

Classic Elite Yarns

Wool Bam Boo Striped Tie



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SIZES: One Size

Finished Measurements: 52" long

MATERIALS:

Wool Bam Boo by **Classic Elite** (50% wool, 50% bamboo; 50 gram ball = approx 118 yards)

- 1 ball Color A—1648 Denim Blue
- 1 ball Color B—1672 Artichoke Green

Needles

- One pair size US 4 (3.5 mm)

Or size to obtain gauge

GAUGE: 23 sts and 32 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch. **Take time to save time, check your gauge.**

SPECIAL TERM:

p3tog: Purl 3 sts together (2 sts decreased)

PATTERN STITCHES:

Stockinette Stitch (St st): Knit on RS, purl on WS.

Stripe Sequence: *Work 6 rows in Color A, work 4 rows in Color B; rep from * throughout.

Knitted Cast-on Method: *K1 without dropping st off LH needle, slip new st onto LH needle; rep from * for desired number of sts.

Reverse Stockinette Stitch (Rev St st): Purl on RS, knit on WS.

TIE

With Color A CO 17 sts, **(RS) Begin St st and Stripe Sequence;** work even until pc meas 1½", end WS row. **Shape Tie and Est Turning sts:** (RS) Using the Knitted CO method, CO 7 sts at beg of row, work 7 sts in St st, p1 (turning st, work in Rev St st throughout), work 15 sts in St st, p1 (turning st, work in Rev St st throughout)—24 sts. CO 7 sts at beg of next row, work to end as est—31 sts. Working the CO sts in St st, work as est until pc meas 4½" from CO edge, end WS row. **Dec Row 1:** (RS) K6, p3tog (turning st), k13, p3tog (turning st), k6—27 sts rem. Work even as est until pc meas 15" from beg, end WS row. **Dec Row 2:** (RS) K5, p3tog (turning st), k11, p3tog (turning st), K5—23 sts rem. Work as est until pc meas 26" from beg, end WS row. **Dec Row 3:** (RS) K4, p3tog (turning st), k9, p3tog (turning st), K4—19 sts rem. Work as est, cont stripe sequence until 1 ball of Color A is finished, then work in Color B only. When pc meas 52" from beg, end WS row. (RS) BO all sts as est.

FINISHING

Fold corners at CO edge over so that they meet along center of tie, sew halves of CO edge together to form point of tie (see photo below). Fold tie at purl lines (turning st) and sew edges together to form seam down center of back of tie. In the back, sew loose edge from point of tie to loose CO sts of body of tie. Block pc, press to flatten.



ABBREVIATIONS

approx – approximately
beg – begin(ning)
BO – Bind Off
CO – Cast On
cont – continue
dec – decrease
est – establish(ed)
k – knit
LH – Left Hand
meas – measures
p – purl
p3tog – see Special Term
pc – piece
rem – remain
rep – repeat
Rev St st – Reverse Stockinette Stitch
RS – Right Side
st(s) – stitch(es)
St st – Stockinette Stitch
WS – Wrong Side

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