

Bluebird Lace Scarf

Note: This stole is a 10-stitch + 1 pattern repeat. To make it more narrow simply subtract 10 stitches for every repeat you want to remove. To make it wider add 10 stitches for every additional repeat. As written, this pattern will give you a stole 8 repeats wide.

<u>Yarn</u>: 1 skein of A Good Yarn hand-dyed laceweight 550 yards / 50 grams

<u>Needles</u>: Size 3 or whatever size needed to obtain desired gauge.

Abbreviations:

p – purl yo – yarn over

k - knit sk2p - slip one knit-wise,

knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over

To begin:

Loosely cast on 87 stitches. (This can be achieved with any number of cast-ons. I prefer to use a long-tail cast on done over two needles held together of whatever size needle I am working with.)

Knit 6 rows. (You will have 3 ridges on each side.)

Begin lace pattern.



Lace pattern (or see chart on page 3)

Row one: k1, p1, k1 *Purl to the last 4 sts* p1, k1, p1, k1 Row two: k1, p1, k2 *yo, k3, sk2p, k3, yo, k1* k1, p1, k1 Row three: k1, p1, k1 *Purl to the last 4 sts* p1, k1, p1, k1

Row four: k1, p1, k1, p1 *k1, yo, k2, sk2p, k2, yo, k1, p1 * k1, p1, k1

Row five: k1, p1, k1 *k1, p9* k2, p1, k1

Row six: k1, p1, k1, p1*k2, yo, k1, sk2p, k1, yo, k2, p1* k1, p1, k1

Row seven: k1, p1, k1 *k1, p9* k2, p1, k1

Row eight: k1, p1, k1, p1 *k3, yo, sk2p, yo, k3, p1 * k1, p1, k1

Continue working rows 1 - 8 until desired length. Knit 6 rows and with right side facing you, bind off loosely.

You can use the stretchy bind off of your choosing. I used a lace bind off, which creates an open, very stretchy edge. A lace bind-off is done as follows:

Purl two stitches, slip them back to the left needle, and then purl them together. Purl another stitch, slip the two stitches back to the left needle and purl them together. Repeat until you have bound off all stitches.

Wash and block.



sk2p = slip 1 knit-wise, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over

Purl on RS, Knit on WS

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Area in red on chart is equivalent to *...* in written pattern



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