



# Simply made beautiful.



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## Materials

- 127yds/116m of <u>#5 chunky weight yarn</u> (more for a longer cowl)
- <u>8mm needles</u> I knit with circular/cable needles. You can use 9-16" straight needles or 16"+ cables for this knitting pattern.
- Yarn needle
- Measuring tape
- Scissors



## Construction

The instructions include how to knit this cowl flat or in the round. If you knit this pattern flat, you will turn your work after each row. The number of stitches you cast on will equal how long your cowl is and you will knit it to height.

### Level

Beginner

# Gauge

 $4'' \times 4'' = 10$  sts x 22 rows of garter stitch

# Fit/Adjustments

As written, the Giana Cowl is a one skein pattern. Any adjustments may require more yarn so plan accordingly.

To make your cowl longer, cast on any number of stitches. If you are matching gauge then for every 10 sts you add it will increase by 4". Likewise you can cast on fewer stitches. Every 10 stitches, at the given gauge, will equal 4" less.

To make your cowl taller, repeat as many rows as needed.

# Stitches/Abbreviations-US Terms

CO-cast on K-<u>Knit</u> BO-bind off st(s)-stitch(es) rep-repeat

There's also a video tutorial on this pattern.



#### Pattern

CO 60 sts for a 24" long cowl. This will fit snugly for most. You can cast on any number to make it smaller or larger.

#### If knitting in the round, join in your preferred method.

I have a <u>tutorial</u> here on how I join in the round.

Knit each round for 44 rounds, or until work measures 8.75" tall. You can subtract or add more rounds to adjust the height of your cowl (and if you have more yarn).

BO.

Cut yarn, and weave in ends.

#### If knitting flat

Knit each row for 44 rows, or until work measures 8.75" tall. You can subtract or add more rounds to adjust the height of your cowl (and if you have more yarn).





#### Seam

Match short ends together. Thread yarn needle for seaming. To use an invisible vertical seam (mattress stitch) work on the right side (either one) to sew sides together.

## Finishing

BO. Cut yarn, and weave in ends.



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