

Lil Weasel



Princess Shawl

Because every girl wants to be a Princess !

Dimensions after blocking: approx. 160 cm/53'' x 55 cm/22''.

Gauge: 19 sts and 28 rows = 10 cm / 4'' in stockinette stitch, lace blocked.

Yarn & Notions:

- 4 mm / US#6 needles
- Approx. 710m/780yds of fingering weight yarn:

Striped version:

- 2 skein Primo Fingering by the Plucky Knitter (357m/100g), in the Lil Weasel colorway
- Approx. 40 g of Sock by Malabrigo, in the Ochre colorway.

2 colors version: 3 skeins of Sock by Malabrigo (400m/100g)

- Main Color: 2 skeins in Ochre, col. 803
- Contrasting Color: 1 skein in Eggplant, col. 811

Stitches and abbreviations:

MC: Main Color

p: purl

CC: couleur contrastante

yo: yarn over

k: knit

st(s) : stitch(es)

double yo: double yarn over: wrap yarn twice around the needle to create a bigger hole. On the WS row, k1, p1 in the double yo (2 sts increased).

K2tog: knit 2 sts together (1 st decreased).

ssk: slip 1, slip 1 knitwise to the right needle. Return sts to left needle, then knit them together through the back loop (1 st decreased).

Tuck fold: Looking at the WS and above with the right hand needle, pick up the stitch 4 rows below the first stitch and place it on the left hand needle. Knit together the picked up st with the 1st st. Repeat for all the other stitches.

Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZGS07-h__js

Bobble: Knit into the front of the stitch, then the back, then the front, then the back, and slide the old stitch off — 4 sts in 1. Turn your work so that the WS is facing you (the stitches are on the LH needle). Purl the 4 sts. Turn the work around again and knit the 4 sts again. With the tip of the LH needle, pull the second stitch over the first and off the RH needle. Repeat with the third and fourth sts.

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mTpZsSlisNCg>

Picot: place last st of right hand needle on left hand needle, cast on 2 sts, bind off 4 sts.

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Yf9STC2OBf0>

BO loos: Bind Off Loosely: k2, *Slip 2 sts from right hand needle to left hand needle and knit those 2 sts together through the back loop. K1 and start over from *.

Beginning:

Cast on 3 sts. with MC yarn.

Knit 9 rows (garter stitch).

Turn work and pick up 8 sts. on the side, then turn work and pick up 3 sts on the cast on row. (= 14 sts)

WS row (and all other WS row): k3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

Body:

Row 1: k3, yo, (k1, yo) x 8, k3 (=23 sts)

Row 3 and 5: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 27 sts)

Row 7: k3, yo, (k2, yo) x 10, k1, yo, k3 (= 39 sts)

Row 9, 11, 13: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 45 sts)

Row 15: k3, yo, (k2, yo) x 19, k1, yo, k3 (= 66 sts)

Row 17, 19, 21, 23, 25: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 76 sts)

Row 27: k3, yo, (k3, yo) x 23, k1, yo, k3 (= 101 sts)

Row 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 115 sts)

Row 43: k3, yo, (k3, yo) x 36, k1, yo, k3 (= 153 sts)

Row 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 175 sts)

Row 67: k3, yo, (k4, yo) x 42, k1, yo, k3 (= 219 sts)

Row 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (= 245 sts)

Row 95: k3, yo, (k5, yo) x 47, k4, yo, k3 (= 294 sts)

Row 97, 99, 101: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 300 sts)

Edge:

First Tuck Fold:

Change color : cut MC yarn and switch for CC.

Row 103 and 105: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (= 304 sts)

Row 107: For striped version only, cut CC yarn and switch for MC.

k3, yo, k3, then start the tuck fold for all stitches to last 6 sts, k3, yo, k3 (= 306 sts)

Cabochons mountings (30 pattern repeats):

Row 109 and 111: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 310 sts)

Row 113: k3, yo, k7, (yo, k10) x 29, yo, k7, yo, k3 (= 342 sts)

