



HOPS COWL
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The Hops Cowl is designed for us by the amazing Miriam Felton. The pattern uses traveling slip stitches, garter and reverse stockinette stripes for a motley menagerie of textures. The swaying lines and nubby silhouettes remind us of summer hops flowers in the garden.

This cowl knits up with ease—using only one color at a time keeps the stitching simple. The slipped stitches do all the work for you in this cute color-work look. Knerd String's line-up of garment-friendly, locally hand-dyed hues.

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HOPS COWL PATTERN

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Small (shown): 7" deep x 28" circumference

Large: 7" deep x 56" circumference (can be worn long or doubled)

YARN

2 skeins (1 each of 2 colors) Knerd String Fingering Weight (438y/100g) Shown in:
Color 1: Oyster Bay
Color 2: So Foxy
Enough for two small cowls or one large cowl. Make a pair of mirrored cowls for you and your best friend!

NEEDLES & NOTIONS

US 5 (3.5 mm) circular needle (or size needed to obtain gauge),
(24" length for small cowl or 40" length for large cowl)
stitch marker
cable needle
tapestry needle

GAUGE

24 sts & 60 rows = 4" / 10 cm in garter stitch



ABBREVIATIONS

C1: Color 1

C2: Color 2

CO: cast on

CN: cable needle

Cross sl st over knit RIGHT:

Sl next st to the CN, hold to back, sl wyib, k1 from CN.

Cross sl st over knit LEFT:

Sl next st to the CN, hold to front, k1, slip st from cn to RH needle.

Cross sl st over purl RIGHT:

Sl next st to the CN, hold to back, sl wyib, p1 from CN.

Cross sl st over purl LEFT:

Sl next st to the CN, hold to front, p1, slip st from CN to RH needle.

K: knit

P: purl

RND: Round

SL: Slip a stitch, inserting the needle purlwise so stitch remains untwisted

St(s): stitch(es)

WYIB: with yarn in back

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With Using C2, CO 192 (384) sts.

Place marker for beginning of rnd, and join in the round being careful not to twist.

Work from chart, Rnds 1-50, then repeat Rnds 3-50 (Rnds 1 & 2 are the edging).

Repeat Rnds 3 & 4 of chart once more.

Work Rnds 1 & 2 again and bind off.

Block and weave in ends.

Legend

- knit with C1
- knit with C2
- slip as if to purl with C1 held in back
- slip as if to purl with C2 held in back
- purl with C1
- purl with C2
- cross sl st over knit RIGHT with C2
- cross sl st over knit LEFT with C2
- cross sl st over purl RIGHT with C2
- cross sl st over purl LEFT with C2

