



Ram Pam Pam

by Alice Twain

Ram Pam Pam is a song composed in 1933 by Alfredo De Vita and sung in Italian by Milly (Carla Mignone) and in French by Josephine Baker. Its happy fox trot rhythm fits this quick and rather fun scarf, which can be knitted with a single ball of Milly by Borgo de' Pazzi. Once memorized, the pattern is easy to execute and repetitive, so that knitting this scarf is both easy and relaxing. Continue repeating the main pattern until you are almost out of yarn. Thus this pattern can easily be adapted for different amounts of yarn and for different measures.







Gauge: 16 sts = 10 cm (4"). Exact gauge is not essential in this pattern.



Instructions

C.o. 10 sts.

Setup section

Row 1: sl 1, k to end. **Row 2:** sl 1, k to end.

Row 3: sl 1, *k1, yo* twice, k to end. **Row 4:** sl 1, k to end.

Work rows 3 + 4 for 5 times tot.

Row 5: as row 3.

Row 6: b.o. 6 sts, k to end.

Main section

Row 7: sl 1, *k1, yo* twice, k to last 3 sts, yo, k2tog, k1.

Row 8: sl 1, k to end.

Work rows 7 + 8 for 5 times tot.

Row 9: sl 1, *k1, yo* twice, k to last 13 sts, *yo, k2tog* for 6 times, k1. **Row 10:** b.o. 6 sts, k to end.

Work according to the above instructions for 14 times.

Last section

Row 7: sl 1, *k1, yo* twice, k to last 3 sts, yo, k2tog, k1.

Row 8: sl 1, k to end.

Work rows 7 + 8 for 5 times tot.

Materials

- Borgo de' Pazzi Milly; 50% wool, 25% acrylic, 25% polyammide; 100 g (3.5 oz) = 270 m (295 yds); 1 hank, col. 226.
- 4,5 mm (US 7) needles (straight or circ).
- Scissors and tapestry needle.

Measures

Length: 130 cm (51"). **Width:** 34 cm (13" ½).







Row 11: sl 1, k1, yo, k1, *yo, k2tog* to last st, k1.

Row 12: sl 1, k to end.

Work rows 11 and 12 once. B.o. loosely all sts.

Finishing

Wash the scarf in lukewarm water with a delicate detergent. Rinse if needed. Squeeze without wringing to remove as much water as possible. Block gently. Weave the c.o. and b.o. tails in the back.

Stitches

All abbreviations used in this pattern can be found here: www.craftyarncouncil.com/ standards/knitting-abbreviations.

Sl 1: slip the first stitch of the row purlwise with the yarn in front.

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