Hampton
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Skill Level:
Easy/Intermediate

Sizes:
Approx. 6” wide and 60” in diameter

Materials:
Cascade Yarns® Hampton
70% Pima Cotton / 30% Linen
100 g (3.5 oz) / 273 yds (250 m)
2 skeins of color #8 (Ecru)
US 5 (3.75 mm)/24” circular knitting needles or size to obtain gauge
Yarn Needle
2 Stitch Markers

Gauge:
32 sts x 24 rows = 4” (10 cm) Blocked, in Modified Indian Cross Stitch Pattern

Abbreviations:
BO = Bind Off
CO = Cast On
K = Knit
P = Purl
PM = Place Marker
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
Sl = Slip stitch(es) as if to purl
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WYIB = With Yarn In Back

Special Stitches:
Modified Indian Cross Stitch adapted from Barbara Walker’s “A Treasury of Knitting Patterns.”

Begin Pattern:
CO 304 sts. PM. Being careful not to twist the sts, join in the rnd.
K 3 rows.

Pattern:
Rnd 1: K all sts.
Rnd 2: P all sts.
Rnd 3: K all sts.
Rnd 4: P all sts.
Rnd 5: K1, *[insert needle into next st and wrap yarn 3 times around the point of the needle. Knit the st withdrawing all the wraps along with the st]; repeat from * on every st across rnd to last st.

Rnd 6: *[Slip 8 sts WYIB, dropping all extra wraps, forming 8 long sts on right needle. Insert left needle into the 1st 4 sts and pass them over the last 4 sts. Return all sts to left needle and knit in crossed order (the 2nd 4 first and then the original 1st 4 last)]; repeat from * on each group of 8 sts.

Rnd 7: K all sts.
Rnd 8: P all sts.
Rnd 9: K all sts.
Rnd 10: P all sts.

Rnd 11: K 4 sts, place 2nd marker, *[insert needle into next st and wrap yarn 3 times around the point of the needle. Knit the st withdrawing all the wraps along with the st]; repeat from * to end of rnd, slip 1st marker, continue wrapping sts to 2nd marker.

Rnd 12: *[Slip 8 sts WYIB, dropping all extra wraps, forming 8 long sts on right needle. Insert left needle into the 1st 4 sts and pass them over the last 4 sts. Return all sts to left needle and knit in crossed order (the 2nd 4 first and then the original 1st 4 last)]; repeat from * to 2nd marker. Remove 2nd marker.

Repeat rnds 1-12, 2 more times (total of 3 times).
Repeat rnds 1-4.
K 3 rows.

**Finishing:**
BO in knit. Weave in ends and block if necessary.