



## Just Enough Cape

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DESCRIPTION    SIZING

For those fall and spring days where a winter cape is too warm and a summer capelet too cool, this brightly coloured cape has you covered, just enough.

### Abbreviations

**Beg** = beginning

**K** = knit

**P** = purl

**P2tog** = purl two stitches together

**pat** = pattern

**rem** = remain(ing)

**rnd(s)** = round(s)

### Details & Instructions

#### MEASUREMENTS

To Fit Chest:

**S** 32" [81.5 cm]

**M** 36" [91.5 cm]

**L** 42" [106.5 cm]

Finished Edge &  
Finished Length  
(not including  
collar)

**S** 48" [122 cm] &  
15" [38 cm]

**M** 52" [132 cm] &  
15.5" [39.5 cm]

**L** 56" [142 cm] &  
15.75" [40 cm]

# MATERIALS

Simply Soft

	Sizes	S	M	L
Shade no longer available	<b>Change Color</b>			
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Size U.S. 8 (5mm) circular needle, 24"/60cm long, or size to obtain gauge Size U.S. 9 (5.5mm) circular needle, 24"/60cm long Size U.S. 10 (6mm) circular needle, 24"/60cm long Stitch marker. Yarn needle.

## GAUGE

In Stockinette stitch, 18 sts and 24 rnds = 4"/10cm, using size 8 (5mm) needle.

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Garter Ridge Pattern:** (any number of sts)

**Rnds 1, 3, and 5:** Purl.

**Rnds 2, 4, and 6-8:** Knit.

Repeat Rnds 1-8 for Garter Ridge pat.

**2x2 Rib:** (multiple of 4 sts)

**All Rnds:** \*K2, p2; repeat from \* to end.

## CAPE

With size 8 (5mm), CO 216 (**234**, 252) sts. Join, taking care not to twist sts; placing marker at beg of rnd.

Work in Garter Ridge pat until piece measures 9.5 (**10**, 10.5)"/24 (**25.5**, 26.5)cm from beg, ending ready to work a purl rnd.

**Dec Rnd 1:** [P4, p2tog] 36 (**39**, 42) times - 180 (**195**, 210) sts rem.

Work even until piece measures approximately 12.5 (**13**, 13.25)"/32 (**33**, 33.5)cm from beg, ending on a knit rnd.

**Dec Rnd 2:** [P3, p2tog] 36 (**39**, 42) times - 144 (**156**, 168) sts rem.

Work even until piece measures 14 (**14.5**, 14.75)"/35.5 (**37**, 37.5)cm from beg, ending with a knit rnd.

**Dec Rnd 3:** [P2, p2tog] 36 (**38**, 40) times, [P2tog] 0 [**2**, 4] times - 108 (**116**, 124) sts rem.

Work even until piece measures approx 15 (**16.5**, 18)"/38 (**42**, 45.5)cm from beg, ending with Rnd 6 of Garter Ridge pat.

## COLLAR

Change to 2x2 Rib; work even for 5 rnds.

Change to size 9 (5.5mm) needle; work even for 35 rnds.

Change to size 10 (6mm) needle; work even for 10 rnds.

BO all sts in 2x2 Rib pat.

## FINISHING

Block piece to measurements.

Using yarn needle, weave in ends.

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