

Rosa by Isabell Kraemer



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Yarn

Retrosaria MUNGO [240 yds (220 m)/100 g]
3 skeins in MC, *shown in color #009*
1 skein each in C1 and C2, *shown in color #001 and #004*

Or approximately

550 yds (502 m) in MC (charcoal)
98 yds (90 m) in C1 (white)
75 yds (69 m) in C2 (brown)

Needles

US 7 (4.5 mm) circular needle, 40" (100 cm)
long or size needed to get gauge.

Gauge

15 sts x 26 rows = 4 x 4" (10 x 10 cm) in
Stockinette stitch on US 7 (4.5 mm) needles
after blocking.

Gauge is not crucial for this project but will affect
yardage and final size when different.

Size

Approximately 31.5" (80 cm) deep along center,
79" (201 cm) wingspan from tip to tip.

Materials

4 stitch markers, tapestry needle, blocking tools.

Abbreviations

C1, C2: color 1, color 2

CO: cast on

inc: increase

k: knit

k2tog: knit 2 sts together (decrease)

LH: left hand

m: marker

MC: main color

M1L: from the front, lift the horizontal strand
between stitches with the left needle.

Knit (purl) through the back loop.

M1R: from the back, lift the horizontal strand
between stitches with the left needle.

Knit (purl) through the front loop.

p: purl

pm: place marker

RS: right side

RH: right hand

sl 1 wyib: slip 1 stitch from LH to RH needle,
purlwise (as if to purl) with yarn in back

sl 1 wyif: slip 1 stitch from LH to RH needle
purlwise (as if to purl) with yarn in front

sl m: slip marker

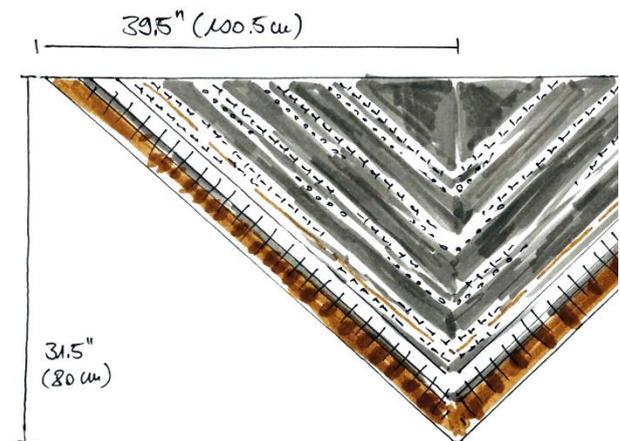
ssk: slip 2 stitches, one at a time, knitwise to the
RH needle, return stitches to LH needle in
turned position and knit them together through
the back loops (left leaning decrease)

st(s): stitch(es)

WS: wrong side

yo: yarn over (increase)

Schematic



Rosa is a triangular shawl worked flat from the
top down. Slip stitch pattern rows and a few
eyelets add interest and make this a fun and
entertaining knit. A deep ribbing in 3 colors gives
this shawl a casual and fun finish.

Instructions

Garter tab cast on

With MC, using the long-tail cast on and US 7 (4.5 mm) needle, CO 3 sts.

First row (RS): Knit.

Work 6 more rows in garter stitch (knit on RS and WS).

After the last row, do not turn work, but pick up and knit 3 sts down the left side of the fabric (one stitch in each garter ridge), then pick up and knit 3 sts in CO edge (one stitch in each CO stitch) – 9 sts on your needle.

Next row (WS): K3, pm, p1, pm, p1 (center stitch), pm, p1, pm, k3.

Row 1 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, M1L, knit to m, M1R, sl m, k1, sl m, M1L, knit to m, M1R, sl m, k3 – 13 sts

Row 2 (WS): K3, sl m, purl to m, sl m, p1, sl m, purl to m, sl m, k3.

Repeat **rows 1 + 2** 25 more times – 113 sts

Slip stitch pattern stripe

Row 1 (RS) (part 1): Slip 3 sts and marker to RH needle, attach C1, (k1, sl 1 wyif) to 1 stitch before m, k1, sl m, **sl 1 wyib**, sl m, k1, (sl 1 wyif, k1) to m, sl m, slip 3 sts to RH needle. Break C1.

Row 1 (RS) (part 2, inc row):

Note: Make sure to use/lift the MC strand when working M1L and M1R increases in this row.

