

You Spin Me Round

LoopsClub January 2018: Knit pattern by Shelley Brander. Crochet pattern by Cristina Mershon.



Yarn:	Tools:	Gauge:
Spincycle 100-yd Dyed in the Wool + 200-yd hank Private Label, 100% merino	Knit: US #7 24" circulars Crochet: G (4.0mm) crochet hook	Knit: 18 sts = 4" on #7 needles in patt Crochet: 18 sts and 14 rows for 4"
<p>Find alternative project ideas and more photos in the Ravelry "Loopalicious" group.</p> <p>Knit Cowl (shown in photo on left): Note: Your custom LoopsClub kit includes two separate skeins, twisted together. The larger, solid grey skein is your "Private Label," your Main Color (MC). The smaller, multi skein is "Dyed in the Wool," your Contrast Color (CC). Untwist and wind each skein separately into a cake before beginning.</p> <p>Using #7 circular needles, cast on 156 in Main Color (MC), join into round and place marker, being careful not to twist.</p> <p>Rounds 1-10: *K3 in MC, p3 in CC* repeat to end (using the fair isle method makes this faster but isn't required) Rounds 11 & 12: Knit with MC only.</p>	<p>Rounds 13-18: *P3 in CC, k3 in MC* repeat to end. Rounds 19 & 20: Knit with MC only Rounds 21-26: *K3 in MC, p3 in CC* to end of round. Rounds 27-32: *P3 in MC, k3 in MC* to end of round (Note that for this and the next two sections, you work in MC only.) Rounds 33-40: *K3 in MC, p3 in MC* to end of round Rounds 41-46: *P3 in MC, k3 in MC to end of round (Note that now you will begin working with both MC and CC again...) Rounds 47-50: *K3 in MC, p3 in CC* to end of round. Rounds 51-54: *P3 in CC, k3 in MC* to end of round. Bind off very loosely in stockinette. Weave in ends. Wet blocking really brings out the beauty of this pattern! Finished measurements after blocking: 8.5" h x 26" circumference</p> <p><i>(continued on back)</i></p>	

Crochet Cowl (continued from front)

Abbreviations:

beg = beginning
dc = double crochet
lp = loop
sc = single crochet
sl st = slip stitch
sp = space
st = stitch
rp = repeat
yo = yarn over
hdc = half double crochet

Directions:

You will work the cowl as a rectangle and then sew together the short sides. After row 1, every row will be worked in back loops only.

With MC (grey) yarn, ch 111.

Row 1: Sl st in second ch from hook, sl st in next 4 ch, *[hdc in next 5 ch, sl st in next 5 ch], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 2: Working on back loops only from here and throughout the cowl, ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 hdc, sl st in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 3: Attach CC (multi) yarn. Ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 sl st, sl st in next 5 hdc], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, *[sl st in next 5 sl st, hdc in next 5 hdc], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 5: Attach MC yarn. Ch 1, *[sl st in next 5 hdc, hdc in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 6: Ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 hdc, sl st in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 7-20: Repeat rows 2 through 4, alternating colors every two rows, just like the instructions on those rows.

Row 21: Attach MC yarn. Ch 1, *[sl st in next 5 hdc, hdc in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 22: Ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 hdc, sl st in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 23: Ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 sl st, sl st in next 5 hdc], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 24: Ch 1, *[sl st in next 5 sl st, hdc in next 5 hdc], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 25-32: Repeat rows 21 and 24, using only the MC yarn, turn.

Row 33: Attach CC (multi) yarn. Ch 1, *[sl st in next 5 hdc, hdc in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 34: Ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 hdc, sl st in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 35: Attach MC yarn. Ch 2, *[hdc in next 5 hdc, sl st in next 5 sl st], rep from * until end of row, turn.

Row 36: Ch 1, *[sl st in next 5 sl st, hdc in next 5 hdc], rep from * until end of row, fasten off and weave in ends. Sew together the short ends of the cowl and wet-block.

Finished measurements after blocking: 9.5" h x 24" circumference

