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SIZE

31.5" wide x 13" deep

GAUGE

16 sts x 14 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch after semi-aggressive blocking

MATERIALS

- Madelinetosh Wool + Cotton (50% superwash merino, 50% Pima cotton; 100g / 219 yds) - 1 skein, shown in Dr. Zhivago's Sky
- US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 24" circular needle, or size needed to obtain gauge
- 2 Stitch Markers
- Tapestry Needle

NOTES

1. Gauge is not critical on this piece, there was about 75 yards remaining when this bandana was cast off. However, if you don't match the gauge, it will affect the size of your finished piece.
2. When slipping the yarn at the start of the row, always hold the yarn in the front of the work then move to the back for the knits.

BANDANA

CO 3.
K 6 rows.
K3, turn work 45 degrees pu 3 sts across the top edge, turn work 45 degrees, pu 3 sts from cast on. (9 st)

Row 1: Sl1, k2, yo, pm, k3, pm, yo, k3.
Row 2, 4: Sl1, k2, p to marker, sm, k3, sm, p till 3 st remain, k3.
Row 3: Sl1, k2, yo, k1, yo, sm, k3, sm, yo, k1, yo, k3.
Row 5: Sl1, k2, yo, k3, yo, sm, k3, sm, yo, k3, yo, k3.
Row 6: Sl1, k to end.
Row 7: Sl1, k2, *yo, k2tog* to 1 st before the marker, k1, yo, sm, k3, sm, yo, k1, *k2tog, yo" to 3 st remaining, k3.
Row 8: Sl1, k to end.
Rows 9, 11: Sl1, k2, yo, k to m, yo, sm, k3, sm, yo, k till 3 st remain, yo, k3.
Rows 10, 12, 14: Sl1, k2, p to marker, sm, k3, sm, p till 3 st remain, k3.
Row 13: Sl1, k2, yo, p to marker, yo, sm, k3, sm, yo, p till 3 st remain, yo, k3.
Row 15: Repeat Row 9.
Row 16: Repeat Row 8.
Row 17-20: Repeat Rows 13-16.
Row 21-24: Repeat Rows 9-11, then Row 8.
Row 25: Sl1, k2, *yo, k2tog* to marker, yo, sm, k3, sm, yo,*k2tog, yo* to 3 st remaining, k3.

Repeat Rows 8-24 once more, then Rows 7-22 once more.

FINISHING

BO by LOOSELY k2tog tbl, then slide the remaining stitch back on the left hand needle and repeat to the end. Cut tail, pull through last loop. Block and stretch to get to finished dimensions.

ABBREVIATIONS

BO = bind off

CO = cast on

k = knit

k2tog = knit two stitches together

m = marker

p = purl

pm = place marker

pu = pick up

RS = right side

sl = slip

sm = slip marker

st(s) = stitch(es)

tbl = through back loop

yo = yarn over

KNIT