

### BABY ALPACA GRANDE HAND DYE Rib Columns Cowl



**Approximate Measurements:**  
8 ½” wide x 40”  
circumference *after blocking*

**Materials:**

**Baby Alpaca Grande Hand Dye:**

**2—100g skeins, color 32**

**Gauge:** 12 sts, 20 rows = 4” in st st on US Size 10 ½ (6.5mm) needle *after blocking*.

**Needles/Notions:** US Size 10 ½ (6.5mm)- 24” or 32” circular needle, 4 stitch markers (m)- 3 in one color and 1 in another.

**Begin**

Long-tail CO a total of 120 sts as follows (placing the three matching m as follows)  
14 sts, pm, 46 sts, pm, 14 sts, pm, 46 sts. Join in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. PM that is a different color than the rest to mark beg of rnd.

Pattern Stitch

Rnds 1 and 2: \*K2, (p2, k2) to m, sl m, k across to m, sl m; rep from \* once more.

Rnds 3 and 4: \*K2, (p2, k2) to m, sl m, p across to m, sl m; rep from \* once more.

Rep these 4 rnds until cowl measures 8 ½” from CO edge,

end having worked row 1 of the pattern stitch. BO all sts loosely as they present themselves (k the k and p the p), try to match the CO edge’s tension.

Finishing

Block to measurements- be sure to lightly steam your cowl after you have completed it. This will relax the stockinette/reverse stockinette sections. Weave in all ends.

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