



# the dark kni(gh)t

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## materials

160 metres/ 180 yards of Super Bulky weight yarn

used yarn: 2 skeins of Madelinetosh ASAP in color Ink

needles: US17 / 12mm (or size needed to obtain correct gauge)

stitch markers

Tapestry needle

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## **gauge**

10 x 14 sts in pattern before washing

## **abbreviations**

st(s) = stitch(es)

co = cast on

pm = place marker

slm = slip marker

k = knit

p = purl

k2tog = knit 2 together

ssk = slip slip knit

p2tog = purl 2 together

w2tog = work 2 together, how they seem: purl sts = p2tog; knit sts = k2tog

bo = bind of

rnd = round

dec = decreases



## **information**

The cowl is knitting bottom up in one piece.

pattern:

Round 1+2: \*k2, p2\*

Round 3+4: \*p2, k2\*



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## pattern

### cowl part

With circular needle co 80sts and join in rnd. Be careful not to switch sts. Pm to mark the beginning of the rnd. Work 6rnds in rib \*k1, p1\*.

Work now in pattern and make 2 decreases every 2nd rnd:

Rnd 1: \*k2, p2\*, repeat \* \* until the end of rnd

Rnd 2: k2tog, \*p2, k2\*, repeat \* \* until 2sts before marker, p2tog

Rnd 3: p1, \*k2, p2\*, repeat \* \* until 1st before marker and k the last stitch

Rnd 4: ssk, k1 \*p2, k2\*, repeat \* \* until 3sts before marker, p1, p2tog

4 sts decreased. Repeat these 4 rounds six more times until 52 sts will remain.

### hood part

Work 21 sts in pattern, bo the next 10sts. This is the new beginning of the row (42sts). K the next 6 rows in pattern and k2tog the last two sts in every row (6sts dec – 36sts). Be careful that the pattern changes at the marker.

Work the next 7rows in pattern. At the end of the 7th row co 12sts and rejoin in round. K until marker (48sts) in pattern. K 1 round in pattern.

Set up round for the decreases – work all sts in pattern: work 6 sts, pm, \*work 12 sts, pm\*, repeat \* \* two more times, work 6sts.

Rnd1: \*work in pattern until 2 sts before marker, w2tog, slm, w2tog\* repeat \* \* until end of rnd

Rnd2-4: work in pattern

8 sts decreased. Repeat these 4 rounds until you have 8 sts. Next rnd: p2tog 4 times. Break yarn and draw through remain 4 sts, pulling up tightly and fastening securely on the inside. Weave in ends.



If you have any questions or think you may have found an error, feel free to contact me [quickstrick@gmx.net](mailto:quickstrick@gmx.net)

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