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## ABBREVIATIONS:

- st(s)** = stitch(es)  
**k** = knit  
**p** = purl  
**RS** = right side  
**WS** = wrong side  
**tbl** = through the back loop(s)  
**tog** = together  
**M1** = Make 1 Left: Pick up the chain between stitches from front to back with the left needle and knit it through the back loop

## EDGE STITCHES (4 stitches)

It is important that the edges do not become too tight, so there is a yarn over at the beginning of every row. The edge stitches are not shown in the chart.

Start every row (both RS and WS) as follows:

Slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held in front, yarn over, k1, k2tog.

End all rows (both RS and WS) as follows:

Work to the last 4 sts on the needle (not incl. yarn over), k2tog tbl, k1, let the yarn over fall off the needle. k1.

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The bandana is worked so the cast on stitches form the sides of the scarf. This means that you start by casting on all of the stitches, then decrease on every row, so the number of stitches is quickly reduced. The bandana is worked back and forth on a circular needle.

## PATTERN

Cast on 331 sts loosely, optionally using a UK size 8 [4 mm] needle for the cast on only.

Change to a UK size 11 [3 mm] circular needle and work as follows:

**Row 1 (RS):** K165, place a marker, k1 [centre stitch], place a marker, k165.

Now start working in pattern from the chart (remembering to work the 4 edge sts that are not shown in the chart) or from the instructions below.

The centre 3 sts are knit on all rows and on RS rows decreases are worked on both sides of the centre stitch. Slip markers while knitting, making sure that they are always on either side of the centre stitch.

**Row 2:** 4 edge sts, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 3:** 4 edge sts, knit to 2 sts before marker, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 4:** 4 edge sts, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

Repeat Row 2 and 3 twice more. A total of 8 rows have been worked.

**Row 9:** 4 edge sts, knit to 2 sts before marker, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 10:** 4 edge sts, purl to 1 sts before marker, k3, purl to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts. Repeat Row 9 and 10 twice more. 6 rows of stockinette stitch have now been worked (knit on the RS) with decreases along both sides and in the centre.

**Row 15:** 4 edge sts, purl to 2 sts before marker, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, purl to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 16:** 4 edge sts, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 17:** 4 edge sts, k1, \*yarn over, k2tog\*, repeat from \* to \* to 3 sts before marker, k1, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, k1, \*k2tog, yarn over\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last 5 sts on the needle, k1, 4 edge sts.

**Row 18:** 4 edge sts, purl to 1 sts before marker, k3, purl to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 19:** 4 edge sts, purl to 2 sts before marker, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, purl to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 20:** 4 edge sts, knit to 1 sts before marker, k3, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 21:** 4 edge sts, knit to 2 sts before marker, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

**Row 22:** 4 edge sts, purl to 1 sts before marker, k3, purl to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts. Repeat Row 21 and 22 twice more. 6 rows of stockinette stitch have now been worked (knit on the RS) with decreases along both sides and in the centre.

**Row 27:** 4 edge sts, purl to 2 sts before marker, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, purl to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

## MEASUREMENTS

120 cm x 37 cm

## YARN

Mindful Fraya  
 100% Wool  
 50 g = 350 m

## YARNDAGE

50 g

## GAUGE

In stockinette stitch on UK size 11 [3 mm] needles:  
 22 m x 42 p

## SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZE

Circular needle UK size 11 [3 mm],  
 60 or 80 cm  
 Optionally: circular needle UK size 8  
 [4 mm] for casting on

Please note: The needle sizes given above are only suggestions. The size of the needles you need depends on your personal gauge. If you knit firmly you might need a large needle size, if you knit loosely you might need a smaller needle size.

## NOTIONS

Stitch markers

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**Row 28:** 4 edge sts, knit to 1 sts before marker, k3, knit to the last 4 sts on the needle, 4 edge sts.

Repeat Row 27 and 28 twice more. 6 rows of stockinette stitch have now been worked [knit on the RS] with decreases along both sides and in the centre.

Repeat Row 9 - 32 a total of 4 times. There are now a total of 23 sts on the needle.

The chart has now been completed.

**Row 105:** 4 edge sts, k5, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, k5, 4 edge sts.

**Row 106:** 4 edge sts, p4, k3, p4, 4 edge sts.

**Row 107:** 4 edge sts, k2, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, k2, 4 edge sts.

**Row 108:** 4 edge sts, p1, k3, p1, 4 edge sts.

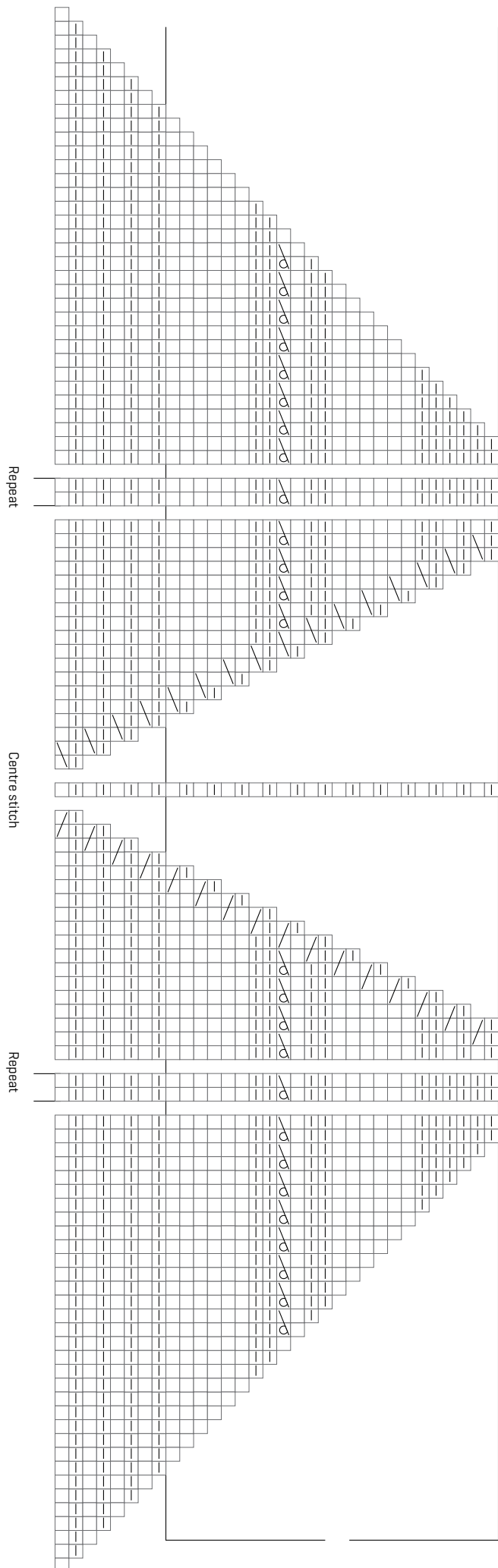
**Row 109:** Slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held in front, k2tog, k2tog tbl, k1, k2tog, k2tog tbl, k1

**Row 110:** Slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held in front, k2tog, pass the slipped stitch over, k2tog, pass the first stitch over, break the yarn and pull the end through the last stitch.

**Finishing**

Weave in all ends. Wash the finished work according to the instructions on the yarn label, pull the scarf into shape, block it and let it dry completely.

- Knit on RS, purl on WS
- Purl on RS, knit on WS
- Yarn over, K2tog
- K2tog
- k2tog tbl



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