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JuneReally need both the Icelandic version with all the charts and photos in order to use the English translation version- which has none. The investment for both books is well worth it!!!!0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The Real Deal!By Beth AdcockThese traditional Faroese shawls are wonderful to wear: the subtle shoulder shaping helps them sit well, and they can be wrapped around and tied in the back or front so that they're warmer, and quite practical, though they also look lovely when fastened with a penannular brooch. I find that knitting them in the traditional way, using patterns in this book works best for me: you cast on hundreds of stitches, the most decorative designs, for the borders, are completed early in the project, and the knitting gets faster as you progress, as you're decreasing stitches rapidly along the way. You will really need the paperback companion volume unless you know Faroese (although an Icelandic friend was able to help me with a rough translation), and are familiar with the way these patterns are written, as they follow a different approach than American patterns. It is well worth the effort! I'm still getting compliments on a shawl I knit, using one of the simpler patterns in this book, eighteen years ago.

Includes 19 shawl patterns to be worked in Faroese yarns. Designs are illustrated with color photos, graphs and charts

and are described in Faroese. The English translation is printed separately.