Nicky's Couture Cowl

Be just in time for the Fall/Winter holidays by creating a gorgeous cowl. Using Noro yarns, you will be creating your own personal, one-of-a-kind chic accessory

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NICKY EPSTEIN

SIZE
Sized to fit most adults.

MATERIALS
• Noro/KFI Ito and Furreal
• Small amount of Sonata in a bright color to use as you wish
• One pair size 11 needles, or size to obtain gauge.

GAUGE
12 sts = 4" over stockinette stitch using size 11 needles.
TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE.

MAKE BOBBLE (MB)
K into front and back of stitch until 5 sts. Turn, p5, turn, k5, turn, p5, turn, pass the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th stitches over first st and off the needle. K the first stitch back to right-hand needle.

COWL
With Furreal cast on 88 sts. Knit 1 row. Cut yarn.
Continue with Ito as follows:
Knit 8 rows, end on WS.
Row 1 (RS) K2, *yo, k2tog; repeat from * to last 2 sts, end k2.
Rows 2, 3, 4, and 5 Knit.
Row 6 Purl.

Row 7 K3, *MB, k4 (push bobble forward); repeat from * to last 3 sts, end k3.
Row 8 Purl.
Rows 9, 10, 11, and 12 Knit.
Row 13 Repeat row 1.
Rows 14 and 15 Knit.
Row 16 (WS) With Furreal knit. Cut yarn.
Continue with Ito as follows:
Row 17 Knit.
Row 18 Purl.
Row 19 K4, [k2tog, k9] 7 times, k2tog, k5—80 sts.
Row 20 Purl.
Rows 21 and 22 *K4, p4, rep from * to end.
Repeat rows 21 and 22 for 1½".
Next row (RS) *K1, k2tog, k1, p1, p2tog, p1; repeat from * to end—60 sts.
Next 2 rows *K3, p3; repeat from * to end.
Repeat last 2 rows for 3½", or desired length, end with a WS row.
Bind off all stitches.

FLOWER (optional)
With Ito, cast on 30 stitches.
Knit 3 rows, purl 1 row.
Next row (RS) [K2tog] 15 times—15 stitches.
Next row (WS) [P2tog] 7 times, p1—8 stitches.
Pass all remaining stitches over the first st, one at a time, and off the needle. Secure last stitch.
Sew seam, sew flower in place.