Lig Skinante presents Wish I Was Weaving



Wooly Wonka Fibers Brigit Worsted (100% merino; 181 yards/166 meters per 100 grams), shown in Forest Primeval.

THIS QUICK AND EASY BASKETWEAVE COWL CAN BE KNIT IN I nearly any yarn weight, and is suitable for beginning knitters. This cowl reminds me of my days spent weaving and continuously reminds me of my forgotten hobby. Worked in the round, the reversible stitch is easy to memorize or adapt to other yarn weights. Instructions are also given for an infinity cowl, which can be worn looped around your neck multiple times.



—Wish I Was Weaving This Cowl—

Remember to check your gauge! Knit a little loosely, the woven stitch motif doesn't tug or squish up like many knit/purl motifs. If your gauge results in more stitches per inch/cm, I would recommend going up a needle to achieve the desired flat effect of the cowl shown.

Set Up

$$CO \left\{ \begin{array}{c|c} REGULAR & INFINITY \\ 84 & 240 \end{array} \right\}$$
 STS. PM and join in the round

Work as follows:

1,3,5 κ all sts.

2,4 Pall STS.

6 infinity only κ all sts.

Body

Work as follows:

1–5 *P7, κ5, repeat from * to end.

6 к all sтs.

7–11 *P1, κ5, P6, repeat from * to end.

12 KallsTs.

Repeat Rounds 1–12

both sizes

Repeat Rounds 1-5 once more.

Edging

Work as follows:

1, 3, 5 K all STS.

2,4 Pall STS.

6 infinity only к all sтs.

Bind off loosely and block gently.

Yarn

Approximately 170 yards/155 meters worsted weight required for cowl; 400/366 for infinity cowl.

Needles & Gauge

- US 8 (5.0mm) 16" circular needle
- 16 sts and 24 rows per 4 in/10 cm, stockinette.

Notions

1 stitch marker, darning needle.

Finished Size

Cowl: 20.5 in/52 cm circumference, 10.25 in/26 cm

Infinity: 60 in/152 cm circumference, 6.75 in/17 cm

k knit st/s stitch(es)

p purl

PM place marker co cast on