

Little Ripples¹



Size 7 needles. Acrylic worsted (#4) yarn – works well with Caron One Pound solid colors.

Finished size should be 7" wide x 9" tall.

Cast on 31 stitches. Be sure to leave an 18" tail at the beginning.

Note: This pattern produces rows that are tightly connected so more rows may be required than for most patterns using the same type of yarn. Size 8 needles can be used to reduce the number of rows, but be sure to check the width to make sure that it is not more than 7". If it is, then reduce the number of stitches while keeping an odd number.

Seed stitch row: *K1 P1* repeat between * to the end of the row, K1.

¹ Adapted from "Julian Fellowes, 1949-, *Gosford Park*" in *Mystery Blanket Stitch-Along Volume Four* by Kim Anthony Davis (2010), Stitch Therapy, 335 5th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11215.

Pattern set:

Rows 1 & 3 (wrong side): Purl to end.

Row 2: P1, *sl 1 as to P (slip one as to purl), P1,* repeat between * to end.

Row 4: P2, *sl 1 as to P, P1* repeat between * until the last stitch in the row, P1.

STOP! Check the width to make sure it is 7". If not, change needle size to get the appropriate width. Repeat rows 1-4 until block measures slightly less than 9". To finish, replace an odd row with a seed stitch row while binding off.

Be sure to leave an 18" tail at the end.

Now, knit another one since having two blocks in the same color and pattern is great for making shawls!

Knitting abbreviations:

K: Knit | P: Purl