Seamless waffle cowl

Standard · US terms



Finished size
About 24¾ in (63 cm) around by 9¾ in (25 cm) deep

Skill
Intermediate
Post stitches, in rounds

Yarn
Medium (4)

Hook
5 mm (US H-8)

Gauge
14 stitches and 9½ rounds to 4 in (10 cm)
In waffle stitch in rounds.

What you need

Yarn: any one color (honey in the picture), medium (4) **about 200 yd (183 m), an estimate**
By weight: about 100 g, an estimate, where 100 g is 200 yd (183 m).
Hook: 5 mm (US H-8), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: a yarn needle, scissors and a tape measure.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Child	20½ in (52 cm) around, 7¼ in (18 cm) deep	about 130 yd (119 m)
Standard (this file)	**24¾ in (63 cm) around, 9¾ in (25 cm) deep**	**about 200 yd (183 m)**
Tall	24¾ in (63 cm) around, 12¼ in (31 cm) deep	about 250 yd (229 m)

Gauge

14 stitches and 9½ rounds to 4 in (10 cm) in waffle stitch in rounds.

Check it on the cowl itself, laid flat and not stretched, when 5 rounds are done: 14 stitches are about 4 in (10 cm) wide, and 5 rounds about 2 in (5 cm) deep. If they measure more, start again with a smaller hook; if they measure less, with a larger one.

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Instructions

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ch chain, **dc** double crochet (UK tr), **sl st** slip stitch, **FPdc** dc round the stitch below, hook in and out at the front, **BPdc** dc round the stitch below, hook in and out at the back, **st** stitch.

Do not turn: the outside faces you all the time. The ch 2 is not a stitch. The first FPdc goes **where the slip stitch went**. **Working in the round**

[ ] 29 times: 29 times in all. (29 FPdc, 58 dc): the round now has that many; a check, not a step. **How to read a pattern**

Also: yo yarn over.

Every stitch, drawn: flossfield.com/crochet/stitches.

Begin every round in the place the joining sl st was worked into, before any other stitch: in round 1 the first dc goes into the chain with the join, and from round 2 on the first FPdc goes around the post of the stitch with the join. The FPdc then stand in columns, one over the other.

☐ **Start**	Ch 87, join with sl st in first ch to make a loop, without twisting the chain.	
☐ **Round 1**	Ch 2, dc in each ch around; join with sl st in first dc	(87 dc)
☐ **Round 2**	Ch 2, **[**FPdc around next st, dc in next 2 sts**] 29 times**; join with sl st in first FPdc	(29 FPdc, 58 dc)
☐ **Round 3**	Ch 2, **[**FPdc around next st, BPdc around next 2 sts**] 29 times**; join with sl st in first FPdc	(29 FPdc, 58 BPdc)
☐ **Rounds 4 to 23**	Repeat rounds 2 and 3 in turn: every even-numbered round is worked as round 2, every odd-numbered round as round 3.	
☐	Fasten off.	

4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23

Finishing

- Weave in the ends with the yarn needle, changing direction once or twice.

In all: 23 rounds; 2,001 stitches; 2 ends to weave in.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge, with 15 percent added.

Notes

- The ch 2 at the start of a round does not count as a stitch.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin and when you fasten off, unless another length is given. The ends that are not sewn with are woven in.
- Buy whole balls from one dye lot.

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