

6 Stitch Entrelac Scarf - Entrelac Tutorial

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Yarn: Trendsetter Yarns - Tonalita Example here in color 2349.
A very similar yarn to the Tonalita is Lang - Mille Colori

Needles: US9 / 5.5 MM

Inspired by Allison LoCicero's Entrelac Scarf @
<http://www.frecklesandpurls.com/>

Stitch Guide

k = knit

p = purl

sl = slip

kfb = knit into front and back of stitch

p2tog = purl 2 together

m1 = Make 1

k2tog = knit 2 together

ssk = slip slip knit

pssso = Pass slipped stitch over

Base Triangles Δ

CO 18 Sts

Row 1: (RS) k1, turn

Row 2: and all WS rows – purl all sts in this section, turn

Row 3: sl 1, k1, turn

Row 4: Purl sts in this section, turn

Row 5: sl 1, k2, turn

Row 6: Purl sts in this section, turn

Row 7: sl 1, k3, turn

Row 8: Purl sts in this section, turn

Row 9: sl 1, k4, turn

Row 10: Purl sts in this section, turn

Row 11: sl 1, k5 – Do Not Turn – end of base triangle one of three – start next base triangle on next stitch



Photo of first triangle in the base triangle section of your scarf.

Repeat Rows 1 to 11 two more time to complete all three base triangles



Photo of completed base triangles

Tier 1 - 2 Diamonds & 2 Side Triangles

Left Side Triangle ◁

Row 1: (WS) k1, turn

Row 2: kfb, turn

Row 3: k1, p2tog, turn

Row 4: k1, m1, k1, turn

Row 5: k1, p1, p2tog, turn

Row 6: and all RS rows – knit to last st, m1, k1 turn

Row 7: k1, p2, p2tog, turn

Row 8: knit to last st, m1, k1 turn

Row 9: k1, p3, p2tog, turn

Row 10: knit to last st, m1, k1 turn

Row 11: k1, p4, p2tog, turn - end of left triangle - Do Not Turn



Photo of completed left side triangle

Now work the two middle diamonds of Tier 1.

Two Middle Right Slanting Diamonds ◇

Row 1: (WS) With wrong side facing, pick up and purl 6 sts along the selvedge edge of the next triangle. Sl last st picked up onto the left needle and p2tog, turn.

Row 2: k6, turn

Row 3: sl 1, p4, p2tog, turn

Row 4: k6, turn

Row 5: sl 1, p4, p2tog, turn

Row 6: k6, turn

Row 7: sl 1, p4, p2tog, turn

Row 8: k6, turn

Row 9: sl 1, p4, p2tog, turn

Row 10: k6, turn

Row 11: sl 1, p4, p2tog, turn - end of Diamond One - Do Not Turn

Repeat Rows 1 to 11 one more time to complete all both middle diamonds. Once both diamonds are done began working the right side triangle in the next section.



Photo of completed center diamonds

Right Side Triangle ▷

Row 1: (WS) With wrong side facing, pick up and purl 6 sts along the selvedge edge of the next triangle or diamond, turn.

Row 2: and all RS rows – knit all sts in this section, turn

Row 3: sl 1, p3, k2tog, turn

Row 4: knit sts in this section turn

Row 5: sl 1, p2, k2tog, turn

Row 6: knit sts in this section turn

Row 7: sl 1, p1, k2tog, turn

Row 8: knit sts in this section turn

Row 9: sl 1, k2tog, turn

Row 10: knit sts in this section turn

Row 11: k2tog - Turn and transfer this st to the right needle.

The remaining stitch will be counted as the first st picked up for the first diamond in Tier 2.



Photo of completed right side triangle & Tier One

Tier 2 - 3 Diamonds

Three Left Slanting Diamonds ◇

For the first diamond only, the remaining stitch from the last tier counts as 1 picked up stitch

Row 1: (RS) With right side facing, pick up and knit 6 sts along the selvedge edge of the next triangle or diamond. Sl last st picked up onto the left needle and ssk, turn.

Row 2: p6, turn

Row 3: sl 1, k4, ssk, turn

Row 4: p6, turn

Row 5: sl 1, k4, ssk, turn

Row 6: p6, turn

Row 7: sl 1, k4, ssk, turn

Row 8: p6, turn

Row 9: sl 1, k4, ssk, turn

Row 10: p6, turn

Row 11: sl 1, k4, ssk, - end of Diamond One - Do Not Turn



Photo of first left slanting diamonds

Repeat Rows 1 to 11 two more times to complete three middle diamonds. Once the three diamonds are done you will start tier one again.



Photo of completed three diamonds in tier two

Continue working tiers 1 and 2 until the desired length is reached.

Before you begin the bind off triangles the last tier you work is tier one. Keep that in mind when you start thinking about coming to the end of your scarf.



Photo of Tier One completed, your project should be on this tier when you are ready to begin your bind off triangles.

Bind off Triangles ▽

Row 1: (RS) With right side facing, pick up and knit 6 sts along the selvedge edge of the next triangle or diamond. For the first triangle only, the st remaining counts as the first picked up stitch.

Slip last st picked up to left needle and ssk, turn.

Row 2: and all WS rows – purl all sts in this section, turn

Row 3: k2tog, k3, ssk, turn

Row 4: purl sts in this section, turn

Row 5: k2tog, k2, ssk, turn

Row 6: purl sts in this section, turn

Row 7: k2tog, k1, ssk, turn

Row 8: purl sts in this section, turn

Row 9: k2tog, ssk, turn

Row 10: purl sts in this section, turn

Row 11: sl 1, ssk, psso, do not turn.

The remaining stitch will count as the first stitch of the next triangle.



Photo of first triangle of three triangle bind off

When all three triangles have been worked, bind off last stitch and weave in ends.

Block if Desired.



Photo of completed bind off edge after blocking

Additional Notes:

Turn unless otherwise noted

You should have 6 stitches for each triangle at the end of each section with the exception of the right side triangle at the end of tier one – at that time you will have 19 stitches on your needle. There will be three sections of 6 stitches plus one which is the start of the three diamonds in Tier 2.

When you are getting close to starting the bind off triangles keep in mind that the last section you will knit before starting the bind off is Tier 1, not tier 2.

To create a gap free seam, count the stitches you intend to pick up from the bottom before you began to pick up. Most gaps are caused when you pick up at extra stitch at the top and skip the most important stitch which is at the bottom.

Once you do a few section repeats it will all seem much easier for you. You won't need to count each row as the pattern construction and logic will become very clear for you. Don't give up if you feel like it's too "thought intensive" at first. Entrelac is fabulous mindless knitting once you get the hang of it. ;^)

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