

## Shawlette „Gentian“

(Annagret from Ravelry)

*I broke down the text into separate paragraphs, because the instructions for the separate parts are somewhat complex. I hope this makes for a better comprehensibility.*

### Material

40g DMC filet crochet cotton no. 20, knitting needles no.7/0 (around 2mm).

### Instructions

CO 6 sts.

RS-rows 1-49: Work the chart from right to left, thereafter from left to right. During the 2<sup>nd</sup> half (from left to right), the knitter has to mirror the decreases, i.e. work ssk in place of k2tog and vice versa.

WS-rows 2, 4, 6, 18,20, 22, 34.36.38, 50, 52 and 54 must be knitted, all other WS-rows must be purled. WS-rows 96-114 must be worked as they appear, i.e. a purl st from the preceding RS row must be knitted.

Starting with RS-row 55, the first and last 3 sts are always knitted [*I assume in order to produce a garter edge*]. These 3 sts are NOT depicted in the chart.

RS-rows 55-95 are worked as follows: 3 sts garter edge, then work the chart **left** from the thick line towards the left side) once, followed by the **entire** chart twice (also from right to left). This ends at the center. The second half is worked mirrored, i.e. work the part to the **left** of the thick line once [*presumably now from left to right*], followed by twice the **entire** chart [*still from left to right I assume*], ending with 3 sts garter edge.

From RS-row 97 on, this procedure changes to: Work the chart to the **right** of the thick slanting line three times, then the chart to the **left** of that line once [*I assume this reaches the center*]. Then the chart to the **right** of the line three times, finally the chart to the **left** of the line once. [*No mention is made here of the garter edge*]. [**Important:** *This paragraph does not mention the chart*

*reading direction. I can only guess it will change again at the center. An experienced test knitter will find this out and fill in the necessary information.]*

After WS-row 138 crochet together as many sts as indicated by the numbers above the chart, working 3 chain sts each between those points. The 3 garter sts at the edges are worked into one point as well. Work 2 rows of sc along the inner (garter) edge.