Spuntaneous Worsted

Plaitwork Cowl

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Skill Level: Intermediate

Size: 13" (33 cm) tall x 32" (81 cm) circumference

Materials:
Cascade Yarns® Spuntaneous Worsted
100% of Extrafine Merino Wool
100 g (3.5 oz)/ 208 yds (190m)
2 skeins color #06 (Burnt Orange)
US 10 (6 mm) 24" (61 cm) Circular Knitting Needles or size to obtain gauge
Yarn Needle
1 Stitch Marker
Cable Needle

Gauge:
17 sts x 25 rnds = 4" (10 cm) Blocked, in Stockinette stitch
21 sts x 28 rnds = 4" (10 cm) Blocked, in Plaitwork Stitch Pattern
21 sts x 24 rnds = 4" (10 cm) Blocked, in Ribbed Edge Pattern

Abbreviations:
3/3LC = 3/3 left cross: Sl 3 sts onto cable needle and hold to front, K3, K3, from cable needle
3/3RC = 3/3 right cross: Sl 3 sts onto cable needle and hold in back, K3, K3 from cable needle
BO = Bind Off
CO = Cast On
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit 2 stitches together, 1 sts decreased
PM = Place marker
P = Purl
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
Sl = Slip
SSK = Slip 1 st, slip 1 st, knit these sts together through the back loops
St(s) = Stitch(es)
YO = Yarn Over

Special Stitches:
Plaitwork Stitch Pattern (over 14 sts):
Rnd 1: (K1, SSK, YO, K11) to end.
Rnd 2: (K12, YO, K2tog) to end.
Rnd 3: (K1, SSK, YO, 3/3RC, K5) to end.
Rnd 4: (K12, YO, K2tog) to end.
Rnd 5: (K1, SSK, YO, K11) to end.
Rnd 6: (K12, YO, K2tog) to end.
Rnd 7: (K1, SSK, YO, K3, 3/3LC, K2) to end.
Rnd 8: (K12, YO, K2tog) to end.
Repeat Rows 1 - 8 for pattern.

**Ribbed Edge Pattern Stitch:**
Rnd 1: (K1, P1) repeat to end.
Repeat Rnd 1 for pattern.

*Note: This project requires two full skeins; consider purchasing an additional skein for insurance.*

**Begin Pattern:**
**Bottom Edge:**
CO 168 sts. Being careful not to twist work, join in the rnd. PM.
Work Ribbed Edge pattern for 1½" [4 cm].

**Body:**
Work Plaitwork St pattern Rnds 1-8, until piece measure 11½" [29 cm] from CO edge.
End on Rnd 8 of Plaitwork St pattern.

**Top Edge:**
Repeat instructions for Bottom Edge.
BO in ribbed pattern.

**FINISHING**
Weave in ends and gently wet block piece, being careful not to stretch ribbed edges.
Lay flat to dry.

**Plaitwork Stitch Pattern Chart:**

![Chart Image]

**Plaitwork Stitch Pattern Chart Key:**

- 3/3LC
- 3/3RC
- K
- K2tog
- P
- SSK
- YO
- Pattern repeat