Berta

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skill level: Intermediate
One size

finished measurements

Approximately 62" across top edge x 30˝ down center

materials

3 hanks *BERROCO FOLIO LUXE* (50 grs), #4628 Orion
36˝ length circular knitting needle, size 7 (4.50 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
4 st markers
Tapestry needle
Waste yarn for provisional cast-on

gauge

16 sts and 32 rows = 4˝ in charted pat (after blocking)
TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE

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SHAWL

Garter St Tab: With waste yarn and Folio Luxe, using provisional cast-on, cast on 2 sts. Knit 6 rows.
Next Row (RS): K2, turn work 90 degrees and pick up and knit 3 sts along side edge of Garter St tab, turn work 90 degrees, then knit 2 sts from provisional cast-on, removing waste yarn – 7 sts.
Next Row (WS): Knit.
Establish Chart: Row 1 (RS): K2, pm, work Row 1 of chart, pm, k1, pm, work Row 1 of chart, pm, k2 – 4 sts inc'd.
Row 2 and all WS rows: Knit.
Working charts as established, work Rows 1 – 18 of chart once, then rep Rows 19 – 34 of chart for pattern. **Note:** After each repeat of Rows 19 – 34, there will be 2 additional diamonds across in each half of the shawl. Work Rows 19 – 34 eight times total. Work Rows 35 – 43 of chart once, end on RS. Knit 3 rows.
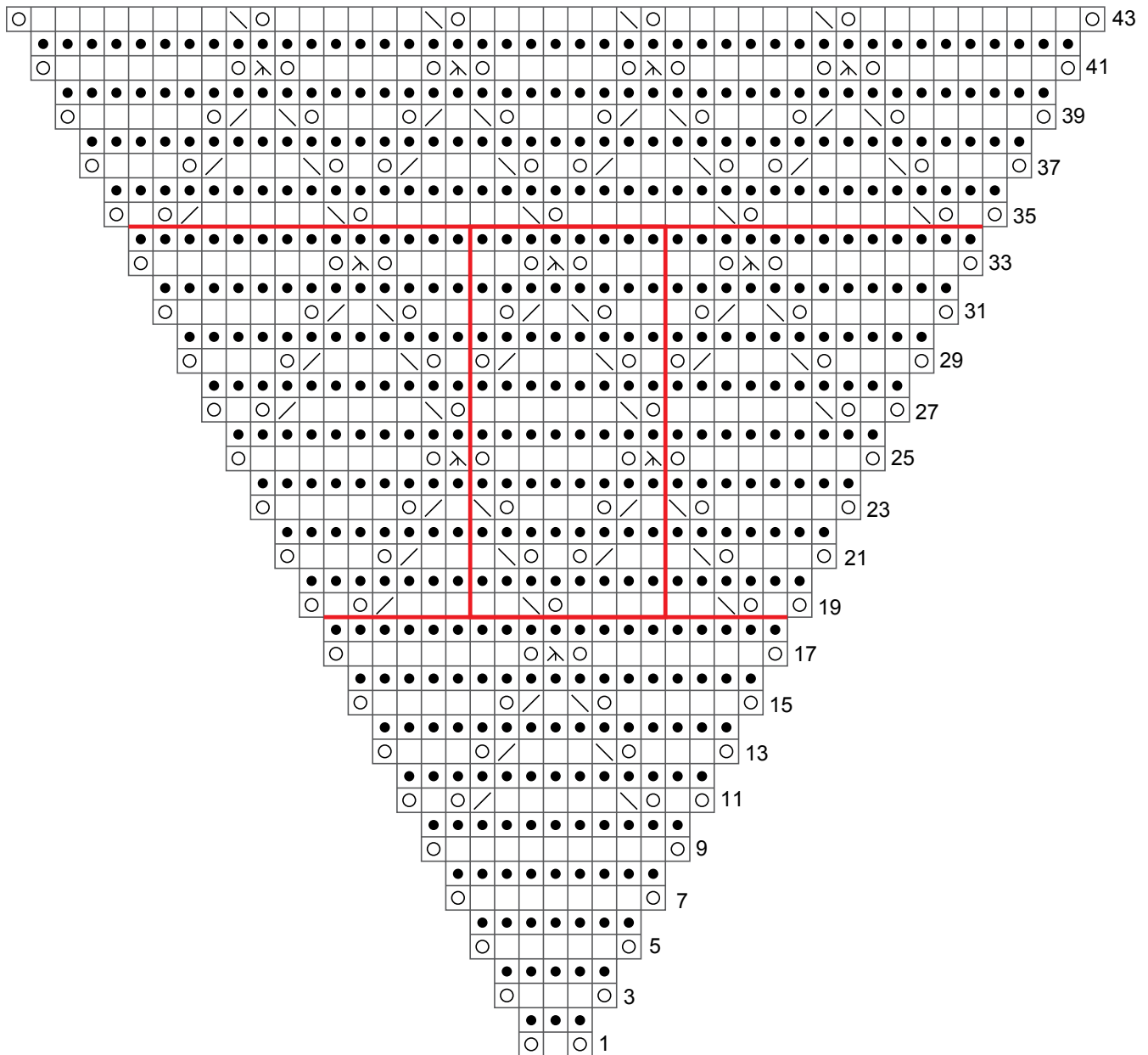
FINISHING
Bind off – we suggest using the sewn bind-off as follows:
Step 1 – Break off yarn, leaving a very long end. Thread end through tapestry needle. With yarn threaded on tapestry needle, run the needle through the first 2 sts on LH needle from right to left, pulling the yarn all the way through.
Step 2 – Run the needle back through the first st on needle from left to right, pulling the yarn all the way through. Drop first st off needle. Rep Steps 1 and 2 until all sts have been bound off. Weave in ends and block as desired.

KEY TO CHART

	knit on RS
●	knit on WS
○	yarn over
╱	k2tog
╲	ssk
入	sl 1, k2tog, pass slipped st over
▢	pattern repeat

CHART NOTES

Work from right to left on RS rows. Work from left to right on WS rows.

Work Rows 1-18 once.
Rep Rows 19-34 for pat.
There will be 2 more diamonds after each 16-row repeat.
Repeat of pat is 8 sts x 16 rows, outlined in red.

ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

Knit

beg: beginning
CC: contrasting color
CDD (centered double decrease): Slip 2 together, knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over.
cn: cable needle
cont: continue
dec: decrease
dpn: double pointed needles
est: established
inc: increase
K: knit
k tbl: knit through the back loop(s)
k2tog: Knit 2 stitches together
k3tog: Knit 3 stitches together
LH: left hand
MC: main color
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).
p: purl
p tbl: purl through the back loop(s)
pat(s): pattern(s)
pm: place marker
psso: pass slip stitch over knit stitch
p2tog: purl 2 stitches together
p2sso: pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch
p3tog: purl 3 stitches together
rem: remaining
rep: repeat
RH: right hand
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 back loops.
st(s): stitch(es)
TBL: through back loop(s)
tog: together
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 row.
end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side row
STOCKINETTE ST (St st): Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.
Reverse St st (Rev St st): Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.
GARTER ST: Knit EVERY row when working on straight needles. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working on a circular needle.

Crochet

ch: chain
dc: double crochet
hdc: half double crochet
sc: single crochet
sl st: slip stitch
sp: space
tr: treble