

Calera Cowl

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Difficulty Level: Easy

Finished Measurements: 18 inches tall x 44 ½ inches around.

Yarn: [We Crochet Wonderfluff Ombre](#) (70% Baby Alpaca, 23% Nylon, 7% Merino Wool; 284 yds; 100 g; yarn weight category: 5/Bulky): 1 skein #29294 Larkspur Heather (color A), 1 skein #61003 Royal Heather (color B).

Yardage: You will need 220 yds of each color.

Crochet Hook: 7 mm, or size needed to match gauge.

Notions: Locking stitch marker, tapestry needle

Gauge: 10 sts x 8 rnds = 4 inches in Cowl pattern.

Notes

See this tutorial for help with basic crochet stitches.

This cowl is crocheted with two colors spiraling around each other.



You'll begin with a row of color A and then remove the hook from the live loop, putting a locking stitch marker in its place to prevent unraveling.

Then you'll start a second small piece in color B. Once you've stitched into all the color B chains, you'll begin stitching into the stitches of color A from Row 1, joining the two pieces together.

Then the ends of the piece will be brought together. You'll switch back to color A and start working into the color B stitches, joining the ends together.

If this seems confusing, [check out the full tutorial video here](#).

Abbreviations Used

ch(s), chain(s)

sc, single crochet

hdc, half double crochet

rnd(s), round(s)

BOR, beginning of round

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With A, leaving a long tail, ch 103

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in each remaining ch, remove loop from hook and insert a stitch marker to prevent unraveling - 102 sts.

Row 2: With B, leaving a long tail, make a slip knot and ch 9, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in each remaining ch, working into stitches of Row 1, hdc in each st across, remove loop from hook and insert a stitch marker to prevent unraveling - 110 sts.

Rnd 3: Place hook into live loop of A from Row 1, making sure not to twist piece, bring ends together, working into sts of of Row 2, hdc in each st around, remove loop from hook and insert a stitch marker to prevent unraveling.

Rnd 4: Place hook into live loop of B, hdc in each st around, remove loop from hook and insert a stitch marker to prevent unraveling.

Rnd 5: Place hook into live loop of A, hdc in each st around, remove loop from hook and insert a stitch marker to prevent unraveling.

Alternate repeating Rnds 4 and 5 for pattern.

Work in pattern for a total of 38 rnds.

Final row: Place hook in live loop of B, hdc in next 8 sts, sc in next 3 sts, sl st in next st, fasten off B, place hook in live loop of A, sc in next 3 sts, sl st in next st. Fasten off.

Finishing

Using long tails from Rows 1 and 2, sew gaps in bottom edge closed.

Weave in all ends. Block.





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