# Montanagade - a slip stitch cowl 

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## A lovely cowl in a gorgeous slip stitch pattern.

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## Materials

Color A: 200 g Indiecita by Filcolana in color 979
(Pebbles)
Color B: 100 g Indiecita by Filcolana in color 100 ( $\mathrm{Na}-$ tural White)
Color C: A Scrap of Indiecita by Filcolana in color 237 5 mm circular needle, 60 cm long
Stitch markers
Size
One size

## Measurements

Circumference: 73 cm
Height: 47 cm

## Gauge

23 sts and 37 rows in the slip stitch pattern on a 5 mm needle $=10 \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$.

## Special abbreviations

SI1: Slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held in back.

## Directions for knitting

The cowl is worked in the round in a slip stitch pattern. The top and bottom edges are worked in rib. The slip stitch pattern is a two colored pattern, where only one color is worked at a time.

## Cowl

Cast on 168 sts on a 5 mm circular needle using color C. Join in the round and place a marker for the beginning of the round. Work k2ounds of k1, p1 ribbing, then change to color A and work another 17 round of ribbing.

## Continue in the slip stitch pattern (see chart on

 page 2)Round 1 and 2 - using color $B$ : *[k2, sl1] 8 times*. Repeat from * to * to end of round (a total of 7 times). It may be helpful to place a marker every 24 sts to better keep track of the pattern.

Round 3 and 4 - using color $A: *[s l 1, k 2] 3$ times, sl1, k3, [sl1, k2] 3 times, sl1, k1*. Repeat from * to * to end of round (a total of 7 times).

Round 5 and 6 - using color $\mathrm{B}: ~ * k 1$, sl1, [k2, sl1] 3 times, $k 1$, $\mathrm{sl} 1,[\mathrm{k} 2, \mathrm{sl} 1] 3$ times, $\mathrm{k}^{*}$. Repeat from * to $*$ to end of round (a total of 7 times).


## Montanagade

Chart - slip stitch pattern

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knit with color A
$\square$ knit with color Bslip with color $A$
$\square$ slip with color B

Round 7 and 8 - using color $\mathbf{A}$ : Work as Round 1
and 2.
Round 9 and 10 - using color B: Work as Round 3 and 4.

Round 11 and 12 - using color A: Work as Round 5 and 6.

Repeat Round 1-12 until the slip stitch section measures approx. 32 cm .

Work k1, p1 rib in color a for a total of 17 rounds.
Change to color C and work 2 more round of rib. Bind off in pattern.

Weave in ends. Gently rinse the work, put it through a (dry) spin cycle in the washing machine and place it on a flat surface to dry.

