



## Amanda's Wrap

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Wearing this wrap makes you feel like you are getting a hug! I got the idea to make this wrap from a friend who was complaining that wearing a rectangular shawl was fun, but she did not like it moving around.



Once I finished designing and knitting up the wrap, during the photo-shoot, in preparation of the pattern release, another friend told me that she had seen a similar wrap pattern on Ravelry. My heart sank! But, once I checked on Ravelry, I realized that even though my pattern was similar, it was different enough.

The yarns posted for this pattern are winter type yarns, but I would imagine that this wrap would

also look great worked up in an aran or bulky cotton yarn.

**Size:** One Size, approx. 15" x 60"

**Yarn:** 550 yards of Aran or Chunky weight yarn  
Berroco Vintage™ Chunky – 5 skeins  
Cascade Yarns Pacific Chunky – 5 skeins  
Mirasol Yarn Sulka – 10 skeins

**Gauge:** 16 sts/4"

**Needles:** U.S. 10 (6 mm) needles  
*Always use the size needle that gets gauge.*

**Notions:** 3 – 2" buttons  
2 stitch markers  
Tapestry needle  
If working a Tulip Buttonhole – crochet hook & 1 DPN needle size U.S. 6, 7 or 8

### **Abbreviations:**

<b>st/sts</b>	stitch/stitches
<b>CO</b>	cast on
<b>BO</b>	bind off
<b>PM</b>	place stitch marker
<b>RM</b>	remove marker
<b>SM</b>	slip stitch marker
<b>WS</b>	wrong-side row
<b>RS</b>	right-side row
<b>K</b>	knit
<b>P</b>	purl

Buttonhole Recommendation:

Because the buttonhole is worked over 5 sts, I recommend working a Tulip Buttonhole.

- *Knitting Daily* has a great instructional video on you tube:  
[www.youtube.com/watch?v=pPgtZj8UQA](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pPgtZj8UQA)
- *The Techknitting Blog* has a great picture tutorial:  
<http://techknitting.blogspot.com/2012/03/horizontal-buttonholes-including-new.html>

**Directions:**

CO 61 sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** Work in \* K1,P1 \*ribbing, ending with a K1 st.

**Row 2 (WS):** Work next row in ribbing pattern. Repeat Row 1 & 2 – 2 more times.

**Row 3 (RS):** \* K1, P1 \* - rep 3 times, PM, k all sts until 6 sts remain, PM, \* P1, K1 \* - rep 3 times.

**Row 4 (WS):** \* P1, K1 \* - rep 3 times, SM, p all sts until 6 sts remain, PM, \* K1, P1 \* - rep 3 times.

Repeat **Row 3 & 4** until piece measures 9.5” from cast-on edge.

**Next RS Row:** \* K1, P1 \* - rep 3 times, SM, k10 sts, work button hole over next 5 sts, k all sts until 6 sts remain, SM, \* P1, K1 \* - rep 3 times.

Repeat **Row 3 & 4** until piece measures 58” from cast-on edge or until there is enough yarn left over to work 2 rows and one BO row.

**Row 1a (RS):** K1, \* P1, K1 \* - repeat until 1 st remains, P1.

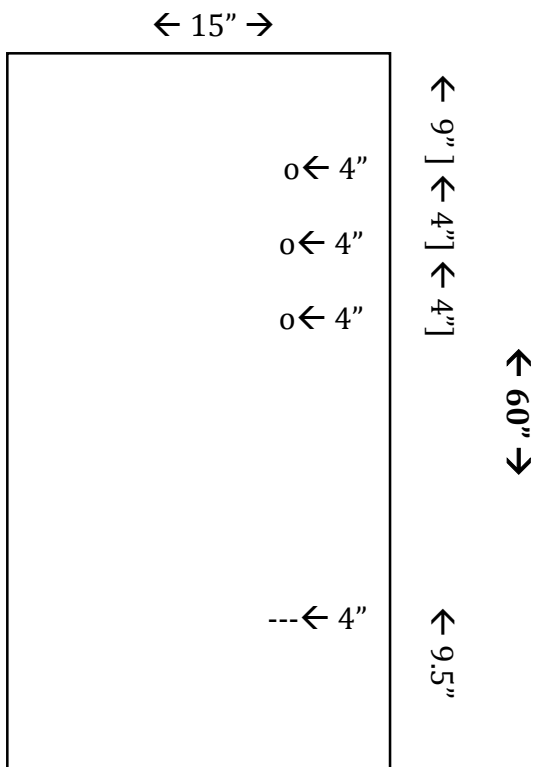
**Row 2b (WS):** K1, \* P1, K1 \* - repeat until 1 st remains, P1.

BO all sts in next row.

**Finishing:**

Weave in ends, Block piece to 15” x 60” measurement.

With RS facing, sew on three buttons on same side of button hole (right side of piece), measure 4” from the right edge, first button – 9” from bind off edge, second button – 4” from 1<sup>st</sup> button, third button – 4” from 2<sup>nd</sup> button.



**Legend:**

- o - button
- - buttonhole