# Bittersweet

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**skill level:** Intermediate One size

#### finished measurements

Approximately 16" wide x 65" long

#### materials

5 hanks BERROCO FIORA (100 grs), #3805 Georgia Straight knitting needles, size 5 (3.75 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN **GAUGE** 2 st markers

#### gauge

26 sts and 31 rows = 4" in charted pattern after blocking TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK **GAUGE** 

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### **SHAWL**

Cast on 109 sts.

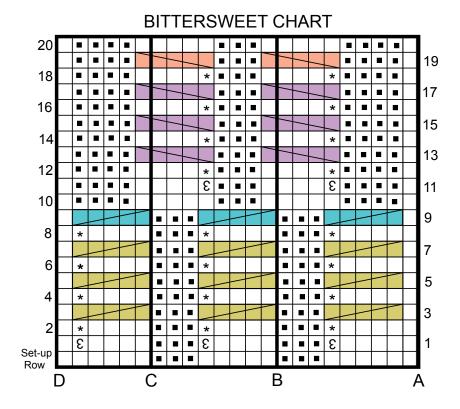
**Ribbing:** Row 1 (RS): K1, \* p1, k1, rep from \* across. **Row 2:** P1, \* k1, p1, rep from \* across. Rep these 2 rows until piece measures 3" from beg, end on RS. **Establish Chart:** Row 1 (WS): K3, pm, work Set-up Row of Chart over 103 sts, pm, k3.

**Row 2:** K3, sm, work Row 1 of Chart to last marker, sm, k3. Work even in pat as established until piece measures approximately 62" from beg, end on WS with Row 20 of Chart. Work in ribbing as for beg for 3", end on WS. Bind off in ribbing.

### **FINISHING**

Weave in all ends and block as desired.





#### **CHART NOTES**

For Set-up Row: Beg at D, work to B,

rep from C to B, end at A.

For RS rows: Beg at A, work to C,

rep from B to C, end at D.

For WS rows: Beg at D, work to B,

rep from C to B, end at A. Rep Rows 1 - 20 for pat st.

#### **KEY TO CHART**

- ☐ K on RS, p on WS
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- © Wrap yarn twice around needle when knitting st
- \* SI purlwise on WS
- SI 1 st to cn and hold in FRONT, k4, k1 from cn
- SI next st to cn and hold in FRONT (this is st that was slipped on previous row), k1, wrapping yarn twice around needle, k3, then k1 from cn
- SI 4 sts to cn and hold in BACK, k1, k4 from cn
- SI next 4 sts to cn and hold in BACK, k1 (this is the st that was slipped on previous row), k3 from cn, k last st from cn, wrapping yarn twice around needle.

## **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 needlecont: continuedec: decrease

dpn: double pointed needles

est: establishedinc: increaseK: 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 **p2toq:** 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

**w&t:** wrap and turn, a method of concealing a hole created in short row shaping. With yarn held in back, slip stitch to be wrapped purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the front. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle, then bring the yarn to the back again. Turn your work. 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

row

end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side

row

**Stockinette stitch (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.