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The wonderful thing about sock yarn is the multiple colors, the stripes and swirls and pools of colors falling as they may. But sometimes it is better to knit in a solid color so the stitch pattern is the most important design element. Cascade Heritage, with its deep, rich colors and soft merino texture, is one of the best.

Materials: 1 skein Cascade Heritage, pictured cowl is color #5627; Size 6 US 16 or 24 inch circular needles OR SIZE REQUIRED TO OBTAIN GAUGE; marker.

Gauge: 20 stitches per 4 inches in stockinette stitch.

Finished Size: About 24 by 9 inches before blocking, and about 26 by 10 inches after blocking.

Trellis Lace Pattern (Multiple of 12 sts):

Row 1 (Right side) - *YO, SSK, K4; repeat from *

Row 2 and all even rows – Knit

Row 3 – *K1, YO, SSK, K4, YO, SSK, K1, K2tog, YO; repeat from *

Row 5 – *K2, YO, SSK, K4, YO, K3tog, YO, K1; repeat from *

Row 7 -- *K3, YO, SSK, K3, K2tog, YO, K2; repeat from *

Row 9 – *K1, K2tog, YO, K1, YO, SSK, K1, K2tog, YO, K3, repeat from *

Row 11 -- *K2tog, YO, K3, YO, K3tog, YO, K4; repeat from *

Row 13 – Slip first stitch on left end of needle to right end of needle (I.e. last stitch becomes first); *YO, K4, K2tog, YO, K4, K2tog; repeat from *

Row 15 -- *K1, YO, SSK, K1, K2tog, YO, K4, K2tog, YO; repeat

from *

Row 17 -- *K2, YO, Slip 1 K2tog and pass slipped st over, YO, K4, K2tog, YO, K1; repeat from *

Row 19 -- *K3, YO, SSK, K3, K2tog, YO, K2; repeat from *

Row 21 -- *K4, YO, SSK, K1, K2tog, YO, KI, YO, SSK; repeat from *

Row 23 – Slip first stitch on right end of needle to left end of needle (i.e. first stitch becomes last); *SSK, K4, YO, Slip 1 K2tog and pass slipped st over, YO, K3, YO; repeat from *

Row 24 – Knit.

Directions:

Cast on 120 stitches. Place marker and join in the round being careful not to twist.

Work 4 rows in garter stitch for a narrow border. NOTE: When working in the round, garter stitch is formed by alternating knit and purl rows.

Work 4 repeats of trellis lace pattern.

Work 4 rows in garter stitch for the top border. Bind off loosely.

Finishing: Weave in ends and block.