

Fishtail-Cable Headwarmer



Skill Level: Intermediate

Size (one size fits most): 5" wide and 18" circumference (It can stretch larger)

Gauge: 5 sts and 5 rows in fishtail-cable pattern = 1"

Stitches and Abbreviations: K (knit), P (purl), CF2 (cable front two), CB2 (cable back two), S1kw (slip one stitch knitwise), S1pw (slip one stitch purlwise),

Note: When stated, repeat the instructions written within the asterisks (*)

-Materials-

- 1 skein [Caron Simply Soft](#), hot pink (or desired worsted weight yarn)
- size 8 (5.0 mm) knitting needles
- cable needle
- stitch markers (a scrap of yarn will do the trick if you don't have the real deal)

-Fishtail Cable Pattern-

Row 1: *P1, CF2, CB2, P1* repeat to end. (right side)

Row 2: *K1, P1, K2, P1, K1* repeat to end. (wrong side)

Row 3: *P1, K1, P2, K1, P1* repeat to end.

Row 4: *K1, P1, K2, P1, K1* repeat to end.

Repeat the above four rows as directed.

-Headwarmer-

1. Cast on 28 stitches.
2. S1kw, K1, place stitch maker, *P1, K1, P2, K1, P1* repeat till there are 2 stitches left, place stitch marker, K2. (right side)
3. S1pw, P1, place stitch maker, *K1, P1, K2, P1, K1* repeat till to marker, P2. (wrong side)
4. Repeat numbers 2 and 3.
5. S1kw, K1, work cable pattern to marker, K2.
6. S1pw, P1, work cable pattern to marker, P2.
7. Repeat numbers 5 and 6 till headwarmer measures 18" long. (You should end on Row 1 of the cable pattern)
8. S1pw, P1, *K1, P1, K2, P1, K1* repeat to marker, P2.
9. S1pw, K1, *P1, K1, P2, K1, P1* repeat to marker, K2.
10. Repeat number 8.
11. Bind off in stitch pattern, being careful not to bind off too tightly.
12. Sew both ends together and--ta-da!--you have your very own Fishtail Cable Headwarmer.

Pattern by Joy Morgan at www.blogofjoy.com