



# Winter Chill

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## Getting Started.

**Size:** About 60" (152.5cm) wide on the long side and 60" (152.5cm) long at the point

**Needles:** Size US 4 (3.5mm), or size needed to obtain gauge

**Yarn:** 100 grams of fingering weight yarn (also called sock yarn or 4ply yarn), see note on yarn below

**Additional Materials:** tapestry needle for weaving ends, one stitch marker

**Gauge:** Not super important in this pattern! My gauge is 4.5 stitches per inch (2.5cm) to achieve the size listed above with 100 grams of yarn.

**Note on yarn:** I used Knit Picks Stroll Gradient, 458 yards, merino wool and nylon blend. The shawl will look good with a solid color, but I like the look of the color changes with the gradient yarn. If you google "gradient fingering weight yarn" you will see several yarn companies that are selling yarn similar to the Knit Picks Gradient. The colorway I used in my shawl is Sea You Later.

### Abbreviations:

BO - bind-off

CO - cast-on

K - knit

K2tog - knit two stitches together

P - purl

PM - place marker

RS - right side

SM - slip marker

SSK - slip, slip, knit decrease

WS - wrong side

YO - yarn over

## Video Links

Introduction: <https://youtu.be/nExUgYoLyaY>

Part 2, Working the Garter Tab and Stitch Patterns: <https://youtu.be/nExUgYoLyaY?t=332>

Part 3, Bind-Off and Blocking: <https://youtu.be/nExUgYoLyaY?t=1545>

# Directions.

## GARTER TAB

CO 3 stitches, knit 6 rows. At the end of the 6th row, do not turn work. Pick up 3 stitches along the side edge, then 3 stitches along the CO edge. 9 stitches

**Setup Row 1 (WS):** K3, YO, k to last 3 stitches, YO, K3. 11 stitches

**Setup Row 2:** K3, YO, K2, YO, PM, K1, YO, K2, YO, K3. 15 stitches

**Setup Row 3:** K across all stitches, slipping the marker when you come to it.

After finishing the Garter Tab, work through the following sections. I kept knitting until I was nearly out of yarn...I was able to work through the four sections three times, then I bound-off.

1. Garter Section
2. Zig Zag Pattern A
3. Stockinette Section
4. Zig Zag Pattern B

GARTER SECTION (This section will add 48 stitches to your count.)

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, YO, K to center marker, YO, SM, K1, YO, K to last 3 stitches, YO, K3 (4 stitches increased).

**Row 2:** K across all stitches, slipping the marker when you come to it.

Work these two rows a total of 12 times.

ZIG ZAG PATTERN A (This section will add 24 stitches to your count.)

**Rows 1, 5, 9 (RS):** K3, YO, K1, \*yo, k2tog\*, repeat between \*s to 1 stitch before center marker, K1, YO, SM, K1, YO, K1, \*ssk, yo\*, repeat between \*s to last 4 stitches, K1, YO, K3

**Row 2 and all WS Rows:** K3, P to 1 stitch before center marker, K1, SM, P to last 3 stitches, K3

**Rows 3, 7, 11:** K3, YO, K2, \*yo, k2tog\*, repeat between \*s to marker, YO, SM, K1, YO, \*ssk, yo\*, repeat between \*s to last 5 stitches, K2, YO, K3

**Row 12:** Repeat Row 2.

Work these 12 rows a total of 2 times.

STOCKINETTE SECTION (This section will add 8 stitches to your count.)

**Rows 1 & 3 (RS):** K3, YO, K to center marker, YO, SM, K1, YO, K to 3 stitches from the end, YO, K3.

**Rows 2 & 4:** K3, P to 1 stitch before center marker, K1, SM, P to last 3 stitches, K3

Work these 4 rows a total of 2 times.

ZIG ZAG PATTERN B (This section will add 24 stitches to your count.)

