

TRUE CELT COWL



This cowl was made at first as a cowl for men – but in the end it fits to women as well! Thicker yarn and simple celtic cable creates great companion for winter wandering for anyone ☺

Even this is simple design – fine for beginners, you should need to know how to work with cable needle and how to knit in the round. Then it's just a few hours of knitting and voila!

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Happy knitting!

YOU WILL NEED:

- 3 skeins of Drops Nepal yarn (225m) or any yarn in similar weight
- 5 mm circular needles (the cable should have 40 cm) or maybe you can use DPNSs too
- Cable needle
- 1 stitch marker
- Tapestry needle, scissors

ABBREVIATIONS:

K – knit; **p** – purl; **CN** – cable needle; **2CNB-K2-P2** – move 2 sts to CN and hold in the back, knit 2 sts, purl 2 sts from the CN; **2CNF-P2-K2** - move 2 sts to CN and hold in the front, purl 2 sts, knit 2 sts from the CN; **2CNB-K2-K2** -move 2 sts to CN and hold in the back, knit 2 sts, knit 2 sts from the CN; **2CNF-K2-K2** – move 2 sts to CN and hold in the front, knit 2 sts, purl 2 sts from the CN



BEGINNING:

You can knit with the chart or with the written pattern. The beginning for both options is the same:

Cast on 112 sts.

Join in the round. Place marker at the beginning and don't forget to slip the marker on the beginning of every row.

Row 1-10: *k2, p2* repeat to the end of the row

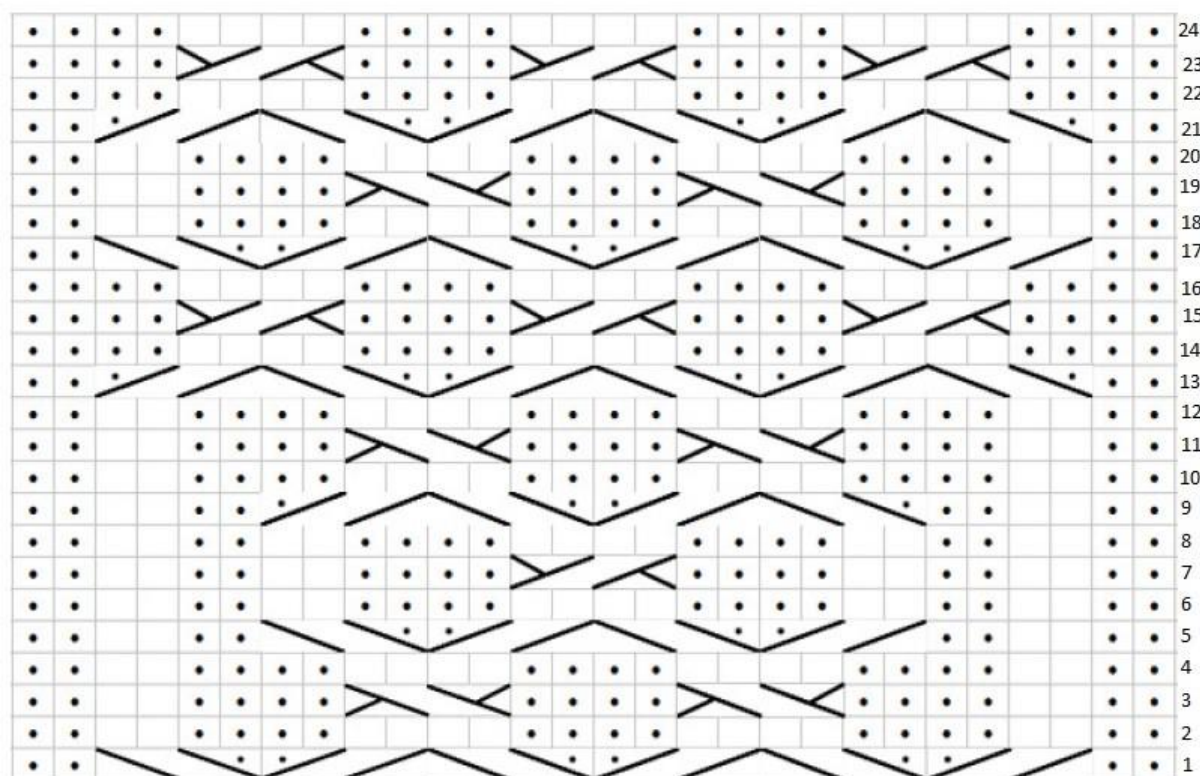
When you have this ribbed edge, you can follow next steps via chart or written pattern (which is below).

