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Easy Mobius Cowl

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Size

S (M, L): tighter (average, looser)

Gauge

12 sts & 20 r = 4"/10cm in knit 4 rows, purl 4 rows rib.

Materials

- ° 2 skeins Manos Silky Wool, colour 3113 (50g, 135m/150yds; 30% silk, 70% extra fine merino wool) (work holding 2 strands together) OR 1 skein Malabrigo Mecha, colour 875 Arapey (100g/120m (130yds)
- ° 8mm/36" circular needles
- ° 1 Jumbo Stitch Marker

Notes

This pattern is very simple, fast, and satisfying for times when you just need to produce something FAST. It is knit in the round using a really long circular needle and a cast on just for mobius knitting: Intro to Mobius Knitting tutorial on you tube. Cat's instructions are clear and easy to follow and you'll be an expert in no time!







Directions

Our original version of this cowl was made with 2 strands of Manos Silky Wool, a Double Knitting weight yarn, holding 2 strands together (size Large). The later version was made with Malabrigo Mecha and only used a single strand (size Small) and working 3 rounds instead of 4. *Note: Round begins & ends at the stitch marker.*

Using Cat Bordhi's Mobius Cast On technique (http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LVnTda7F2V4), cast on 60 (70, 80) stitches. Place marker and join careful not to twist the sts (more than it is meant to): see video tutorial for directions.

Knit the 1st stitch tight to avoid a gap at the join. Knit for 4 rounds (or ridges).

Purl for 4 rounds. Knit 4 rounds.

Purl 4 rounds. Knit 4 rounds.

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Cast off knit-wise. Weave in ends.

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