

ONDAS (aka *Fibercrack*)



A square modified old shale lace baby blanket knitted from the center-out in the round that can easily be adapted to a shawl using a lighter-gauge yarn and smaller needles. The traditional lace pattern is simple yet beautiful so that it can be knit in either a variegated or solid-colored yarn. For a large blanket or shawl all you have to do is add pattern repeats.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

S= 26 x 26 inches: carrier/car seat

M= 36 x 36 inches: carriage

L= 46 x 46 inches: crib

MATERIALS:

Yarn: Paton's Classic Merino Wool [100% merino wool; 100g. 223 yds/ball] 4[5,7] balls

This pattern works well with any type or gauge yarn. You'll just have to adjust your needle-size and number of repeats. The pattern was written for worsted weight. Also, for a baby blanket, I recommend using either superwash wool, wool blends, cotton or cotton blends, or all-acrylic yarns so that they are more easily laundered.

Needles: 1 set of 5 US 6/4.5mm double-point needles (DPN)
1 US 6/4.5mm 16-inch circular needle
1 US 6/4.5mm 29-inch circular needle
1 US 6/4.4mm 36-inch circular needle (opt. For M and L sizes only)
1 US size G crochet hook

Notions: 17 Stitch markers
Tapestry Needles

GAUGE:

20sts/24 rows = 4" stockinette stitch (for worsted weight yarns)

PATTERN NOTES:

The cast-on is the most difficult part of this pattern. A wonderful tutorial of the Emily Ocker's cast-on can be found [here](#).

GLOSSARY:

K	Knit
P	Purl
CO	Cast On
YO	Yarn Over
Kfb	Knit into front and back of stitch
K2tog	Knit 2 together
pm	Place stitch marker
sm	Slip stitch marker
rm	Remove stitch marker
BO	Bind off [cast off]

- CO 8 sts. using circular cast on:
- Divide stitches evenly onto 4 DPNs, taking care not to twist
- Join, and K 1 round

1	Kfb all stitches	16 sts
2	Knit all	
3	*K1, pm, YO, k2, YO, pm, k1: rep from *	24 sts
4	Knit all	
5	*K1, sm, YO, k4, YO, sm, k1: rep from*	32 sts
6	Knit all	
7	*K1, sm, YO, k6, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	40 sts
8	Knit all	
9	*K1, sm, YO, k8, YO, sm, k1: rep from*	48
10	Knit all	
11	*K1, sm, YO, k10, YO, sm, k1: rep from*	56
12	Knit all	
13	*K1, sm, YO, k12, YO, sm, k1: rep from*	64
14	Knit all	
15	*K1, sm, YO, k14, YO, sm, k1: rep from*	72
16	Knit all	
17	*K1, sm, YO, k16, YO, sm, k1: rep from*	80
18	Knit all	
19	*K1, sm, YO, pm, k18, pm YO, sm, k1: rep from*	88
20	*K1, sm, k1, sm, k18, sm, K1, sm, k1: rep from*	

When you have enough stitches on the needles transfer all stitches from the DPNs to the 16-inch circular needles, placing a different kind of stitch marker to indicate the beginning of the round.

LACE PATTERN

1	*K1, sm, YO, k1, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k1, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	96 sts
2	*K1, sm, k2, sm, p18, sm, k2, sm, k1: rep from *	
3	*K1, sm, YO, k2, sm, k18, sm, k2, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
4	Knit	
5	*K1, sm, YO, k3, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k3, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
6	*K1, sm, k4, sm, p18, sm, k4, sm, k1: rep from *	
7	*K1, sm YO, k4, sm k18, sm, k4, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
8	Knit	
9	*K1, sm, YO, k5, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k5, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	152 sts.
10	*K1, sm, k6, sm, k5, p9, k4, sm, k6, sm, k1: rep from *	
11	*K1, sm, YO, k6, sm, k18, sm, k6, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
12	Knit	
13	*K1, sm, YO, k7, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k7, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
14	*K1 sm k8, sm, k3, p13, k2, sm, k8, sm, k1: rep from *	
15	*K1, sm, YO, k8, sm, k18, sm, k8, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
16	Knit	
17	*K1, sm, YO, k9, sm, k18, sm, k9, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
18	Knit	
19	*K1, sm, YO, k10, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k10, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
20	*K1, sm, k11, sm, p18, sm, k11, sm, k1: rep from *	
21	*K1, sm, YO, k11, sm, k18, sm, k11, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
22	Knit	
23	*K1, sm, YO, k12, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k12, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
24	*K1, sm, k13, sm, p18, sm, k13, sm, k1: rep from *	
25	*K1, sm YO, k13, sm, k18, sm, k13, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
26	Knit	
27	*K1, sm, YO, k14, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k14, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
28	*K1, sm, k15, sm, k5, p9, k4, sm, k15, sm, k1: rep from *	
29	*K1, sm, YO, k15, sm, k18, sm, k15, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
30	Knit	
31	*K1, sm, YO, k16, sm, k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times, sm, k16, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
32	32 *K1 sm k17, sm, k3, p13, k2, sm, k17, sm, k1: rep from *	
33	*K1, sm, YO, k17, sm, k18, sm, k17, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
34	Knit	
35	*K1, sm, YO, k18, rm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, rm, k18, YO, sm, k1: rep from *	
36	36 *K1, sm, k1, pm, [k18] rep to 1 st. before stitch marker, pm, k1, sm, k1: rep from *	232 sts.

