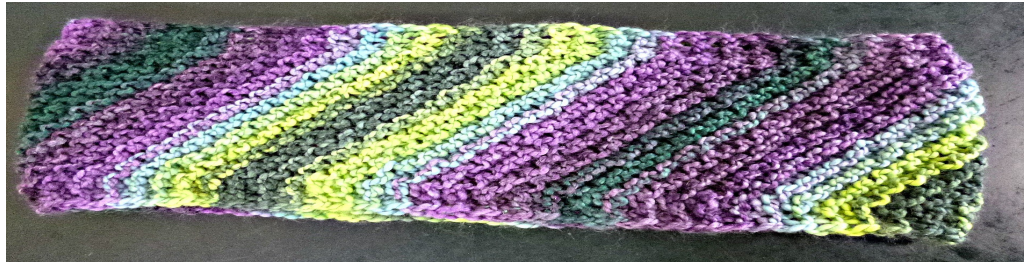


Maypole Cowl



Knitkabob got a new yarn, Maypole, by EuroBaby. I wanted something with a slant to show off the Maypole color changes. So, I designed the Maypole Cowl!

You'll need:

- a length of smooth waste yarn for the provisional cast on (if you choose to do the provisional cast on!)
- size 11 knitting needles
- one stitch marker (optional)
- 1 ball of Maypole (100 yards, 100 grams) or some similarly bulky yarn

The completed cowl measures 6 inches wide by 34 inches around.

The cowl is knitted flat. You may graft or sew the ends together.

Cast on 22 stitches. (I used a crocheted provisional cast on.)

Row 1: Slip 1 stitch purlwise, knit 1, knit into the front and back of the next stitch, knit 15, knit 2 together, knit 2

Note: I found it helpful to place a stitch marker right after the knit 1 in row 1.

Row 2: Slip 1 stitch purlwise, knit to the end of the row.

Now just repeat rows 1 and 2 until you are almost out of yarn.

If you plan to sew the ends together, cast off and go for it!

If you plan to graft the ends together, don't cast off. We need to graft the ends together using kitchener for garter stitch. You might want to take a look at this video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aJIVuFDcyOk>