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YARN

Creative Focus™ Worsted

Short cowl 1 x 100gm

Long cowl 2 x 100gm

(short cowl photographed in Magenta 01890, long cowl in Blue Smoke 03089)

NEEDLES

Set of 4 double-pointed 5mm (no 6) (US 8) needles

Cable needle

TENSION

20 sts and 26 rows to 10 cm measured over patt using 5mm (US 8) needles.

FINISHED SIZE

Completed short cowl is 26 cm (10 in) deep (excluding fringe) and measures 63 cm (25 in) all round.

Completed long cowl is 26 cm (10 in) deep (excluding fringe) and measures 126 cm (49½ in) all round.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

C6B = slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at back of work, K3, then K3 from cable needle; **C6F** = slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at front of work, K3, then K3 from cable needle.

SHORT COWL

Using set of 4 double-pointed 5mm (US 8) needles cast on 126 sts.

**Distribute sts evenly over 3 of the 4 needles and, using 4th needle, work in rounds as follows:

Round 1 (RS): Knit.

Place marker on needle at end of last round to denote beg and end of rounds.

Round 2: Purl.

Rep last 2 rounds once more.

Now work in patt as folls:

Round 5 (RS): *K2, P1, K2tog, yfkn, P1, K2, P2, K9, P2, rep from * to end.

Round 6: *(K2, P1) twice, K2, P2, K9, P2, rep from * to end.

Round 7: *K2, P1, yon, K2tog tbl, P1, K2, P2, C6B, K3, P2, rep from * to end.

Round 8: As round 6.

Rounds 9 and 10: As rounds 5 and 6.

Round 11: *K2, P1, yon, K2tog tbl, P1, K2, P2, K3, C6F, P2, rep from * to end.

Round 12: As round 6.

Rounds 5 to 12 form patt.

Cont in patt until work meas 25 cm, ending after a rep of round 6.

Now rep rounds 1 to 3 once more.

Cast off all sts **purlwise** (on **RS**).

LONG COWL

Using set of 4 double-pointed 5mm (US 8) needles cast on 252 sts.

Complete as given for short cowl from **.

MAKING UP

Press as described on the information page in FAQ area.

Cut 30 cm lengths of yarn and knot one length through every other st of cast-on edge to form fringe.

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