**Rows 1, 5, 9 (RS):** K3, YO, K1, \*ssk, yo\* repeat between \*s to 1 stitch before marker, K1, YO, SM, K1, YO, K1, \*yo, k2tog\* to last 4 stitches, K1, YO, K3

**Row 2 and all WS Rows:** K3, P to 1 stitch before center marker, K1, SM, P to last 3 stitches, K3

**Rows 3, 7, 11:** K3, YO, \*ssk, yo\* to 2 stitches before marker, K2, YO, SM, K1, YO, K2, \*yo, k2tog\* to last 3 stitches, YO, K3

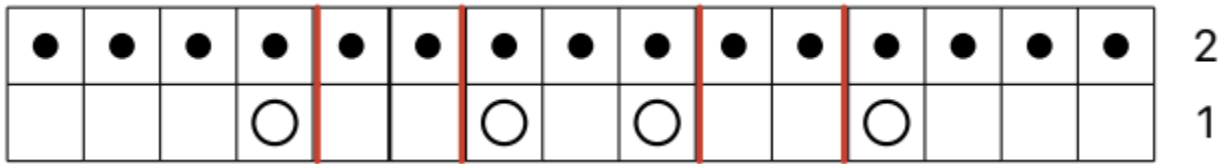
**Row 12:** Repeat Row 2.

Work these 12 rows a total of 2 times.

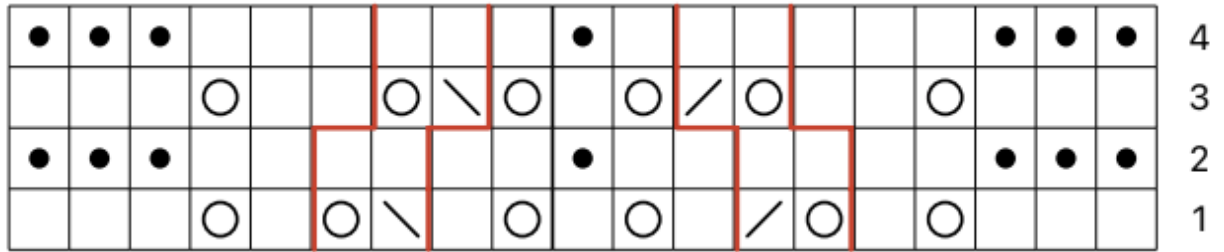
Continue working through these four sections until you are nearly out of yarn (just leave enough for a bind-off!). You can stop and BO really anywhere in the pattern...I stopped at the end of Zig Zag B, after working through the sections three times, and I like the way it looks. Bind-off using a stretchy BO, as demonstrated in the video, and weave in the ends.

# Charts.

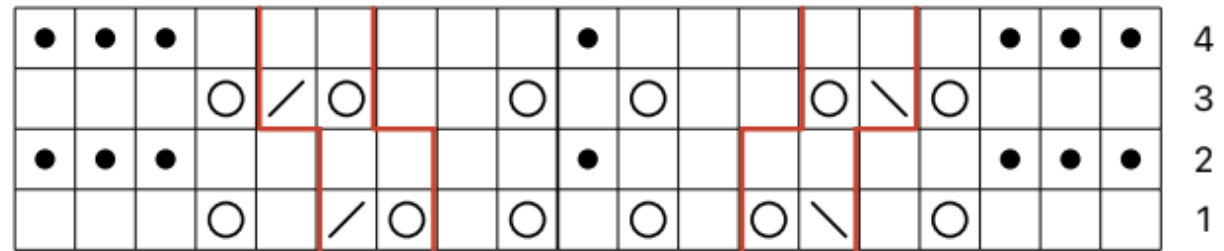
Garter Section Chart



Zig Zag Pattern A Chart



Zig Zag Pattern B Chart



Symbol

Right Side

Wrong Side



**k**  
knit

**p**  
purl



**p**  
purl

**k**  
knit



**k2tog**  
knit 2 together

**p2tog**  
purl 2 together



**ssk**  
slip, slip, knit

**ssp**  
slip, slip, purl



**yo**  
yarn over

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