Mogul Cowl & Infinity Scarf Recipe

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Pattern Notes:

The Mogul Cowl & Infinity Scarf Recipe is written to serve as a guide for creating any size cowl using the angular basket weave stitch pattern. Though the featured samples and pattern recipe show two sizes: Small and Large, it is up to the knitter to determine the finished size and fabric drape for their cowl.

Using a variety of yarns and needle sizes, this cowl's stitch pattern is a multiple of 8 stitches, making it simple for the knitter to customize based on desired gauge and finished dimensions. Recommended yarns include Malabrigo Rios, Malabrigo Twist, Malabrigo Merino Worsted, Madelinetosh Tosh DK, Madelinetosh Vintage, Madelinetosh Merino, Swans Island Organic Merino Worsted, Swans Island Organic Merino Bulky, Cascade Eco Duo, Misti Alpaca Chunky.

Two samples are shown in this pattern: Small and Large. The small sample (white) uses approximately 200 yards of chunky weight yarn and size US 10, 16" needles. The large sample (zebra) uses approximately 400 yards of light worsted weight yarn and size US 7, 32" needles.

The pattern recipe is written with instructions shown as Small (Large). If you choose to knit a size other than these, you will need to do a bit of math, but you can use this recipe as a general guideline.

Materials:

Use needles to achieve desired gauge. Choose circular needle length based upon circumference of finished cowl.

I recommend yarns ranging from DK to chunky weight. You will need between 200 – 400 yards depending on gauge and finished measurements.

Sizes used vary from US 7 - US 10.5

1 Stitch Marker

Tapestry Needle

Small Sample (White) Size US 10, 16" circular needles; 200 yards chunky weight yarn (Shown in Swans Island Organic Merino Bulky weight in Natural).

Large Sample (Zebra) Size US 7, 32" or 40" circular needles; 400 yards light worsted weight *yarn* (Shown in Cascade Eco Duo in Zebra).

Gauge:

Small: 15 sts = 4 inches in 4x4 ribbing after light blocking Large: 14 sts = 4 inches in 4x4 ribbing after light blocking

Finished Measurements:

Small: 26" circumference; 8" height after light blocking Large: 64" circumference; 9" height after light blocking

A bbreviations:

BO = bind off

CO = cast on

K = knit

P = purl

PM = place marker

Rep = repeat

Rnd = round

Angular Basket Weave Pattern:

(Multiple of 8sts)

Round 1: *k4, p4; rep from * to end.

Rounds 2, 3 & 4: Rep round 1.

Round 5: knit.

Round 6: k1, *p4, k4; rep from * to last 7 sts, p4, k3.

Round 7: k2, *p4, k4; rep from * to last 6 sts, p4, k2.

Round 8: k3, *p4, k4; rep from * to last 5 sts, p4, k1.

Round 9: *k4, p4; rep from * to end.

Round 10: knit.

Round 11: *p4, k4; rep from * to end.

Rounds 12, 13 & 14: Rep round 11.

Round 15: knit.

Round 16: p1, *k4, p4; rep from * to last 7 sts, k4, p3.

Round 17: p2, *k4, p4; rep from * to last 6 sts, k4, p2.

Round 18: p3, *k4, p4; rep from * to last 5 sts, k4, p1.

Round 19: *p4, k4; rep from * to end.

Round 20: knit.

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Pattern:

CO 96 (240) sts, pm and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist.

Work in angular basket weave pattern for a total of 2 (3) full repeats.

Work rnds 1-4 once more for both sizes.

BO loosely in established 4x4 rib pattern.

Weave in ends using tapestry needle and lightly block.

Enjoy!