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The Easiest Rib Knit Cowl

Perfect worn on those cool & chilly days, this rib knit cowl will soon become a favorite pattern to make again and again! Knit in a chunky yarn, it works up quickly. The rib knit pattern makes it drape nicely around your neck. This is the perfect beginner knitting pattern!



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MATERIALS & INFO

METHOD: Knitting

SKILL LEVEL: Beginner

NEEDLES: US 10.5/6.5 mm Circular Needle approximately 24 inches (61 cm) long

YARN: Bernat Velvet or Any Yarn Weight 5 Bulky that meets gauge

1 skein or approximately 220 yards of Bulky yarn

PLEASE REFER TO THE GAUGE

GAUGE: 4" x 4" (10 cm x 10 cm): 12 sts x 17 rows

OTHER: Stitch Marker

SIZES: One Size

FINAL MEASUREMENTS:

Cowl measures : 36 inches (91 cm) wide, 13 inches (33 cm) tall

SKILLS USED

Knit Stitches

Purl Stitches

Knitting in the Round

Long Tail Cast On

Stretchy Bind Off - Step 1: Knit 1 stitch.

Step 2: Make a yarn over and knit the next stitch.

Step 3: Insert the tip of the left needle into the yarn over and the stitch that is at the right side of the yarn over.

Pass the yarn over and the right stitch over the left stitch and off the needle = 1 stitch left on the right needle.

CONSTRUCTION

Using the Long Tail Cast On, the cowl is knitted in the round in a 2 x 2 rib stitch pattern. When the finished length has been achieved, the stitches are bound off using the Stretchy Bind Off.

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ABBREVIATIONS

Co: cast on

sts: stitches

K: knit

P: purl

BO - bind off in pattern

PATTERN

Using the Long Tail Cast On, co 120 sts.

Place a stitch marker to mark the beginning of the row.

Make sure not to twist your stitches as you join in the round.

Knitting in the round:

Round 1: *K2, P2*, repeat between * to * until the end of the row.

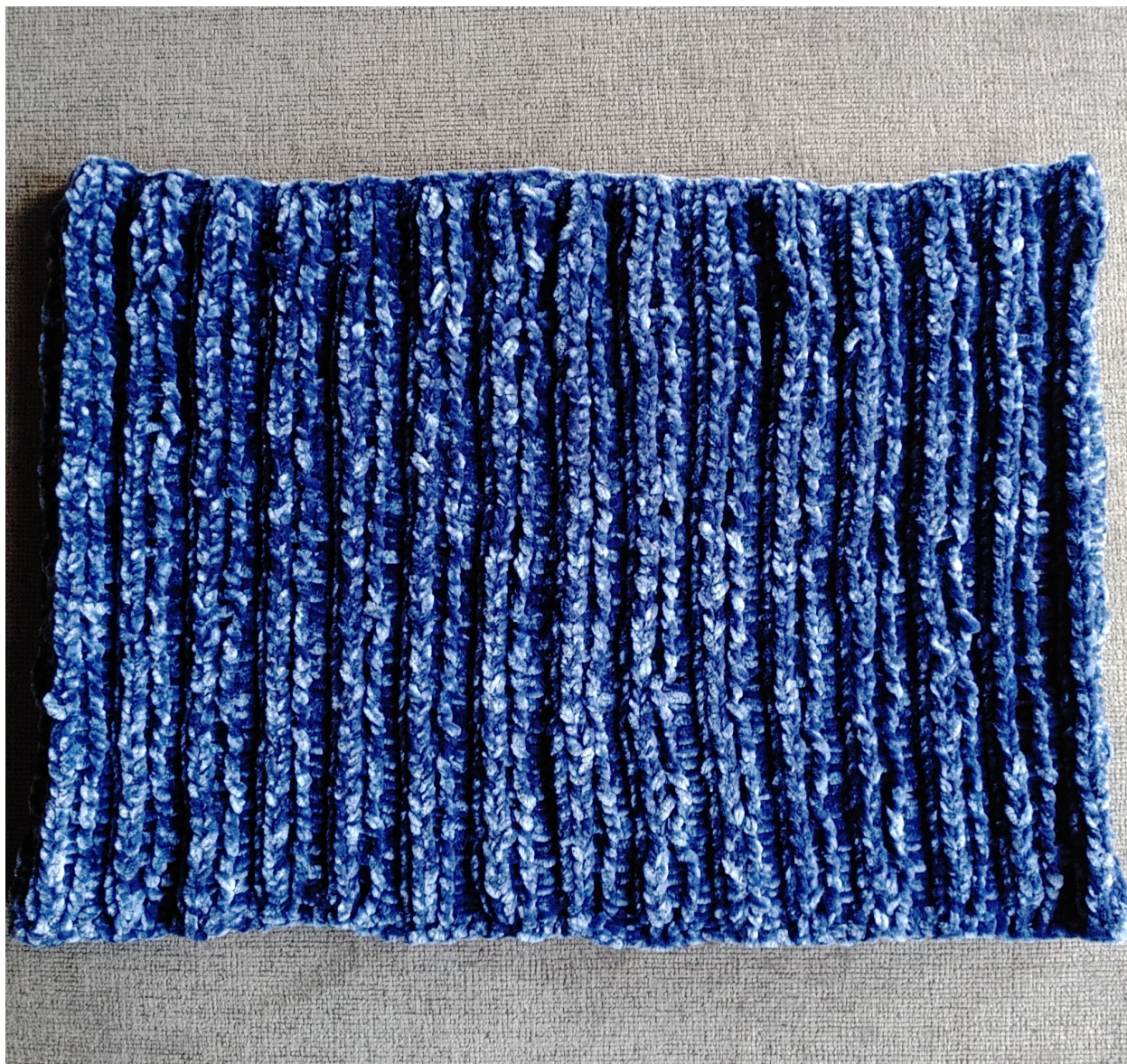
Repeat Row 1, knitting in the round until your work measures 13 inches (33 cm) or your desired depth of your cowl has been completed.

Using the Stretchy Bind Off, bind off all stitches.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends & block to shape.

I hope you enjoy knitting this! Please share your finished cowl on your social media & tag me! #thefibreartco
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