

Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Martha Stewart Crafts™ Alpaca Blend Side Slit Cabled Cowl

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: One Size

Finished Circumference About 32 in. (81.5 cm)

Finished Height About 16 in. (40.5 cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Dec 1, 2011. To check for later updates, click here.

MATERIALS

- 5500-524 <u>Lion Brand Martha Stewart Crafts Alpaca Blend: Pussy Willow</u>
 3 Balls
- Clover Bamboo Circular Knitting Needles 29 inches Size 10
- Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

GAUGE:

16 sts + 16 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in cable pattern BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE. When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

STITCH EXPLANATION:

RT (Right Twist) K2tog and leave on left needle, then with right needle, go between the 2 sts and k the first st again.

3-LT (3-st Left Twist) SI first st as if to knit, k1, yarn over, k1, pass the slipped st over these last 3 sts and off the needle.

NOTES:

- 1. Cowl beg at lower edge and is worked back and forth in rows to neck. Piece is then joined and worked in rnds.
- 2. When instructed to sl the first st as if to purl, hold yarn in front. When instructed to sl the first st as if to knit, hold yarn in back.

3-LT (3-st Left Twist): SI first st as if to knit, k1, yo, k1, pass the slipped st over these last 3 sts and off the needle.

COWL

Beg at lower edge, cast on 129 sts loosely. Work back and forth on circular needle as if working on straight needles. **Row 1 (WS):** SI 1 as if to p, *k2, p2, k2, p3, k2, p2, k2, p1; rep from * across.

Row 2 (RS): SI 1 as if to k, k across. Rep last 2 rows for Rib pattern until all yarn in one ball is used or until piece measures 4 in. (10 cm) from beg, end with a RS row. **Note:** End with a RS row means that the last row you work should be a RS row, and the next row that you are ready to work will be a WS row.

Neck

Beg working in the rnd. With RS facing, sl first st on left-hand needle onto right-hand needle, pass last st of previous row over slipped st to decrease 1 st - 128 sts rem. Place marker for beg of rnd.

Rnd 1: *P2, k2, p2, k3, p2, k2, p2, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 2: *P2, RT, p2, k3, p2, RT, p2, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 3: Rep Rnd 1.

Rnd 4: *P2, RT, p2, 3-LT, p2, RT, p2, k1; rep from * around.

Rep last 4 rnds for Cable pattern until piece measures 16 in. (40.5 cm) from beg or until about 6 yd (6 m) of yarn rem. Bind off in pattern.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
beg = begin(s)(ning)	k = knit
p = purl	<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>
rep = repeat(s)(ing)	rnd(s) = round(s)
RS = right side	$\underline{sl} = \underline{slip}$
st(s) = stitch(es)	WS = wrong side

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*<u>Martha Stewart CraftsTM/MC Alpaca Blend</u> (Article #5500). 40% Wool, 40% Acrylic, 20% Alpaca; package size: 3.50oz/100.00 gr. (115yds/105m) pull skeins

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