Slide sts to the other end of your needle, pick up MC, k3, sl m, M1L, (sl 1 wyib, k1) to 1 stitch before m, sl 1 wyib, M1R, sl m, k1, sl m, M1L, sl 1 wyib, (k1, sl 1 wyib) to m, M1R, sl m, k3 – 117 sts

Row 2 (WS): K3, sl m, purl to m, sl m, p1, sl m, purl to m, sl m k3.

Row 3 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, M1L, knit to m, M1R, sl m, k1, sl m, M1L, knit to m, M1R, sl m, k3 – 121 sts

Row 4 (WS): Repeat row 2.

Row 5 (RS) (inc row): Repeat row 3 – 125 sts

Row 6 (WS): Repeat row 2.

Row 7 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, yo, (k2tog, yo) to 1 stitch before m, k1, yo, sl m, k1, sl m, yo, k1, (yo, ssk) to m, yo, sl m, k3 – 129 sts

Row 8 (WS): Repeat row 2.

Rows 9 - 26: Repeat **rows 3 + 4** a total of 9 times – 165 sts

Repeat **rows 1 - 26** two more times – 269 sts

Repeat **rows 1 - 6** one more time – 281 sts

Repeat **rows 1 - 6** one more time, using C2 instead of C1 – 293 sts

Repeat **rows 1 + 2** one more time, using C1 – 297 sts

Ribbing

Break MC and attach C1.

Row 1 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, M1L, p1, (k3, p1) to m, M1R, sl m, k1, sl m, M1L, p1, (k3, p1) to m, M1R, sl m, k3 – 301 sts

Row 2 (WS): K3, sl m, p1, k1, (p3, k1) to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, p1, sl m, p1, k1, (p3, k1) to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, k3.

Row 3 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, M1L, k1, p1, (k3, p1) to 1 stitch before m, k1, M1R, sl m, k1, sl m, M1L, k1, p1, (k3, p1) to 1 stitch before m, k1, M1R, sl m, k3 – 305 sts

Row 4 (WS): K3, sl m, p2, k1, (p3, k1) to 2 sts before m, p2, sl m, p1, sl m, p2, k1, (p3, k1) to 2 sts before m, p2, sl m, k3.

Row 5 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, M1L, k2, p1, (k3, p1) to 2 sts before m, k2, M1R, sl m, k1, sl m, M1L, k2, p1, (k3, p1) to 2 sts before m, k2, M1R, sl m, k3 – 309 sts

Row 6 (WS): K3, sl m, p3, (k1, p3) to m, sl m, p1, sl m, p3, (k1, p3) to m, sl m, k3.

Row 7 (RS) (inc row): K3, sl m, M1L (purl), (k3, p1) to 3 sts before m, k3, M1R (purl), sl m, k1, sl m, M1L (purl), (k3, p1) to 3 sts before m, k3, M1R (purl), sl m, k3 – 313 sts

Row 8 (WS): K3, sl m, k1, (p3, k1) to m, sl m, p1, sl m, k1, (p3, k1) to m, sl m, k3.

Row 9 (RS) (inc row): Repeat row 1 – 317 sts

Row 10 (WS): Repeat row 2.

Break C1 and attach MC.

Rows 11 - 14: Repeat **rows 3 - 6** – 325 sts

Break MC and attach C2.

Rows 15 + 16: Repeat **rows 7 + 8** – 329 sts

Rows 17 - 22: Repeat **rows 1 - 6** – 341 sts

Bind off all stitches loosely in pattern.

Finishing

Weave in all ends and wet block to measurements.

Bonus pattern: Rosa (cowl)

Designed to get the most out of the leftovers from the Rosa shawl.



Yarn

Retrosaria MUNGO [240 yds (220 m)/100 g]
1 skein each in C1, C2 and C3, *shown in color*
#001, #004 and #009

Or approximately

148 yds (135 m) in C1 (white)

93 yds (85 m) in C2 (brown)

143 yds (131 m) in C3 (charcoal)

Needles

US 6 (4 mm) circular needle, 24" (60 cm) long
or size needed to get gauge.

Gauge

18 sts x 30 rows = 4 x 4" (10 x 10 cm) in
Stockinette stitch on US 6 (4 mm) needles
after blocking.

