

## Advanced Beginner

### Notes

If you are substituting a different yarn that knits at a different gauge and you need to adjust the size accordingly, this is an 18 stitch repeat so you need to decrease or increase by 18 sts.

If you don't have enough yarn (in case you are substituting a different one) to complete the last 16 row repeat in total, the cowl looks fine if you end after a row 8 instead of after row 16.

Likewise, you can continue to knit beyond the third repeat of 16 rows if you have more yarn and want it wider, but you need to bind off after either a row 8 or 16.

This cowl wraps twice around the neck the way I like it...which is snug and warm! But if you prefer a cowl that when doubled around your neck hangs a bit more loosely than you see pictured, then cast on 162 sts and only work thru the 16 rows twice and then work rows 1-8 once. It will be narrower, but will measure about 54" long

## Double Basket Cowl



### Materials:

2 skeins Classic Wool by Manos

US 9 –10 or size to obtain gauge, circular 24"

Gauge: 3 sts/inch in pattern

Finished Dimensions: 9" x 45"

Cast on 144 sts. Join in the round, taking care not to twist your cast on sts and placing a marker at the beginning.

Work 16 rows of double basket pattern thru 3 times total.

Bind off loosely.

Rows 1, 3, 5 & 7:

\*k1, p1, k2, p9, k2, p1, k1, p1\*

Rows 2, 4, 6 & 8:

\*k1, p1, k13, p1, k1, p1\*

Rows 9, 11, 13, & 15

\*P4, k2, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k2, p5\*

Rows 10, 12, 14 & 16:

\*K6, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k7\*