THE CHART:

The chart shows only one part of the pattern (only 28 sts) – you will repeat the chart three more times (you casted on 112 sts = there is 4 cable sections with 28 sts).

When you finish row 24, then you repeat the WHOLE chart one more time (the whole chart = rows 1 – 24).

Once you have it done, then you make the finishing part – now go under the „written pattern“ section – there is „Finishing“ which is the same for chart and written pattern.



Knit

Purl



Slip 2 stitches to cable needle and hold to front; purl next 2 stitches, then knit 2 from the cable needle



Slip 2 stitches to cable needle and hold to back; knit next 2 stitches, then purl 2 from the cable needle



Slip 2 stitches to cable needle and hold to back; knit next 2 stitches, then knit 2 from the cable needle



Slip 2 stitches to cable needle and hold to front; knit next 2 stitches, then knit 2 from cable needle

THE WRITTEN PATTERN:

(You casted on 112 sts and made 10 rows of ribbed edge).

Row 1: *p2, (2CNB-K2-P2, 2CNF-P2-K2) x 3, p2* x 4

Row 2: *p2, k2, p4, (k4, p4) x 2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 3: *p2, k2, p4, (2CNF-K2-K2, p4) x 2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 4: *p2, k2, p4, (k4, p4) x 2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 5: *p2, k2, p2, (2CNB-K2-P2, 2CNF-P2-K2) x 2, p2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 6: *p2, k2, p2, k2, p4, k4, p4, k2, p2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 7: *p2, k2, p2, k2, p4, 2CNB-K2-K2, p4, k2, p2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 8: *p2, k2, p2, k2, p4, k4, p4, k2, p2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 9: *p2, k2, p2, (2CNF-P2-K2, 2CNB-K2-P2) x 2, p2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 10: *p2, k2, (p4, k4) x 2, p4, k2, p2* x 4

Row 11: *p2, k2, p4, (2CNF-K2-K2, p4) x 2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 12: *p2, k2, (p4, k4) x 2, p4, k2, p2* x 4

Row 13: *p2, (2CNF-P2-K2, 2CNB-K2-P2) x 3, p2* x 4

Row 14: *(p4, k4) x 3, p4* x 4

Row 15: *p4, (2CNB-K2-K2, p4) x 3* x 4

Row 16: *(p4, k4) x 3, p4* x 4

Row 17: *p2, (2CNB-K2-P2, 2CNF-P2-K2) x 3, p2* x 4

Row 18: *p2, k2, (p4, k4) x 2, p4, k2, p2* x 4

Row 19: *p2, k2, p4, (2CNF-K2-K2, p4) x 2, k2, p2* x 4

Row 20: *p2, k2, (p4, k4) x 2, p4, k2, p2* x 4

Row 21: *p2, (2CNF-P2-K2, 2CNB-K2-P2) x 3, p2* x 4

Row 22: *p4, (k4, p4) x 3* x 4

Row 23: *p4, (2CNB-K2-K2, p4) x 3* x 4

Row 24: *(p4, k4) x 3, p4* x 4

Repeat rows 1 – 24 one more time.

FINISHING:

When you finished the second repeat of the chart; you will knit the ribbed edge:

Rows 1 – 10: *k2, p2* repeat to the end of row

Bind off – you can use any bind off you want; but here is one basic method:

Basic bind off – knit first two sts of the row, *slip first stitch (right stitch on the right needle) over the second stitch (left stitch on the right needle), knit another one stitch from left needle* - continue from * to * to the end

Block it, if you want – I didn't block the cowls showed on the pictures, so blocking is up to you 😊

Weave in ends, wear it with love. ♥

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