

Beaded Crescent Neck Lace

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simple and beautiful — lace for your neck

Adorn your neckline with a crescent of color and beads. Beaded Crescent Neck Lace starts with an elegant beaded loops lace edging. Then fill out the shape with simple garter stitch short rows that let the colors of your yarn sing in accompaniment to sparkly beads. More beads edge the upper neckline in a pretty bind off to complete your neck lace.



Finished Measurements Approximately 3" at widest point; inner neckline edge 22"

Materials and Supplies

50 yards fingering weight yarn; shown in Crystal Palace *Panda Silk* color #5206 Very Berry

Size US 5 (3.75 mm) knitting needles suggested

169 size 6/0 (4 mm diameter) glass seed beads (approximately 15 g); shown in Miyuki color #451 Hematite (a.k.a. Gunmetal)

Small tapestry needle, nylon dental floss threader or similar that is small enough to fit through the hole in beads

Gauge 5 stitches/inch over garter stitch

Skill Level Intermediate knitter or aspiring advanced beginner knitter

Stitch Instructions Written

Beading Technique Knitting with beads strung on project yarn

Construction Bottom up, beaded loops lace edging used as basis for cast on; simple short rows; beaded bind off; no seams to sew