



YARN TWISTERS

July Cowl

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Lightweight cowl with a pretty lace pattern. This cowl is knit with yarn dyed for Yarn Twisters July 2019 monthly yarn bundle.



MATERIALS & INFO

Yarn: MC: 1 skein Yarn Twisters Sock Yarn 100 gram/359 m (415 yards) or 1 skein of fingering weight yarn, CC: 10gr mini skein in a contrast colour. Sample knit with Peony Blush (MC) and Mint (CC)

Gauge: 21 sts by 28 rows in lace pattern, blocked

Needles: 4mm (US 6) 16" circular needles, or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: stitch marker, darning needle

Finished size: Circumference: 66cm (26"); Height: cm (20")

ABBREVIATIONS

BO - bind off

CO - cast off

k - knit

LHN - left hand needle

p2tog - purl the 2 sts together as one (1 st decreased)

p - purl

RHN - right hand needle

rnd - round

st/sts - stitch/stitches

yo - yarnover; bring the yarn to the front of work, yarnover the right hand needle (1 st increased)

PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

Cast On

Using the mini skein (CC) and the I-cord cast on, cast on 145 sts. Slip the last 2 sts back to the LHN, k2tog. (144 sts). Join to knit in the round, be sure not to twist your work. Place a st marker to denote the beginning of the round. Knit 1 round, break CC.

Link to a You Tube Video on I-cord cast on and grafting I-cord ends together: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JW2E4Z4OVrc>

Alternative to I-cord cast on: Using mini skein (CC), cast on 144 sts, join to k in the rnd. k 3 rnds, switch to MC to begin lace pattern.

Main Body

Using MC begin Lily of the Valley lace pattern:

Note: It is helpful to use a st marker to denote each lace repeat (every 18 sts); chart for pattern on page 3

Rnd 1: *k4, p2tog, k2, yo, k5, yo, k2, p2tog, k1*, repeat * to * to end of rnd

Rnd 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12: k to end of rnd

Rnd 3: *k3, p2tog, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p2tog, k6*, repeat * to * to end of rnd

Rnd 5: *k2, p2tog, k2, yo, k3, yo, k2, p2tog, k5*, repeat * to * to end of rnd

Rnd 7: *k1, p2tog, k2, yo, k5, yo, k2, p2tog, k4*, repeat * to * to end of rnd

Rnd 9: *k6, p2tog, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p2tog, k3*, repeat * to * to end of rnd

Rnd 11: *k5, p2tog, k2, yo, k3, yo, k2, p2tog, k2*, repeat * to * to end of rnd

Repeat **Rnds 1 to 12** nine more times, break MC

Bind Off

With mini skein, k 1 rnd, bind off all sts using the I-cord bind off.

Graft both CO and BO I-cord edges together, weave in ends, block to measurements.

Alternative to I-cord BO: Using mini skein, k 3 rnds, BO all sts loosely, weave in ends, block to measurements.



CHARTED INSTRUCTIONS

