Cascade Alpaca Lace
Leaves of Green

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Materials
1 Skein Cascade Alpaca Lace: 100% Baby Alpaca, 50g, 437 yds/400m; Color 1429
1 24 inch size 6 US/4mm circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge.
1 24 inch size 4 US/3.5mm circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge.

Dimensions
19 inches/48cm from cast on to bind of edge.   Ends measure 22 inches/56cm in circumference. Center measures 20 inches/51cm in circumference.

Gauge
24 stitches in 4 inches/10cm in Lace Leaf Pattern after blocking.

Lace Leaf Pattern
Round 1: *k4, sl1, k2tog, psso, k4, yo, k1, yo. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 2 and all even rounds: k
Round 3: *yo, k3, sl1, k2tog, psso, k3, yo, k3. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 5: *k1, yo, k2, sl1, k2tog, psso, k2, yo, k4. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 7: *k2, yo, k1, sl1, k2tog, psso, k1, yo, k5. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 9: *k3, yo, sl1, k2tog, psso, yo, k6. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 11: *k3, yo, k1, yo, k4, sl1, k2tog, psso, k1. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 13: *k2, yo, k3, yo, k3, sl1, k2tog, psso, k1. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 15: *k1, yo, k5, yo, k2, sl1, k2tog, psso, k1. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 17: *yo, k7, yo, k1, sl1, k2tog, psso, k1. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 19: *k9, yo, sl1, k2tog, psso, yo. Repeat from * to end of round.
Round 20: k
Repeat rounds 1-20.

Pattern
With larger needles, cast on 120 stitches and join to work in the round.
Round 1: p
Round 2: k
Round 3: p

Change to smaller needles and begin Lace Leaf Pattern. Work until piece measures 15 inches (38 cm) from cast on edge lying flat, without stretching.

With larger needles, cast on 120 stitches and join to work in the round.
Round 1: p
Round 2: k
Round 3: p

Bind off very loosely. Work in ends. Saturate with cool water and lay flat to dry blocking to finished dimensions.