

Timtim



This striped, mesh-like cowl (infinity scarf) features a simple, easy-to-memorize stitch pattern. Alternating sets of “k2tog, yo” and “yo, ssk” worked over alternating stockinette and garter stitch sections create a wavy, chevron-y fabric, and an interesting play of colors and texture.

The cowl is knit in the round, starting with a single garter ridge followed by several rows knit in pattern, and finally another garter ridge before the bind off. If you’d like a more prominent garter stitch border you could work 4 or 6 garter stitch rows after the CO and before the BO.

Yarn – The pattern lends itself nicely to all kinds of yarn and color combinations (solid + solid / solid + variegated / semi solid + variegated, etc). For the sample shown in the photos, I used approximately 450 yards of yarn - about 230 yards of a painted, two-color sport weight yarn (Henry’s Attic Superwash Sport Paints) as the main color, and 220 yards of a solid fingering weight yarn (Cascade Heritage Sock Solids) as the contrast color.

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Finished Dimensions

68" circumference x 8" depth

Needles

US size 6 or 4mm needles (40" or 32" length)

Notions

- Stitch markers
- Blocking pins and wires

Gauge

15.6 stitches and 30 rows = 4 inches (measured over pattern stitch after blocking)

Abbreviations

- CO – Cast On
- MC – main color
- CC – contrast color
- sts - stitches
- k – knit
- p – purl
- YO – yarn over
- k2tog – knit 2 stitches together
- ssk – slip, slip, knit the two slipped stitches together
- sts – stitches

Instructions to knit the cowl

Cast on 266 stitches **loosely**, using the Main Color (MC).

You could cast on a different number of stitches depending on the size you want. Just make sure the number you're casting on is a multiple of 14, and that you cast on loosely.

Join to knit in the round, taking care not to twist your stitches. Place a marker to mark the beginning of the round.

- Knit one row
- purl one row

1 garter ridge done. If you want a more prominent beginning border, work the two rows above 2 more times (4 more rows). Otherwise, skip to next step.

