: stich(es) yo: yarn over



PATTERN

Row 1: k2, sl 1st marker, yo, k until 2nd marker, yo, sl 2nd marker, k1, sl 3rd marker, k until 4th marker, yo, sl 4th marker, k1, sl 5th marker, yo, k until 6th marker, yo, sl 6th marker, k1, sl 7th marker, yo, k until 8th marker, yo, sl 8th marker, k2 Row 2: k2, p until 8th marker, k2

DIRECTIONS

CO 7 st. Row 1: k2, *place marker, k1*, repeat from * to * 3 times, place marker, k2 Row 2: k Row 3: k2, sl marker, yo, sl marker, k1, sl marker, yo, k1, yo, sl marker, k1, sl marker, yo, sl marker, k2 Row 4: k2, p7, k2 Row 5: k2, *sl marker, yo, k1, yo, sl marker, k1*, repeat from * to * 3 times, sl marker, yo, k1, yo, sl marker, k2 Row 6: k2, p15, k2 Row 7 to 86: repeat the pattern Row 87 to 90: k BO softly.



REMARKS

The rows 1 to 6 are used to place all the markers. After those rows there is always the same number of markers on each row and by consequence always the same increases number.

On each row of the right side there are 8 increases:

- \star 1 after the 1st marker
- ★ 1 before le 2nd marker
- \star 1 after le 3rd marker
- ★ 1 before le 4th marker
- ★ 1 after le 5th marker
- 1 before le 6th marker \star
- ★ 1 after le 7th marker
 ★ 1 before le 8th marker

The increases are only yarn over.



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