Omega

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skill level Intermediate

One size

finished measurements

Approximately 62" across top edge x 21" down center

Yarn

BERROCO NEBULA (100 grs), 2 cakes #7532 Taurus

needles and notions

32" Length circular needle, size 7 (4.50 mm) or size to obtain gauge

gauge

20 sts and 30 rows = 4" in St st To save time, take time to check gauge

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SHAWI

Cast on 2 sts. Knit 6 rows.

Next Row (RS): K2, turn work 90 degrees and pick up and k3 sts along side edge of Garter St section, turn work 90 degrees again then pick up and k2 sts along cast-on edge of Garter St section – 7 sts.

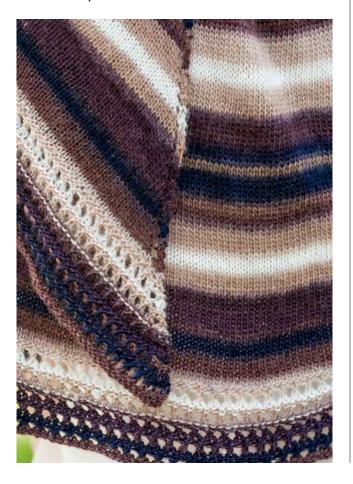
Row 2 and all WS rows up to Border Section: K2, purl to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 3 (RS): K2, yo, knit in front and back of next 3

sts, yo, k2 – 12 sts.

Row 5 (RS): K2, yo, knit to last 2 sts, yo, k2 – 14 sts. **Row 7 (Inc Row):** K2, yo, * k1, yo, rep from * to last 2 sts, end k2 – 25 sts.

Row 9: Rep Row 5 – 27 sts. **Row 11:** Rep Row 5 – 29 sts.





Row 13: Rep Inc Row – 55 sts.

Rows 15 – 24: Rep Rows 5 and 2 – 65 sts.

Row 25: Rep Inc Row – 127 sts.

Rows 27 – 50: Rep Rows 5 and 2 – 151 sts.

Row 51: Rep Inc Row – 299 sts.

Rows 53–128: Rep Rows 5 and 2 – 375 sts.

Border: Row 1 (RS): K2, yo, purl to last 2 st, yo, k2 – 377 sts.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: K2, yo, k1, * sl 1 WYIB, k1, rep from * to last 2 sts, end yo, k2 – 379 sts.

Row 4: K4, * sl 1 WYIF, k1, rep from * to last 3 sts, end k3.

Row 5: K2, yo, k1, * yo, k2tog, rep from * to last 2 sts, end yo, k2 – 381 sts.

Row 6: K2, purl to last 2 sts, k2. Rep Rows 1–6 four times more, then work Row 1 once more – 407 sts. Bind-Off Row: * K2 tog TBL, sl resulting st back to LH needle, rep from * until all sts have been bound off.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends and block as desired.

ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

beg: beginning **CC:** contrasting color

CDD (centered double decrease): Slip 2 together (as if to k2tog), knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over

cn: cable needle cont: continue **dec:** decrease

dpn(s): double pointed needle(s)

est: established inc: increase k: knit

k tbl: knit through the back loop(s) k2tog: knit 2 stitches together k3tog: knit 3 stitches together

kfb: knit in the front and back of the next st

LH: left hand

LLI: Left Lifted Increase – Insert LH needle into the purl bump one row below the st just worked on the RH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)

M1: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).

M1L: Work as for M1.

M1p: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).

M1pL: Work as for M1p.

M1pR: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).

M1R: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).

MC: main color

p: purl

p tbl: purl through the back loop(s) p2tog: purl 2 stitches together

p2sso: pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch

p3tog: purl 3 stitches together

pat(s): pattern(s) pm: place marker

psso: pass slipped stitch over knit stitch

rem: remaining rep: repeat RH: right hand

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RLI: Right Lifted Increase – Insert RH needle into the purl bump of the next st on the LH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)

rnd(s): round(s) **RS:** right side sl: slip

sm: slip marker

SSK: Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.

SSP: Slip 2 stitches knitwise, transfer these 2 stitches back to left hand needle, purl 2 together through the

SSSK: Slip 3 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 3 stitches and knit 3

st(s): stitch(es)

tbl: through back loop(s)

tog: together

w&t: wrap and turn, a method of concealing a hole created in short row shaping. On RS rows: With yarn held in front, slip stitch to be wrapped purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the back. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle, then bring the yarn to the back again. Turn your work. On WS Rows: With yarn held in back, slip stitch to be wrapped purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the front. Unless otherwise indicated, each time you come to a wrapped stitch when working subsequent rows, slip the wrap back over stitch and onto needle, then work the wrap together with its accompanying stitch.

WS: wrong side wyib: with yarn in back wyif: with yarn in front

yo: yarn over

end on WS: end having just completed a Wrong Side

end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side

Stockinette stitch (St st): Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round.

Reverse St st (Rev St st): Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round.

Garter St: Knit EVERY row when working back and forth in rows. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working in the round.

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