Size

Height: 17.25" (44 cm)

Circumference:

Bottom: 28" (71 cm)

Top: 26.25" (66.5 cm)

Materials

1 stitch marker, tapestry needle, blocking
tools.

Abbreviations

BOR: beginning of the round

C1, C2, C3: color 1, color 2, color 3

CO: cast on

k: knit

k2tog: knit 2 sts together (decrease)

LH: left hand

m: marker

M1L: from the front, lift the horizontal strand between stitches with the left needle. Knit through the back loop.

p: purl

pm: place marker

RH: right hand

sl 1 wyib: slip 1 stitch from LH to RH needle, purlwise (as if to purl) with yarn in back

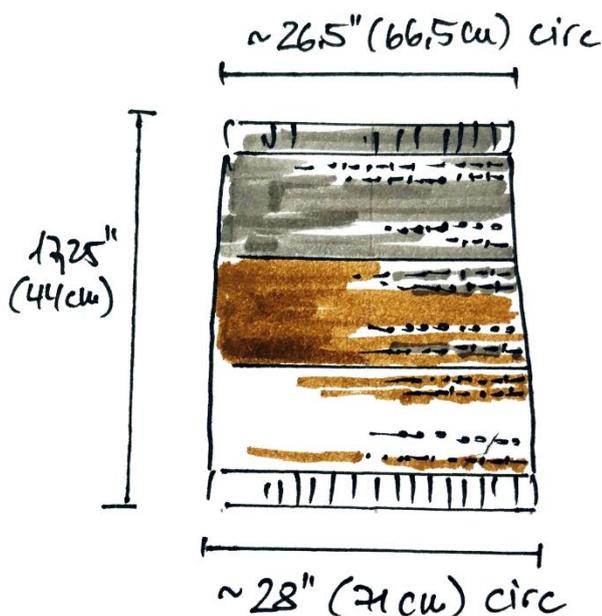
sl 1 wyif: slip 1 stitch from LH to RH needle purlwise (as if to purl) with yarn in front

sl m: slip marker

st(s): stitch(es)

yo: yarn over (increase)

Schematic



Rosa (cowl) is worked in rounds from the bottom up and uses the leftovers from the *Rosa shawl*. Slightly tapered towards the top, the *Rosa cowl* uses the same slip stitch pattern and some eyelets for a fun and entertaining knitting experience.

Instructions

With C1, using the long-tail cast on and US 6 (4 mm) needle, CO 132 sts, place marker for BOR and join to work in rounds.

Rnd 1: (K2, p2) to end.

Repeat **rnd 1** nine more times.

Rnd 11 (dec rnd): (K31, k2tog) to end – 128 sts

Rnds 12 + 13: Knit to end.

Rnd 14 (part 1): With C2, (k1, sl 1 wyif) to end. Break C2.

Rnd 14 (part 2): With C1, (sl 1 wyib, k1).

Rnds 15 - 19: Knit to end.

Rnd 20 (eyelet rnd): (K2tog, yo) to end.

Rnds 21 - 36: Knit to end.

Repeat **rnds 14 - 19** two more times. Break C1.

Attach C2.

Rnd 49 (dec rnd): (K30, k2tog) to end – 124 sts

Rnd 50 + 51: Knit to end.

Rnd 52 (part 1): With C3, (k1, sl 1 wyif) to end. Break C3.

Rnd 52 (part 2): With C2, (sl 1 wyib, k1).

Rnds 53 - 57: Knit to end.

Rnd 58 (eyelet rnd): (K2tog, yo) to end.

Rnds 59 - 74: Knit to end.

Repeat **rnds 52 - 57** two more times. Break C2.

Attach C3.

Rnd 87 (dec rnd): (K29, k2tog) to end – 120 sts

Rnd 88 + 89: Knit to end.

Rnd 90 (part 1): With C1, (k1, sl 1 wyif) to end. Break C1.

Rnd 90 (part 2): With C3, (sl 1 wyib, k1).

Rnds 91 - 95: Knit to end.

Rnd 96 (eyelet rnd): (K2tog, yo) to end.

Rnds 97 - 112: Knit to end.

Repeat **rnds 90 - 95** one more time, then **rnds 90 - 94** one more time.

Next rnd (inc rnd): (K30, M1L) to end – 124 sts

Next rnd: (K2, p2) to end.

Repeat last rnd nine more times. BO loosely in pattern.

Finishing

Weave in all ends and wet block to measurements.