



Bowland

Materials

Approx 450m of laceweight/3-ply/light fingering weight yarn Gauge isn't so important for this knit and I'm sure it would work equally well in anything from a heavier laceweight through to sock weight.

3.75mm circular needle. I used 80cm but use whatever you are comfortable with.

Stitch markers

Abbreviations

K – Knit

P – Purl

Sl – Slip stitch

SSK – Slip,slip,knit

YO – Yarn over

SM – Slip marker

RS – Right side

WS – Wrong side

W & T – Wrap and turn. (it is only necessary to pick up and knit the wraps if they fall on a purl gutter row).

Instructions

Cast on 3 sts.

Work 50 rows in garter stitch, slipping the first stitch purlwise with yarn in front on all even numbered rows. Do not turn work. Rotate work 90 degrees and pick up 25 sts along long edge. Pick up 3 sts from cast on edge. **31 sts total.**

Place marker between 4th and 5th st and also between 27th and 28th. This marks the position of the central patterned panel.

Row 1 (RS): Sl1,K2, YO, K to marker, YO, SM, work Row 1 of panel, SM, YO, K to 3 sts before end, YO, K3. 35sts.

Row 2 (WS:):Sl1,K2, YO, K to marker, Work Row 2 of pattern panel, SM, K to 3 sts before end, YO, K3. **37sts.**

Work rows 3-33 continuing to increase as set, whilst working pattern panel from either chart or written instructions as set. Please note that there are 4 increases on every right side row and 2 increases on every wrong side row. **137 sts.**

Row 34 (WS)(1st purl gutter). Sl1. K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 10 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 35 – 39 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 11 of Pattern panel. **151 sts.**

Row 40 (WS))(2nd purl gutter). Sl1, K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 4 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 41-57 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 5 of Pattern panel. **209 sts.**

Row 58 (WS))(3rd gutter). Sl1, K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 10 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 59-63 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 11 of Pattern panel. **223 sts.**

Row 64 (WS))(4th purl gutter). Sl1, K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 4 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 65-81 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 5 of Pattern panel. **281 sts.**

Row 82 (5th purl gutter). Sl1, K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 10 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 83 – 87 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 11 of Pattern panel. **295 sts.**

Row 88 (WS))(6th purl gutter). Sl1, K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 4 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 89-105 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 5 of Pattern panel. **353 sts.**

Row 106 (WS))(7th purl gutter). Sl1, K2, YO, P to marker, SM, work row 10 of pattern panel, SM, P to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.

Row 107-110 Reverting to garter stitch for main body of shawl continue increasing as set starting from Row 11 of Pattern panel. **361 sts.**

Commence short row section

****Watch out for rows 112, 130, 136, 138, 156, and 162. These are purled to continue the purl gutters throughout the short rows.****

Row 111 Sl1, K2, YO, K161, w&t.

Row 112 P162, YO,K3 (purl gutter)

Row 113 Sl1, K2, YO, K156, w&t.

Row 114 K 157, YO, K3

Row 115 Sl1, K2, YO, K150, w&t.

Row 116 K151, YO, K3

Row 117 Sl1, K2, YO, K143, w&t.

Row 118 K144, YO, K3

Row 119 Sl1, K2, YO, K135, w&t.

Row 120 K136, YO, K3
Row 121 Sl1, K2, YO, K126, w&t.
Row 122 K127, YO, K3
Row 123 Sl1, K2, YO, K116, w&t.
Row 124 K117, YO, K3
Row 125 Sl1, K2, YO, K105, w&t.
Row 126 K106, YO, K3
Row 127 Sl1, K2, YO, K93, w&t.
Row 128 K94, YO, K3
Row 129 Sl1, K2, YO, K80, w&t.
Row 130 P81, YO, K3 (purl gutter)
Row 131 Sl1, K2, YO, K66, w&t.
Row 132 K67, YO, K3
Row 133 Sl1, K2, YO, K51, w&t.
Row 134 K52, YO, K3
Row 135 Sl1, K2, YO, K35, w&t.
Row 136 P36, YO, K3 (purl gutter)
Row 137 Sl1, K2, YO, K to marker, YO,SM, k to m, SM, YO, knit to 3 sts before end, YO, K3.
Row 138. Sl1, K2, YO, P163, w&t. (purl gutter)
Row 139. K164, YO, K3
Row 140. Sl1, K2, YO, K 158, w&t.
Row 141. K159, YO, K3
Row 142. Sl1, K2, YO, K152, w&t.
Row 143. K153, YO, K3
Row 144. Sl1, K2, YO, K145, w&t.
Row 145. K146, YO, K3
Row 146. Sl1, K2, YO, K137, w&t.
Row 147. K138, YO, K3
Row 148. Sl1, K2, YO, K128, w&t.
Row 149 K129, YO, K3
Row 150 Sl1, K2, YO, K118, w&t.
Row 151 K119, YO, K3
Row 152 Sl1, K2, YO, K107, w&t.
Row 153 K108, YO, K3
Row 154 Sl1, K2, YO, K95, w&t.
Row 155 K96, YO, K3
Row 156 Sl1, K2, YO, P82, w&t. (purl gutter)
Row 157 K83, YO, K3
Row 158 Sl1, K2, YO, K68, w&t.
Row 159 K69, YO, K3
Row 160 Sl1, K2, YO, K53, w&t.
Row 161 K54, YO, K3.
Row 162 Sl1, K2, YO, P37, w&t. (purl gutter)
Row 163 K38, YO, K3.
Row 164 K3, YO, K across all short rows to last 3 sts, YO, K3. 419 sts.
Rows 165 through 168: K3, YO, K to last 3, YO, K3. 427 sts.

Cast off all stitches as follows: *SSK, slip, stitch back to left needle tip, repeat from * to end.

Wet block into shape and enjoy your Bowland!

