

- Design:** Angelique den Brok
- Proposed yarns:** 2 skeins *Madelinetosh Tosh Merino Light* — shown in colorway *Nassau Blue*  
or 2 skeins *Madelinetosh Twist Light* — shown in colorway *Cactus Flower*
- Other materials:** Circular needles 80 cm and 120 cm, 3.5 mm (US 4)  
Darning needle to weave in ends
- Gauge:** 22 sts = 10 cm in Stockinette stitch  
*Please heed our notes concerning gauge on page 2.*
- Finished size:** 41 cm height in the middle; 172 cm length at the top (measured along the inside curve); 280 cm length at the bottom (measured along the outside curve)

When Carolin asked me to design something for Lanade in *Madelinetosh*, I was more than thrilled. There's lots of nice yarns out there, but nobody does subtle colour variations as well as they do (although I love the bold speckled yarns, too).

So I designed a large crescent shaped shawl with clean lines and a small ruffled edge, so the yarn and its magnificent colors get all the attention. The crescent is ample and drapes nicely over the shoulders. The short ruffle is shaped with knit and purl stitches and yarnovers, so it stays in shape and doesn't curl too much.



### *Notes concerning gauge:*

Gauge is not critical, but if it is way off, you might get a smaller or larger shawl and you might also run out of yarn. As a guidance, this is how much yarn we used: Angelique had to start on the second skein after row 121 was completed. When the shawl was finished, 21 grams of yarn remained. Marina had to start on a second skein after row 123 was completed. When the shawl was finished, 23 grams of yarn remained.

### *Abbreviations:*

k.....	knit	p .....	purl
*...*	repeat the instructions between asterisks		
kfb .....	(knit front back) knit into the front of the next stitch then knit again into the back of the same stitch (1 stitch increased)		
pfb .....	(purl front back) purl into the front of the next stitch then purl again into the back of the same stitch (1 stitch increased)		
m1 .....	(make one) pick up the bar between the last and the next stitch with your left hand needle, coming from the back and knit it through the front loop (1 stitch increased)		
yo .....	(yarnover) wrap the yarn from front to back over the right hand needle; work the yarnovers like normal stitches in the next row (1 stitch increased)		



### *Basic patterns used:*

#### Stockinette stitch pattern:

**Row 1 (right side):** k2, kfb, k to last 3 sts, kfb, k2

**Row 2 (wrong side):** k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2

#### Garter stitch pattern:

**Row 1 (right side):** k2, kfb, k to last 3 sts, kfb, k2

**Row 2 (wrong side):** k2, kfb, k to last 3 sts, kfb, k2

#### Helpful hints:

In rows 79, 103 and 127 there will be a few extra stitches left after you worked the last repeat. These stitches are **highlighted**, so you will know that you did nothing wrong and your stitch count is still correct.

All edge stitches are knit stitches. Make sure to knit the first stitch of every row quite loosely, but not extremely loose. The edge needs to be supple, but firm, so the ruffles will drape nicely.



### Directions:

#### Setup:

Cast on 3 sts. Knit 6 rows. Do not turn the work after the last row, but rotate the work 90 degrees to the right. Pick up and knit 3 sts down the left side of the work – one st in each Garter ridge. Rotate the work 90 degrees to the right again. Pick up and knit 3 sts from the cast on edge. — 9 sts

*It's not at all difficult but it might seem odd when you do this for the first time. In our blog we have a helpful video for this method: <http://www.lanade.de/blog/garter-tab>*

**Next row (wrong side):** k2, p5, k2

#### Shawl body:

<b>Row 1 (right side):</b>	k2, kfb 5 times, k2	— 14 sts
<b>Row 2 (wrong side):</b>	k2, pfb, p8, pfp, k2	— 16 sts
<b>Row 3-6:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 2 times	— 24 sts
<b>Row 7:</b>	k2, kfb, *k2, m1* 9 times, kfb, k2	— 35 sts
<b>Row 8:</b>	k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2	— 37 sts
<b>Row 9-12:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 45 sts
<b>Row 13-18:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 3 times	— 57 sts
<b>Row 19 (right side):</b>	k2, kfb, *k3, m1* 17 times, kfb, k2	— 76 sts
<b>Row 20 (wrong side):</b>	k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2	— 78 sts
<b>Row 21-24:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 86 sts
<b>Row 25-32:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 4 times	— 102 sts
<b>Row 33-36:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 110 sts
<b>Row 37-44:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 4 times	— 126 sts
<b>Row 45-48:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 134 sts
<b>Row 49-54:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 3 times	— 146 sts
<b>Row 55 (right side):</b>	k2, kfb, *k4, m1* 35 times, kfb, k2	— 183 sts
<b>Row 56 (wrong side):</b>	k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2	— 185 sts
<b>Row 57-60:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 193 sts
<b>Row 61-68:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 4 times	— 209 sts
<b>Row 69-72:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 217 sts
<b>Row 73-78:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 3 times	— 229 sts

