

Winona Shawl

This pretty and wearable L-shaped wrap is easy to knit like a rectangular stole, yet it wraps around your shoulders with extra coverage. The shawl is worked in sections, starting with lace on one edge, moving into stripes of different yarns and easy textures such as garter stitch, garter eyelets, and stockinette stitch.

The second section is the square in the corner of the "L," and it is worked from the lower edge upwards in textural stripes. It is attached to the first piece like a knitted-on edging.

The third piece features the same lace edging and is grafted to the center square (no sewing up!), completing the L-shape.



DIFFICULTY

Easy to Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

15" / 38 cm wide, 80" / 200 cm along outer edge of "L," 50" / 125 cm along inner edge of "L," after blocking.

YARN

Dizzy Blonde Studios Dizzy Blonde Superwash Sock / 3 ply, 100% Merino, 560 yds (500 m), 115 g (or other fingering weight yarn).

Colorways shown: A: Valley Girl (orchid) B: Heathers (gray), 1 skein of each.

NEEDLES

US 6 (4.0 mm), straights or circulars (2), or size required to achieve gauge.

GAUGE

20 st = 4 in/10 cm in stockinette stitch, after blocking.

NOTIONS

Stitch markers Yarn needle Size 6/0 beads, optional, about 50

PATTERN NOTES

To avoid having lots of ends to weave in, unused yarn is carried along on the WS.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Slip Stitch Pattern (mult of 4 + 1 sts)

Row 1 (RS): *K3, sl1 wyib, rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 2 (WS): K1, *sl1 wyif, k3, rep from * to end.

Row 3 (RS): *K1, sl1 wyib, k2, rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 4 (WS): *K3, sl1 wyif, rep from * to st, k1.