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Eco +
Quilt and Cable Blanket

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Skill Level:
Intermediate

Size:
52” x 64” after blocking

Materials:
Cascade Yarns® Eco+
100% Peruvian Highland Wool
250 g (8.82 oz) / 478 yds (437 m)
4 skeins of color #2452 (Turtle)
40” US 8 (5.0 mm)/40” circular needles, or size necessary to obtain gauge
4 Stitch Markers in color A, 8 Stitch Markers in color B
Cable needle
Yarn needle
Row counter (optional, but highly recommended)
Blocking wires (again, highly recommended)

Gauge:
4 sts = 1” in Stockinette stitch before blocking, 3.5 sts = 1” after blocking.

Abbreviations:

BO	= Bind Off
C6L	= Cable 6 Left: Slip 1st 2 sts on cable needle and hold in front, (P2, K2) once, K2 sts from cable needle.
C6L(b)	= Cable 6 Left: Slip 1st 2 sts on cable needle and hold in front, (K2, P2) K2 sts from cable needle.
C6R	= Cable 6 Right: Slip 1st 4 sts on cable needle and hold in back, K2, (K2, P2) from the cable needle.
C6R(b)	= Cable 6 Right: Slip 1st 4 sts on cable needle and hold in back, K2, (P2, K2) from the cable needle.
CO	= Cast On
K	= Knit
P	= Purl
PM	= Place Marker
SM	= Slip Marker
St(s)	= Stitch(es)

Patterns:
Work wrap: Slip next 6 sts onto cable needle (these sts should be P2, K2, P2), wrap yarn clockwise around the cable needle twice, transfer wrapped sts back onto left needle, P2, K2, P2.

Pattern Notes:
The border is worked as you go, with the 1st st of every row slipped to provide a clean edge. To make things simpler, the 1st and last 2 markers (color A) will be placed along the border and color B will be used to

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separate the cable motifs. The majority of this piece is worked in 2 x 2 ribbing, with the cables and wrapped worked on rows 17-19, and 37-39.

Quilt & Cable Pattern: (40 row pattern repeat)
Row 1: K5 sts, PM, P2 sts, PM, [*(K2, P2) 6 times, PM]; work from * 8 times; (K2, P2) 3 times, K2, PM, P2, PM, K5.
Row 2: K5, SM, K2, SM, (P2, K2) 3 times, P2, SM, [*(K2, P2) 6 times, SM]; work from * 8 times; K2, SM, K5.
For rows 3-16: **repeat rows 1 & 2** (slipping markers as you come to them) **7 more times**, *removing all but the 1st 2 and last 2 markers on the last row.*
Row 17: K5, SM, P2, SM, *C6L, P2, C6R, P2, (K2, P2) twice, PM; work from * 8 times; C6L, P2, C6R, SM, P2, SM, K5.
Row 18: K5, SM, K2, SM, (K2, P2), work wrap, (P2, K2), SM, *(K2, P2) twice, K4, P2, work wrap, (P2, K2), SM; work from * 8 times; SM, K2, SM, K5.
Row 19: K5, SM, P2, SM, *C6R(b), P2, C6L(b), (P2, K2) twice, P2, SM; work from * 8 times; C6R(b), P2, C6L(b), SM, P2, SM, K5.
Row 20: K5, SM, K2, SM, (P2, K2) 3 times, P2, SM, [*(K2, P2) 6 times, SM]; work from * 8 times; K2, SM, K5.
For rows 21-36: **repeat rows 1 & 2** (slipping markers as you come to them) **7 more times,** *removing all but the 1st 2 and last 2 markers on the last row.*
Row 37: K5, SM, P2, SM, (K2, P2) 3 times, *PM, C6L, P2, C6R, P2, (K2, P2) twice; work from * 8 times; K2, SM, P2, SM, K5.
Row 38: (*slip all markers as you come to them*) K5, K2, (P2, K2) 3 times, K2, P2, work wrap, P2, K2; *(K2, P2) twice, K4, P2, work wrap, P2, K2; work from * 7 times, (K2, P2) 3 times, K2, K5.
Row 39: K5, SM, P2, SM, (K2, P2) 3 times *SM, C6R(b), P2, C6L(b), (P2, K2) twice, P2; work from * 8 times; K2, P2, K5.
Row 40: K5, SM, K2, SM, (P2, K2) 3 times, P2; *(K2, P2) 6 times, SM; work from * 7 times; K2, SM, K5.

Begin Blanket:
CO 220 sts, and work in Garter st for 9 rows.
Begin working rows 1-40 of the Quilt & Cable Pattern.
Repeat rows 1-40 until blanket measures 56” before blocking, making sure to end on row 36.
Remove all markers on the next row.
Work in Garter st for 8 rows, and BO loosely to allow for blocking
Note: *I used a needle 2 sizes larger to be sure the BO was loose enough.*

Finishing:
Soak the blanket in the tub with cool water and a wool wash designed for hand knits, for approximately 15 minutes.
Carefully squeeze out as much excess water as possible, taking care not to wring the blanket.
Place 2 large towels on the floor, and roll the blanket in the towels, stepping on the roll to press out remaining water.
Thread blocking wires along the edge of the blanket, and pin it out to suggested measurements, until completely dry.
Weave in ends after blocking.

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