



MANOS DEL URUGUAY

Pirouette Cowl

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SIZE

26" circumference x 13.5" depth

MATERIALS

Manos del Uruguay FINO Mini-Skein Kit (70% superfine merino, 30% silk; approx. 100g/490 yds), 1 Kit.

Shown in kit 6 Flora (423 Tincture [C1], 407 Velvet Pincushion [C2], 408 Crystal Goblet [C3], 404 Watered Silk [C4], 433 Folly [C5]).

US 5/3.75mm ndl, 16" circular, or size to obtain gauge

Ring marker

Tapestry needle

GAUGE

26 sts and 38 rounds = 4" over Stockinette knit in the round

ABBREVIATIONS

CO: cast on

K: knit

Ndl: needle

P: purl

Rep: repeat

Rnd(s): round(s)

St(s): stitch(es)

NOTES

This cowl is knit in a spiral to avoid the jog at the beginning/end of the round and carrying unused colors up the inside of the work.

STITCH GUIDE

1x1 Rib (even number of sts)

Rnd 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end of rnd.

Rep this rnd for 1x1 rib.



INSTRUCTIONS

With C1, CO 32 sts. Drop C1, and, using C2, CO 32 more sts onto the same end of the needle. Drop C2, and, using C3, CO 32 more sts. Drop C3 and, using C4, CO 32 more sts. Drop C4 and, using C5, CO 32 more sts. [160 sts]

Bring the ends of the ndl together so that the end with C5 is in your right hand and the end with C1 is in your left. Place marker on RH ndl. Using C5, work 1x1 Rib across the 32 C1 sts (thus ending with a p st). Pick up C1, and, without twisting it around C5, use it to work 1x1 Rib across the 32 C2 sts. Then pick up C2 and, without twisting it around C1, work across the C3 sts. Continue in this manner: use C3 to work across the C4 sts, and C4 to work across C5. This completes 1 rnd.

Continuing to drop the old color whenever you come to a new one, work 4 more rnds of 1x1 Rib.

Change to Stockinette (i.e., knit all sts every rnd) and continue in spiral stripes until piece measures 13".

Work 5 rnds of 1x1 Rib, then bind off, continuing to change colors.

FINISHING

Weave in ends. Block gently.





FINO MINI-SKEIN SETS

70% extrafine merino, 30% silk, 20g/98yd mini-skeins, set of 5

415, 404, 429, 405, 427



#1 - Augusta

415, 401, 429, 416, 427



#2 - Beatrix

436, 413, 414, 415, 429



#3 - Clarissa

431, 424, 430, 407, 423



#4 - Dorothea

413, 421, 410, 420, 411



#5 - Eleanor

423, 407, 408, 404, 433



#6 - Flora

426, 405, 407, 419, 438



#7 - Georgiana

421, 401, 435, 404, 414



#8 - Henrietta

424, 410, 420, 416, 428



#9 - Irene

425, 431, 424, 426, 433



#10 - Josephine

429, 408, 407, 421, 416



#11 - Lydia