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If you know the designer of this shawl, you know she loves knitting stripes. She also loves to add a little bit of texture to her stripes. That's why she designed this shawl for Durable with a broken rib pattern and stripes. Alternating the small and wide stripes, gives this shawl an amazing effect while you wear it.

Yarn
Durable Comfy, 100% microfiber acrylic, 100g/ 266m/ 291yd
Color A: 2210 Caramel, 1 ball
Color B: 2132 Eycalyptus, 1 ball
Color C: 2192 Pale Pink, 1 ball

Knitting needles
3.5mm/ US size 4 (you can use either straight needles or circulars)
4.5mm/ US size 7 (a short sock needle or a circular needlepoint for I-cord edge, see pattern)

Other materials
- 2 stitch markers
- Tapestry needle
- Scissors

Used stitches and abbreviations
k	knit
k2tog tbl	decrease: knit 2 st together through back loop
p	purl
PM	place stitch marker
RS	right side
sl1pwyif	slip 1 stitch purlwise with yarn in front
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side
yo	yarn over

Gauge
20st and 36 rounds in stitch pattern measure
10x10cm/ 4x4" using needles in size 3.5mm/ US-4
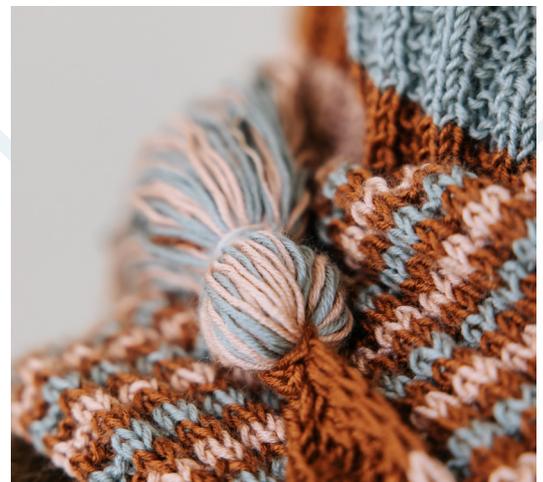or the size needed to achieve gauge.

Skill level
Beginner

Measurements
130cm/ 51.2" wide and 60cm/23.6" deep

Pattern info
- The shawl is knitted in rows;
- Replace the markers to the other needle as you come across them;
- I-cord edge: Each row, knit the first 3 stiches of the row and slip the last 3 stitches of the row purlwise with the yarn in front of your work. This makes a neat edge.
- Stripes: Use the following order: A / B / A / C and repeat this during the pattern. In the first part of the pattern, you'll knit small stripes and you will switch colors on every RS row;
- Switching colors: While switching colors do not cut your yarn, but leave the color you're not currently using at the side of your work. Please only cut yarn when the pattern states it;
- Pattern repeats: Stitches you need to repeat are given between *-;. The pattern states you need to repeat these stitches until you reach the end of the row.

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Set up:
Cast on 7sts using color A and use a 3.5mm/ US-4 needle.
Row 1: RS: k3, PM, k1, yo, PM, sl3pwyif
Row 2: WS: k3, k2, sl3pwyif
Row 3: RS: k3, k2, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 4: WS: k3, p1, k2, sl3pwyif
Row 5: RS: k3, k all st to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 6: WS: k3, p2, k2, sl3pwyif
Row 7: RS: k3, k to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 8: WS: k3, k1, p2, k2, sl3pwyif
Row 9: RS: k3, k to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 10: WS: k3, k2, p2, k2, sl3pwyif

Pattern repeat:
Row 11: RS: k3, k to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 12: WS: k3, p1, k2, *p2, k2; repeat from * to ; to 3sts before end of row, sl3pwyif
Row 13: RS: k3, k to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 14: WS: k3, *p2, k2; repeat from * to ; to 3sts before end of row, sl3pwyif
Row 15: RS: k3, k to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 16: WS: k3, k1, *p2, k2; repeat from * to ; to 3sts before end of row, sl3pwyif
Row 17: RS: k3, k to 3sts before end of row, yo, sl3pwyif
Row 18: WS: k3, k2, *p2, k2; repeat from * to ; to 3sts before end of row, sl3pwyif

Repeat rows 11-18, and keep switching colors, until you've knitted 32 stripes in color B and C and 64 stripes in color A. You will end with a stripe in color C! Cut colors B and C.

Next, knit in pattern, 12 rows with color A. Cut yarn.
Knit in pattern, 12 rows with color B. Cut yarn.
Knit in pattern, 12 rows with color A. Cut yarn.
Knit in pattern, 12 rows with color C. Cut yarn.

Knit in pattern, 10 rows in color A and cast off with an I-cord edge, as follows:
Continue using a 4.5mm/ US-7 needle in your right hand and a 3.5mm/ US-4 needle in your left hand as follows: *k2, k2tog tbl, slip 3sts on left-hand needle; repeat from * to ; until you have 3sts remaining on the needle. Cut yarn at around 15cm/5.9" and weave through the remaining stitches.

Weave in all loose ends. Wash the shawl in luke warm water and block it neatly. When the shawl is dry, it is ready to wear.
You can choose to make two tassels and attach these to the two outer points of the shawl. You can use the scraps of color B and C for these tassels.

You can find sales information and more details about this project at durableyarn.com

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