Arles - a large scarf in a simple lace pattern

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A vibrant scarf. Work it in bright summer color like the ones shown or choose natural shades of beige, brown and rose for a softer, more muted scarf. The scarf is knit in Arwetta Classic, but if you want something even softer, you could knit it in Arwetta ekstra fin merino.

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Materials

Arwetta Classic by Filcolana: 150 g in color 254 (coral) (color A) 50 g in each of the following colors: 277 (cayenne) (color B), 243 (basswood green) (color C), 255 (limelight) (color D)

4 mm needles (preferably a long circular needle for the edges)

Measurements

Approx. 46 x 162 cm

Gauge

32 sts and 24 in charted pattern on 4 mm needles = 10×10 cm.

Scarf

Cast on 140 sts using color B.

Knit 1 row in color B

Knit 2 rows in color A

Knit 2 rows in color C

Work 4 rows in pattern (se chart on page 2) in color D

Work 4 rows in pattern with color A





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Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Knit 2 rows in color C Knit 2 rows in color A Knit 2 rows in color B Work 4 rows in pattern with color C Work 4 rows in pattern with color A Work 4 rows in pattern with color D Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Knit 2 rows in color A Knit 2 rows in color D Knit 2 rows in color C Work 4 rows in pattern with color A Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Work 4 rows in pattern with color D Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Work 4 rows in pattern with color A Knit 2 rows in color C Knit 2 rows in color B Knit 2 rows in color D Work 4 rows in pattern with color A Work 4 rows in pattern with color D Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Work 4 rows in pattern with color A

Work 4 rows in pattern with color C

Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Work 4 rows in pattern with color D

Work 4 rows in pattern with color A Work 4 rows in pattern with color B Work 4 rows in pattern with color A Work 4 rows in pattern with color D Work 4 rows in pattern with color C

Continue in pattern with color A for a total of 160 rows.

Work stripes again alternating between working in pattern and in garter ridges as above, but in reverse sequence – starting with the last lie and ending with the first.

Bind off loosely using color B.

Edges

Pick up and knit approx. 3 sts for every 4 rows along one side of the shawl. knit 4 rows. Bind off knit-wise loosely on the WS. Fold the edge over and loosely sew the bind-off edge to the row where stitches were picked up. Knit an edge for the other side in the same way.

Finishing

Rinse the scarf, put it through a (dry) spin cycle in the washing machine and let it dry on a flat surface. Pull the arches a bit while the scarf is drying.

Chart, lace pattern 4 3 2 1 knit on the RS, purl on the WS purl on the RS, knit on the WS yarn over k2tog Slip 1, k1, pass slipped stitch over pattern repeat

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