

Pattern stitches for Hourglass Boa

EYELET EDGING #2

Worked flat on stockinette-stitch ground; purl even-numbered (wrong-side/WS) rows.

Knit right edging, body (hourglass) pattern, then left edging.

First and last stitches of each row are knitted, for a one-stitch garter-stitch edge on each side.

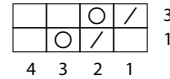
Repeat: 4 rows x 4 stitches (on each edge).

HOURLASS PATTERN: BOTTOM TRIANGLE (KNIT FIRST)

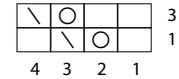
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Section: 52 rows.

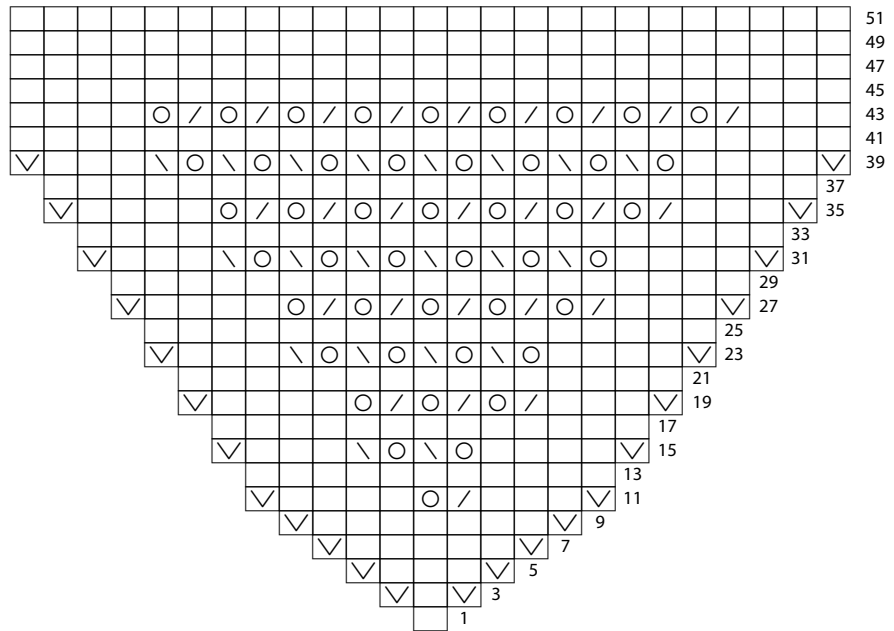
Notes: This pattern is not outlined (no ktbl above yarn-overs). As usual, only right-side rows are charted. Be sure to use the make-one increase shown at the bottom of page 105.



Left eyelet edging:
Stitch 4 is edge stitch;
knit it on every row.



Right eyelet edging:
Stitch 1 is edge stitch;
knit it on every row.



4 Bind off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends and block.

Add tassels on points. Make tassels in any way you choose, or use the basic instructions on page 157.

Hourglass Boa	
<i>Sizes</i>	One size
<i>Knitted measurements</i>	6 x 60 inches (15 x 152 cm), blocked
<i>Skill level</i>	Intermediate
<i>Gauge</i>	6 stitches = 1 inch (2.5 cm) in stockinette stitch, blocked
<i>Needles</i>	3.25 mm / 3 U.S.
<i>Yarn</i>	260 yards (238 m) sport-weight yarn
<i>The yarn I used</i>	Folknits Sport Weight Qiviuk, Natural 100 percent qiviuk 130 yards (119 m) in 25-g (.9-ounce) skein 2 skeins