





Rita Cowl

Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

SIZES

One Size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Height: 10"

Circumference: 35"

MATERIALS

Fibra Natura *Donnina* (100% extrafine superwash merino wool, 50g/180 yds)

- 223 Glacier (A) 1 skein
- 229 Steely (B) 1 skein
- 224 Navy (C) 1 skein

Hook: US Size D-3 (3.25 mm) or size

needed to obtain gauge Notions: Tapestry needle

GAUGE

1 Granny Square = 5"

Save time check your gauge.

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PATTERN NOTES

The Rita Cowl is a lightweight accessory perfect for warding off any chill in the air. This cowl is made up of 14 granny squares that are worked flat separately and seamed together to create a rectangle. Then, one twist is added to the rectangle and the ends are sewn together, creating a mobius cowl.

STITCH GUIDE

Beginning 3-Double Crochet Cluster (beg 3-dc cl): Ch 3, [yo, insert hk into st, yo, draw up a loop, yo, draw yarn through 2 lps on hk] 2 times in same st, yo, draw yarn through 3 lps on hk.

3 Double Crochet Cluster (3-dc cl): [Yo, insert hk in st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw yarn through 2 lps on hk] 3 times in same st, yo, draw yarn through 4 lps on hk.

COWL

Granny Square

Make 14

With color A, ch 4, join with a sl st to form a ring. **Rnd 1:** Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), [dc, ch 1] 11 times into ring, join with a sl st into 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 2: SI st in 1st ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), beg 3-dc cl in same sp, ch 3, [3-dc cl, ch 3] in each ch-1 sp around, join with a sI st into top of beg 3-dc cl.

Rnd 3: Sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 5, [sc, ch 5] in each ch-3 sp around, join with a sl st into 1st sc. Fasten off color A.

Rnd 4: Join color B with a sl st in center of any ch-5 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout), 4 dc in same sp (half corner), * ch 1, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 1**, [5 dc, ch 3, 5 dc] in next ch-5 sp (corner); rep from * around, ending last rep at **, 5 dc in next ch-5 sp, ch 3, join with a sl st into 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off color B.

Rnd 5: Join color C with a sl st in any corner sp, ch 3, [dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in same sp (corner), * dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 4, sk next dc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 4, sk next dc, dc in each of next 4 dc**, [2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in next ch-3 sp, rep from * around,

ending last rep at **, join with a sl st into 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 6: SI st to next ch-2 sp, ch 3, [dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in same sp, * dc in each of next 4 dc, sk 2 dc, [ch 4, sc] in each of next 2 ch-4 sps, ch 4, sk next 2 dc, dc in each of next 4 dc**, [2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in next ch-2 sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join with a sI st into 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off color C.

Rnd 7: Join color B with a sl st in any corner ch-2 sp, [sc, ch 2, sc] in same sp (corner made), * sc in each of next 6 dc, 4 sc in each of next 3 ch-4 sps, sc in each of next 6 dc**, [sc, ch 2, sc] in next ch-2 sp; rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join with a sl st into 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off color B.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block pieces to finished measurements. Weave in ends. Sew each square together using illustration as a guide.

Upper Border

With color B, 1 sc in each st along top of rectangle. Fasten off.

Lower Border

Work as for Upper Border.

Create Tube

Twist the work one time, then sew the short ends of the rectangle together to create a twisted tube. Weave in rem ends.

Abbreviations

beg	begin(ning)
ch	chain
dc	double crochet
hk	hook
lp(s)	loop(s)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
SC	single crochet
sk	skip
sl	slip
sp	space(s)
st(s)	stitch(es)
yo	yarnover

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twist one time and sew together

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	

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