

Knitted Møllehjul Neck Warmer







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A warm and tight neck warmer with beautiful details and a comfortable shoulder fit. The rib neck may serve either as a roll-neck (folded) or as a high neck (not folded).

The neck warmer is worked with two threads of Infinity Hearts Lily on needle size 7 mm. It is worked top-down on a circular needle and encompasses rib, stockinette stitch and brioche stitch.

Sizes and measurements

Small (large)



Materials

Yarn

Infinity Hearts Lily.

Yarn quantity

150 g (200 g)

(NB: A little more than 2 balls are used for the small size if you do not swatch. Therefore, if you want to, you can do with buying 2 balls and make the neck warmer a bit shorter.)

Gauge:

Stockinette stitch: 12 s x 21 rw

Brioche stitch: 14 s x 26 rw

Needles:

Circular needle 7 mm (40 cm and 60 cm)

Double pointed needles size 7 mm

Or the size you need to get gauge.

Abbreviations

k = knit

p = purl

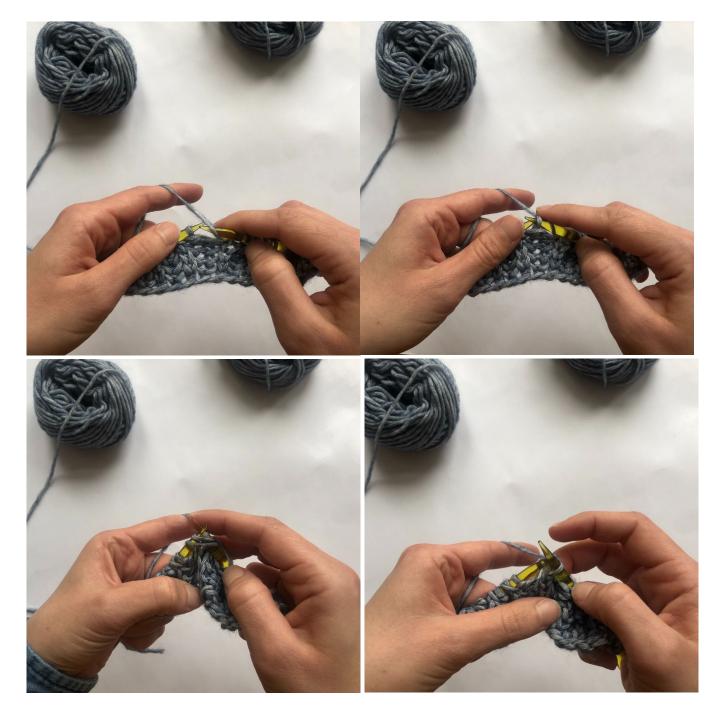
Technique elaboration

Brioche stitch:

In brioche stitch, you work in rib and alternate between a rd where you k and a rd where you p. When you work the k rd, make a yo before the p s and slip them. When you work the p rd, on the other hand, make a yo before the k s and slip them.



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Increasing in brioche stitch:

When working increases in brioche stitch, you insert the right needle into the s, as if you were to k it, make a yo and pull it back (like a normal s), leave the s on the left needle, but make another yo on the right needle (you now have 2 s on the right needle), insert the right needle into the s again (the same as before), make a yo and pull it back (like a normal s). You now have 3 s on the right needle (1 k s, 1 p s, 1 k s) and you can drop the s from the left needle and continue.

Consequently, 1 increase equals 2 new s and 3 in total.

















Co 44 (48) s with two threads held together.

Work in 2x2 rib, until the work measures approx 13 cm. Make the work longer if you want a longer neck. Only the small size: Decrease by 2 s by k2tog in 2 random places on the last rd.

When you have finished the neck, it is time to work the yoke which alternates between brioche stitch and stockinette stitch. There are 6 'sections' of each. The increases are always worked in the 2 outermost s of the brioche stitch sections (one on each side).

The shift from the neck to the yoke is worked like this:

"Yo, slip the 1st s, k 6 (7) s." Repeat from " to " a total of 6 times.

Work brioche stitch increases (see elaboration above) in the 6 s with yo (brioche stitches), k the rest of the s.

You now have 12 'sections' which alternate between brioche stitch and 6 (7) k s. Continue working this pattern.

NB: Every other rd, the k s are worked (while the p s are slipped with yo) in the brioche stitch section, and every other time, the p s are worked (while the k s are slipped with yo) in the brioche stitch section, in the same way as you work brioche stitch. The regular k s are worked on every rd.



The yoke is worked as follows:



Work 5 rd.

"On the next rd (a k rd), work 1 increase in the first and last k s of each brioche stitch section (a total of 12 increases). Work 5 rd."

Repeat from " to " a total of 4 times. (If you want the neck warmer to be a little shorter, repeat only 3 times.)



The work now measures 12 cm measured from the shift from neck to yoke. Bind off.

Seaming/Finish:

Weave in all ends and draw your neck warmer a lovely bath - now it's ready to keep you warm.

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