

Lozenge Lace Bookmark or Scarf

Simple lace bookmark worked over a multiple of 10 +1 stitches over 16 rows on a background of straight stitch. Gauge is not critical to this project. Add optional tassel if desired.

MATERIALS: small amount of fingering (sock) weight yarn, stitch markers. Use needles at least 2 sizes larger than recommended for yarn. Lace is meant to be knitted at a loose gauge.

INSTRUCTIONS: Cast on 17 stitches (37 for scarf). Knit 3 rows. Begin working lozenge lace from chart. On first and every successive row, knit the first and last 3 sts. Follow chart or row-by-row instructions for lozenge lace, as follows: K3, place marker, follow instructions for row 1 to last 3 sts, place marker, K3. Continue in this manner. Repeat rows 1-16 2 (3) times for bookmark or to desired length for scarf, *ending with row 15*. Knit 3 rows. Cast off in Knit. Weave in loose ends. Wet block for best results.

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	K on RS, P on WS
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○	Yarn over (YO)
/	Knit 2 together (K2tog)
\	Slip 1 as if to K, Slip 1 as if to K, move both slipped stitches to left needle, K tog through back (SSK)
Λ	Slip 2tog, K1, pass 2 slipped stitches over the knit stitch (S2KP2) (centered double decrease or cdd)

Row 1 (center 11 sts)	(Right side) K1, YO, SSK, K5, K2tog, YO, K1,
Row 2 and all even rows through 16	P11
Row 3	K2, YO, SSK, K3, K2tog, YO, K2
Row 5	K3, YO, SSK, K1, K2tog, YO, K3
Row 7	K4, YO, S2KP2, YO, K4
Row 9	K3, K2tog, YO, K1, YO, SSK, K3
Row 11	K2, K2tog, YO, K3, YO, SSK, K2
Row 13	K1, K2tog, YO, K5, YO, SSK, K1
Row 15	K2tog, YO, K7, YO, SSK
Row 16	Same as row 2
	Repeat rows 1 – 16 for pattern. End with row 15.