When your stitches become too crowded on the 16-inch circular needles, transfer them over to the 29-inch circular needles and continue in pattern. Do the same with the 36-inch circulars.

37	*K1, sm, YO, k1, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k1, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
38	*K1, sm, k2, sm, [p 18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k2, sm, k1: rep from *
39	*K1, sm, YO, k2, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k2, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
40	Knit
41	*K1, sm, YO, k3, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k3, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
42	*K1, sm, k4, sm, [p18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k4, sm, k1: rep from *
43	*K1, sm YO, k4, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k4, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
44	Knit
45	*K1, sm, YO, k5, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k5, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
46	*K1, sm, k6, sm, [k5, p9, k4] rep to stitch marker, sm, k6, sm, k1: rep from *
47	*K1, sm, YO, k6, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k6, sm, k6, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
48	Knit
49	*K1, sm, YO, k7, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k7, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
50	*K1 sm k8, sm, [k3, p13, k2] rep to stitch marker, sm, k8, sm, k1: rep from *
51	*K1, sm, YO, k8, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k8, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
52	Knit
53	*K1, sm YO, k9, sm [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k9, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
54	Knit
55	*K1, sm, YO, k10, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k10, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
56	*K1, sm, k11, sm, [p18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k11, sm, k1: rep from *
57	57 *K1, sm, YO, k11, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k11, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
58	Knit
59	*K1, sm, YO, k12, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k12, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
60	*K1, sm, k13, sm, [p18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k13, sm, k1: rep from *
61	61 *K1, sm YO, k13, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k13, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
62	Knit
63	*K1, sm, YO, k14, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k14, YO, sm, k1: rep from *

64	*K1, sm, k15, sm, [k5, p9, k4] rep to stitch marker, sm, k15, sm, k1: rep from *
65	*K1, sm, YO, k15, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k15, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
66	Knit
67	67 *K1, sm, YO, k16, sm, [k2tog three times, **YO, k1** six times, k2tog three times] rep to stitch marker, sm, k16, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
68	*K1 sm k17, sm, [k3, p13, k2] rep to stitch marker, sm, k17, sm, k1: rep from *
69	69 *K1, sm, YO, k17, sm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, sm, k17, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
70	Knit
71	*K1, sm, YO, k18, rm, [k18] rep to stitch marker, rm, k18, YO, sm, k1: rep from *
72	*K1, sm, k1, pm, [k18] rep to 1 st. before stitch marker, pm, k1, sm, k1: rep from *

- Repeat rows 37-72 0[1, 2] times or as often as you wish until you reach your desired dimension, less 2 inches.
- Knit rows 37-44 one more time, then finish with edging pattern.

GARTER STITCH EDGING PATTERN

1	*K1, rm, YO, k5, rm [k18] rep to stitch marker, rm, k5, YO, rm, k1: rep from *
2	Purl All
3	3 *K1, rm, YO, k6, rm [k18] rep to stitch marker, rm, k6, YO, rm, k1: rep from *
4	Purl All

BO all stitches loosely.
Weave in ends and block.

CHARTS

(courtesy of Gina at [Knitting Solo](#)):

[CHART A](#)

[CHART B](#)

