

Beginner pattern: Sassenach Capelet Cowl (page 61) – basic knitting, large needles and basic crochet skills

Beginner+ pattern: Gathering Cape (page 17) need to know how to add stitches

My favorites:

Advanced: Sauveuse des Anges Capelet (page 79) beautiful lace knitting

Medium skill: Paris Connections Mitts (page 93) An innovative rendition of one of Claire's Paris costumes – a pair of mitts that mimic the stomacher on that costume.

Medium skill: Revirescit Teapot Cozy (page 163) – a practical warmer for a small teapot.

Mo Chridhe Baby Blanket (page 169)

One of the suggested colors in the book is discontinued (the summer skin), so here are some suggested color changes I obtained from Kate Atherley, who asked the pattern designer:

MC – Bison

CC1 - Tumbled Stone

CC2 – Glacier (alternate color)

OR

MC – Walnut

CC1 – Tumbled Stone

CC2 – Sapphire

The above yarns are merino wool.

If one wants to make this using a synthetic yarn, I used:

Impeccable by Loops & Threads

MC – Chocolate, 2 skeins

CC1 – Aran Tweed (this is a variegated/marled yarn), 2 skeins **OR**

CC1 – Putty, 1 skein – this is closer to the color in the photo in the book

CC2 – Blue Haze, 1 skein

The Mo Chridhe is pretty easy, just need to know (or learn on youtube) how to do a provisional cast on. It uses two different colors of markers (I did "Right Side Red" and "Back Side Blue" for this project), size 6US 16" circular needles or 39" circular needles.