Rainbow shawl

Triangular shawl, knitted as a domino triangle, i.e. starting with the legs of the triangle. The finishing point will be at the centre of the hypotenuse.

You need:

Kauni 8/2 Effektgarn, 210 grams = 924 yds / 845 m or other wool yarn of similar weight.

Circular needle size 6 mm (US 10).



Please note:

The shaping of the triangle

is made by making 3 sts into 1 (K3tog) at centre on alternating rows (RS) and decreasing 1 st (K2tog) at beginning of each row.

This will be implied throughout and ONLY specified in the instructions for the lace flower pattern.

Decrease K3tog: slip 2 sts knitwise onto R needle, K1, slip sts over knit st: 3 sts become 1 st. Always purl this st on WS.

Decrease K2 tog: slip 1st st on row purlwise, K2 tog, work row.

Outer rim:

Using knit on method, cast on 399 sts. Place markers after st no. 50, 150, 249, and 349. Work in garter st for 10 rows.

Work 7 rows st st with garter edges: slip 1, K2 tog, K9 on each row.

Work 12 rows garter st, ending with WS facing for next row.

Flower band:

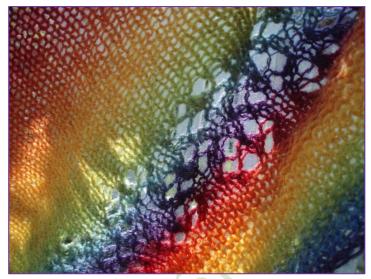
All WS rows: purl with garter edges.

Please note: the K3tog for the lace flowers is slightly different than the K3tog used for the centre decrease.

Lace K3tog: slip 1 st knitwise, K2tog, slip st over knit sts.

Row 1 (WS): slip 1, K2tog, K9; purl until 11 st remain, K11.

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Row 2: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K4, *K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 18 times, but only K2 after last flower; K3tog; K2, * K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 18 times, knit till end of row. Row 4: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K2, *K2tog, yo, K3, yo, K2tog tbl, K1*, repeat 18 times; K3tog; *K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 18 times, knit till end of row.

Row 6: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K3, *yo, K3tog, yo, K5*, repeat 18 times, but only K2 after last flower; K3tog; K2, *yo, K3tog, yo, K5*, repeat 18 times, knit till end of row.

Row 8: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K5, *K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 17 times, but only K3 after last flower; K3tog; K2, * K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 17 times, knit till end of row. Row 10: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K3, *K2tog, yo, K3, yo, K2tog tbl, K1*, repeat 17 times; K3tog; *K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 17 times, knit till end of row.

Row 12: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K4, *yo, K3tog, yo, K5*, repeat 17 times, but only K2 after last flower; K3tog; K2, *yo, K3tog, yo, K5*, repeat 17 times, knit till end of row.

Row 14: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K4, *K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 16 times, but only K4 after last flower; K3tog; K2, * K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 16 times, knit till end of row.

Row 16: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K2, *K2tog, yo, K3, yo, K2tog tbl, K1*, repeat 16 times, but K2 after last flower; K3tog; *K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog tbl, K3*, repeat 16 times, knit till end of row. Row 18: slip 1, K2 tog, K9; K3, *yo, K3tog, yo, K5*, repeat 16 times, but only K3 after last flower; K3tog; K2, *yo, K3tog, yo, K5*, repeat 16 times, knit till end of row.

Work in stocking st with garter edges, until garter edges meet. Work in garter st until final decrease.

Weave in ends. Block as desired.