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This scarf is in the form of a sail: it begins at the narrowest point and widens by increasing 2 stitches every 6 rows. Each stripe is 6 rows. On the 3rd row of each stripe, there is an increase at each end of the row. Yarn is carried up throughout the scarf and the unknit colour is twisted every 2 rows.

This is an outline of what we did, but feel free to let colour inspire you and stripe as you wish!

64 Onyx and Charcoal stripes

6 Onyx and Blue Nile stripes

10 Onyx and Charcoal stripes

6" of Blue Nile (continue increases every 6th row; no need to slip stitches on Row 6)

#### yarn

#### **Madelinetosh Pashmina**

(75% superwash merino, 15% silk, 10% cashmere; 329 m / 360 y / 113g) 3 skeins – 1 Onyx, 1 Charcoal, 1 Blue Nile

#### needles

One 24" circular needle in size 4 mm (US 6)

#### gauge

24 sts per 4" / 10 cm before blocking

#### finished dimensions

Length = 193 cm

Width = 86 cm



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## pattern

#### Cast on 7 sts.

Row 1 (RS): K1, P1, Knit until 2 sts remain, P1, K1

Row 2 (WS): P1, K1, Purl until 2 sts remain, K1, P1

Row 3: K1, P1, M1R, Knit until 2 sts remain, M1L, P1, K1

Row 4: P1, K1, Purl until 2 sts remain, K1, P1

Row 5: K1, P1, Knit until 2 sts remain, P1, K1

Row 6: Sl1 wyif, K1, Purl until 2 sts remain, K1, Sl1 wyif

When you have knit to the desired length, beginning on the RS, knit 3 rows and then bind off knitwise on WS. Weave in ends, block, and wrap yourself in stripes.



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#### standard abbreviations

k: knit

p: purl

M1R: make one right by picking up bar between stitches from back to front and knit lifted strand through

front of stitch (1 st increased)

M1L: make one left by picking up bar between stitches from front to back and knit lifted strand through

back of stitch (1 st increased)

sl wyif: slip stitch with yarn in front (as if to purl)

**RS:** right side **WS:** wrong side

### Happy knitting!



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