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Cascade 220® Merino Golden Honey Bell Poncho

Designed by Ethel Weinberg

Skill Level:



Size:

One adult women's size

Finished Measurements:

48" circumference a lower edge
18" circumference, unstretched,
at neck edge 19.5" long

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns®
Cascade 220® Merino;
100% Merino Wool; 100 g
(3.5 oz) / 220 yds (200 m)
- A - 2 skeins color #16 (Olive Oil)
- B - 2 skeins color #12 (Jet)
- US 8 (5.0 mm) 16"
circular knitting needles
or size to obtain gauge
- US 8 (5.0 mm) 24"
circular knitting needles
or size to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- 14 stitch markers



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Gauge:

Approx 18 sts x 24 rows = 4" (10 cm) Blocked, in Stockinette stitch

Abbreviations:

BO	= Bind off
CO	= Cast on
K	= Knit
M1	= Insert the left needle from front to back into the horizontal strand between the 2 stitches (stitch on the left needle and the stitch on the right needle). Knit the stitch through the back loop.
P	= Purl
PM	= Place marker
Rep	= Repeat
Rnd(s)	= Round(s)
Sl	= Slip stitch
St(s)	= Stitch(es)
Tbl	= Through the back loop

Special Stitches:

Zigzag Mosaic

(multiple of 14 sts and 14 rnds)

Rnd 1: [Color A] *(K1, sl 1) three times, k3, (sl 1, k1) twice, sl 1; rep from * around.

Rnd 2 and all other even rnds: [Work same color as in preceding rnd.] Knit all the sts knitted in the previous rnd and slip all the sts slipped in the previous rnd.

Instead of looking at the chart on even rnds, look at the colors on your needle. Knit the sts of the color of the working yarn and slip the sts of the other color.

Rnd 3: [Color B] *K6, (sl 1, k1) twice, k4; rep from * around.

Rnd 5: [Color A] *(K1, sl 1) twice, k7, sl 1, k1, sl 1; rep from * around.

Rnd 7: [Color B] *K4, (sl 1, k1) four times, k2; rep from * around.

Rnd 9: [Color A] *K1, sl 1, k11, sl 1; rep from * around.

Rnd 11: [Color B] *K2, (sl 1, k1) six times; rep from * around.

Rnd 13: [Color A] K around.

Rnd 14: [Color A] K around.

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Broken Rib

Rnd 1: *K2, p2; rep from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 2: K around.

Notes:

*The poncho is worked in the round from the top down.

*Cut yarn after each stripe or block of color is completed, except when working the Zigzag Mosaic, leaving a 7" tail for weaving in ends.

*Change to 24" needles when there are too many sts to fit on 16" needles.

* Slip all sts purlwise with yarn in back.

Directions:

Set-up

Starting at the neck edge and using 16" needles, CO 60 sts with Color A.

Join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts, and PM for beginning of rnd.

Knit 3 rnds.

Neck Ribbing

Next rnd: *K1 tbl, p1; rep around.

Continue to work neck ribbing until piece measures 3 1/4".

Body

Knit 2 rnds.

Next rnd: *K3, m1; rep fr om* around. (80 sts)

Change to Color B and knit 1 rnd.

Next rnd: *K4, m1; rep from * around. (100 sts)

Next rnd: K around.

Next rnd: *K5, m1; rep from * around. (120 sts)

Next rnd: K around.

Next rnd: *K6, m1; rep from * around. (140 sts)

Next rnd: K around.



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Next rnd: *K7, m1; rep from * around. (160 sts)

Next rnd: K around.

Next rnd: *K8, m1; rep from * around. (180 sts)

Next rnd: K around.

Next rnd: *K20, m1; rep from * around. (189 sts)

Next rnd: K around.

Next rnd: *K27, m1; rep from * around. (196 sts)

Change to Color A and knit 8 rnds.

Change to Color B and knit 8 rnds.

Work 3 more sets of the 8-rnd stripes, continuing to alternate colors. (You will have eight 8-rnd stripes, 4 in Color A and 4 in Color B.)

Zigzag Mosaic

To keep track of the stitch pattern, PM between each 14-st rep. Work the 14-row Zigzag Mosaic pattern from either the chart or the written instructions (see “Special Stitches”).

Change to Color B and knit 1 rnd.

Broken Rib Bottom Border

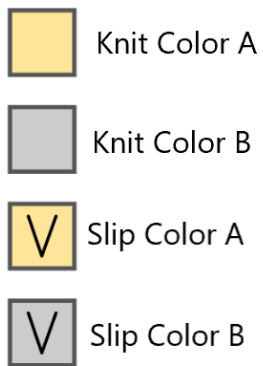
Change to Color A and work 10 rnds of the Broken Rib pattern (see “Special Stitches”).

BO loosely. Weave in ends.
 Block to measurements.



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Golden Honey Bell Poncho Chart



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V		V		V					V		V		V		1
14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1		

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