

Gilded Age Triangle Shawl Knit pattern

US 15 24" circular needle required to hold large number of stitches

Approximate finished size: 80" x 30" - stretches slightly when worn

Wind both Gilded Age skeins prior to knitting and work shawl holding the 2 yarns double stranded You will be knitting a nice airy fabric.

Shawl is made by increasing and decreasing along the bottom edge of the right side of your shawl (visible side when worn) while adding a 3 stitch garter edge border on your wrong side (purl) rows. **Helpful tip: If you have a scale, before beginning your work, weigh your sparkle yarn (which has a little less yardage than the fluffy yarn). It's a great way to determine YOUR half way point. When you've used half the weight of your sparkle yarn, you're ready to begin decreases.**

Using a US15 circular needle, Cast on 2 stitches.

Row 2: Knit 2

Row 3: Knit front and back, K1 (3 stitches)

Row 4: Knit 3,

Row 5: Knit front and back, K2 (4 stitches)

Row 6: Knit 4

Row 7: Knit front and back, K3 (5 stitches)

Row 8: Knit 5

Row 9: Knit front and back, K4 (6 stitches)

Row 10: Knit 6

From this point on you will start adding purl stitches on the reverse side of your shawl, increasing and later decreasing on purl stitch rows in between you 3 stitch garter stitch border. If you would like to make your garter stitch border bigger, start adding purl stitches in a later row in between your desired number of knit stitches).

Row 1: Knit front and back. Knit to end of row.

Row 2: K3. Purl 1. K3. (If you want a larger garter stitch border start your purls in between your desired edge - between K4 - K4 or K5 - K5 etc)

Continue Rows 1 and 2, increasing on each knit row and adding purls between your K3 edges

(Knit rows: Kf&b, Knit across. Purl rows: K3, P2, K3. K3, P3, K3. K3, P4 etc . . .)

Continue until you have 60 stitches on your needle. You will be getting close to your center row. *Check your gauge. My gauge is 12 stitches = 4" and 14 rows = 4". If you are close, continue until you have 74 stitches on your needle. If your tension is looser and you have less stitches per inch, start your decreases on row 70. Begin decrease rows. Work as you have been but all increase rows become decrease rows by K2tog (knit 2 together). After you decrease to your last few rows, your purl stitches will be eliminated and you will be working all knit stitches while decreasing until you have 2 stitches to bind off*

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