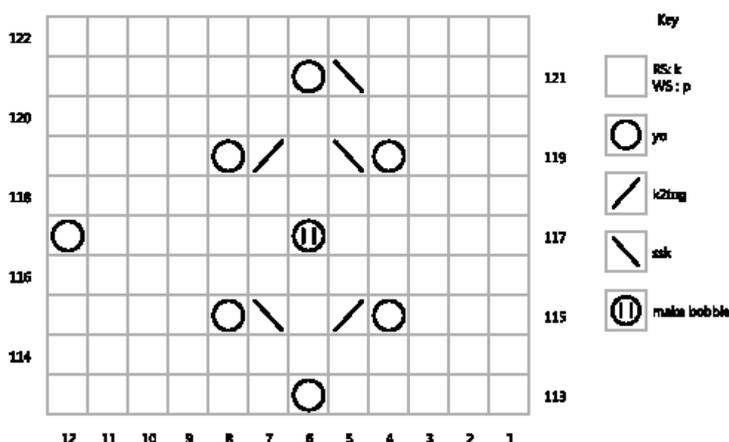
Row 115: k3, yo, k6, (yo, k2tog, k1, ssk, yo, k6) x 30, yo, k3 (= 344 sts)

Row 117: k3, yo, k9, (make bobble, k5, yo, k5) x 29, make bobble, k9, yo, k3 (= 375 sts)

Row 119: k3, yo, k8, (yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k7) x 30, k1, yo, k3 (= 377 sts)

Row 121: k3, yo, k10, (ssk, yo, k10) x 30, k1, yo, k3 (= 379 sts)

Row 123 and 125: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 383 sts)



Second Tuck Fold:

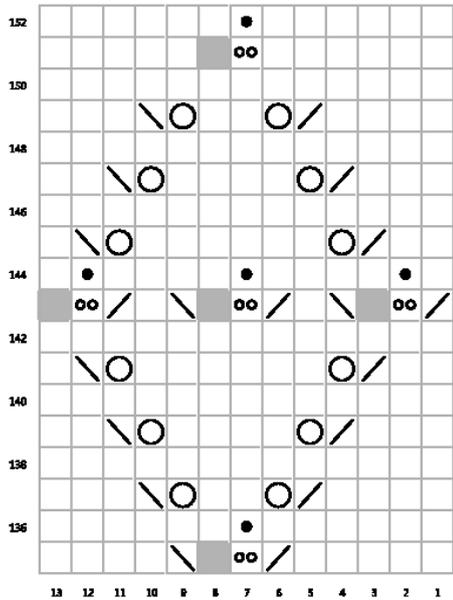
Row 127 and 129: Only for the striped version, cut CP yarn and continue with CC: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 387 sts)

Row 131: Stop CC and continue with CP: = row 107 (= 389 sts)

Diamonds openwork (38 pattern repeats):

Row 133: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 391 sts)

Row 135: k3, yo, k6, (k2tog, double yo, ssk, k6) x 37, k2tog, double yo, ssk, k5, yo, k3 (= 393 sts). Don't forget to k1, p1 in every double yo on the WS row.



- Key
- RS: k
WS: p
 - k2tog
 - yo
 - ssk
 - double yo
 - no st
 - RS: p
WS: k

Row 137: k3, yo, k6, (k2tog, yo, k2, yo, ssk, k4) x 38, k1, yo, k3 (= 395 sts)

Row 139: k3, yo, k6, (k2tog, yo, k4, yo, ssk, k2) x 38, k3, yo, k3 (= 397 sts)

Row 141: k3, yo, k6, (k2tog, yo, k6, yo, ssk) x 38, k5, yo, k3 (= 399 sts)

Row 143: k3, yo, k5, (k2tog, double yo, ssk, k1) repeat to last 6 sts, k3, yo, k3 (= 401 sts). Don't forget to k1, p1 in every double yo on the WS row.

Row 145: k3, yo, k8, (k2tog, yo, k6, yo, ssk) x 38, k7, yo, k3 (= 403 sts)

Row 147: k3, yo, k10, (k2tog, yo, k4, yo, ssk, k2) x 38, k7, yo, k3 (= 405 sts)

Row 149: k3, yo, k12, (k2tog, yo, k2, yo, ssk, k4) x 38, k7, yo, k3 (= 407 sts)

Row 151: k3, yo, k16, (double yo, k10) x 38, k5, yo, k3 (= 485 sts) Don't forget to k1 p1 in every double yo on the WS row.

Row 153 and 155: k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 489 sts)

Fleurs-de-lis (final edge):

Row 157: Cut CP yarn and continue with CC.
k3, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3 (= 491 sts)

Row 158 (WS): k all.

Row 159: k3, yo, k3 (k2tog x 2, [yo, k1] x 4, yo, ssk x 2) x 40, k2, yo, k3.

Row 160 (WS): BO loos. 10 sts, (make 3 picots, BO loos. 7 sts) x 40, BO loos. all remaining sts.

Cut yarn and weave in all ends, block pinning each central picot of each fleur-de-lis.

Admire your work...

And long live the Princess!!

