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Cascade Eco Alpaca
Garter Ridge Cowl

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Yarn: Eco Alpaca, 1 skein of #1521
Gauge: 4½ stitches = 1 inch in Stockinette stitch.
Needles: Circular, US size 6; circular or straight, US size 15.
Size: One size fits most women.

Finished circumference (unstretched): 20 inches.
Finished length (unstretched): 15½ inches.

Cast on 100 stitches on size 6 circular needles, place marker to note beginning of round, and join, keeping stitches untwisted. Work first 6 rounds in border pattern. Work body in pattern stitch (for 13½ inches). Work last 6 rounds in border pattern. Bind off loosely with size 15 needles. (This bound-off edge is the bottom of the cowl.)

Border Pattern: (2x2 Rib)
Round 1: *K2, p2; rep fr *. Work a total of 6 rounds in border.

Body Pattern (Garter-Ridged Slip Stitch)
Round 1: *K1, k1, sl 1 wyif as if to purl, k1, k1; continue fr * to end.
Round 2: *K1, k1, p1 (the slipped stitch), k1, k1; continue fr * to end.
Repeat rounds 1 and 2 for 13½ inches (or longer, if desired).

Abbrev: wyif = with yarn in front.