

Beaded Smoke Ring

Light as air cowl in knitted lace and sparkly touches of beads at each end of the knitted tube. This versatile accessory can be worn pulled down around the neck to lie on the shoulders as a dressy neckline, or pulled up over the head as an elegant head covering.

Sizing

Directions are written for a smaller 22" size, with changes for a larger 25½" size given in brackets [].

Finished measurements are 22 [25½]" around and 17 [18]" long.

Materials

Laceweight or fingering weight yarn, approximately 275 [350] yards. Your yarn choice needs to be thin, yet strong enough, to carry the beads.

108 [126] glass knitting beads (holes need to be large enough for yarn to pass through)

12 [14] ring markers, one of which is a different color

Size 6 us (4.0 mm) circular needle, or size to obtain planned gauge, in 16" - 24" length

GAUGE: 5½ stitches per inch over stockinette stitch.

Skill Level: Intermediate knitter.

Caution: Yarn requirements are based on the planned dimensions and gauge stated in this pattern. You may need additional yarns in same dye lot if you are adjusting these instructions.



Abbreviations

() # **times** - repeat instructions inside the parentheses the number of times indicated by the #

eor - end-of-round

k - knit

k1tbl - knit 1 through back loop

k2togtbl - knit 2 stitches together through back loops

k3togtbl - knit 3 stitches together through back loops

mkr(s) - marker(s)

p - purl

rep from *s - repeat all instructions from the previous asterisk

rnd(s) - round(s)

RS - right side (the side of the knitted fabric worn to the outside)

sl - slip

sl 1 - slip 1 stitch as if to purl unless otherwise directed

sl 1 wyif - slip 1 stitch as if to purl while keeping yarn to front of work

st(s) - stitch(es)

stockinette stitch - knit on the right side, purl on the wrong side

tbl - through back loop

tog - together

WS - wrong side (the side of the knitted fabric worn to the inside)

wyif - with yarn in front of work

yo - yarn over

Note: Instructions are written assuming you are knitting stitches off your left-hand needle point onto your right-hand needle point. If you are working instead from right to left, please adjust accordingly when instructions refer to the left or right needle.