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<b>Row 79 (right side):</b>	k2, kfb, *k5, m1* 44 times, <b>k3</b> , kfb, k2	— 275 sts
<b>Row 80 (wrong side):</b>	k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2	— 277 sts
<b>Row 81-84:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 285 sts
<b>Row 85-92:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 4 times	— 301 sts
<b>Row 93-96:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 309 sts
<b>Row 97-102:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 3 times	— 321 sts
<b>Row 103 (right side):</b>	k2, kfb, *k6, m1* 52 times, <b>k3</b> , kfb, k2	— 375 sts
<b>Row (wrong side):</b>	k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2	— 377 sts
<b>Row 105-108:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 385 sts
<b>Row 109-116:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 4 times	— 401 sts
<b>Row 117-120:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 409 sts
<b>Row 121-126:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 3 times	— 421 sts
<b>Row 127 (right side):</b>	k2, kfb, *k7, m1* 59 times, <b>k2</b> , kfb, k2	— 482 sts
<b>Row 128 (wrong side):</b>	k2, pfb, p to last 3 sts, pfb, k2	— 484 sts
<b>Row 129-132:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 2 times	— 492 sts
<b>Row 133-140:</b>	work Stockinette stitch pattern 4 times	— 508 sts
<b>Row 141-143:</b>	work Garter stitch pattern 1½ times	— 514 sts

*Note: You will end with a right side row.*

At this point, count your stitches. If you don't have exactly 514 sts, you can now smuggle a few in or decrease a few in the last row. If your stitch count is way off (say, by more than 5 stitches), you might have made a bigger mistake, but if you only have 2 or 3 stitches too few or too many, you probably just missed an increase somewhere – no one will notice, just correct it in the next row so you can start the border.

Work the next row as follows, so do **not** increase at the end of the row:

<b>Row 144 (wrong side):</b>	k2, kfb, k to the end	— 515 sts
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### Ruffle border:

Switch to the longer circular needle when needed:

<b>Row 1:</b>	k2, p1, *k1, p3* to last 4 sts and end with k1, p1, k2	— 515 sts
<b>Row 2:</b>	k3, p1, *k3, p1* to last 3 sts and end with k3	— 515 sts
<b>Row 3:</b>	k2, p1, *yo, k1, yo, p3* to last 4 sts and end with yo, k1, yo, p1, k2	— 771 sts
<b>Row 4:</b>	k3, p3, *k3, p3* to last 3 sts and end with k3	— 771 sts
<b>Row 5:</b>	k2, p1, *yo, k3, yo, p3* to last 6 sts and end with yo, k3, yo, p1, k2	— 1027 sts
<b>Row 6:</b>	k3, p5, *k3, p5* to last 3 sts and end with k3	— 1027 sts
<b>Row 7:</b>	k2, p1, *yo, k5, yo, p3* to last 8 sts and end with yo, k5, yo, p1, k2	— 1283 sts
<b>Row 8:</b>	k3, p7, *k3, p7* to last 3 sts and end with k3	— 1283 sts

Bind off all stitches: Knit the knit stitches, purl the purl stitches and always pull the first stitch over the second stitch on your right hand needle – you don't have to bind off extra loosely, just bind off as usual and the border will be fine.







### *Finishing and shaping:*

Weave in ends. Now soak the shawl in lukewarm water for 20 minutes, roll it in a towel to lose excess water (do not press too hard) and lay it out to dry. You don't have to use pins, just shape the shawl in a crescent shape – the shawl will let you know how it wants to be shaped.

Now form the *bells* of the ruffle with your fingers as follows: with your left hand (right if you are left handed) press lightly on the edge of the shawl — just before the border — and shape the ruffles with the thumb and forefinger of your right hand. The purl stitches of the border will naturally lay low and the knit stitches will rise, so pick up each *bell*, pull it a little away from the shawl and upwards. This way the border will be nice and even once the shawl is dry.

