

CABLES IN 2, 3, 4

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ABOUT PINEY CREEK YARN

Piney Creek Yarn is located in the Piney Creek Shopping Plaza on the SE corner of Orchard and Parker Roads. The newest shop in Centennial provides a variety of well-known yarn choices as well as unique choices that you may not find in other shops. You will also find a source of fibers, equipment and classes for spinning and weaving in addition to knitting and crochet. We love to watch our customers grow and learn new skills and we have dart frogs!

NOTES I love the look of cables but really hate making them in knitting since they throw off my rhythm. Enter crochet cables, fun, fast and beautiful. Easily adjust the pattern to suit your needs, cowl, scarf, infinity scarf, wide narrow? Sure!

YARN

Worsted Weight Yarn. Store cowl is made with 1 skein of EY Arenaria Select (worsted weight 306 yards)

HOOKS & NOTIONS

size 1/9 5.5mm hook
tapestry needle to weave in ends

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Store sample is 8" wide and 24" long for a wide cowl

ABBREVIATIONS

FpSpDC-I call it a special double crochet, to make this stitch you yarn over your hook, insert your hook into the next stitch, yarn over and pull through one loop, yarn over and draw through two loops, yarn over and draw through two loops again. Essentially you just yarn over and pull through one loop then complete a regular double crochet, this makes a slightly longer stitch which is easier to work more even for the cables. All RS cable stitches will use this stitch through the front loop and will be abbreviated FpSpDC.

FpDC, front post double crochet

BpDC, back post double crochet

DC-double crochet

ch-chain

st(s)-stitch (s)



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Ch 38

double crochet in third chain from hook and then double crochet in each remaining chain (36 st)

1st row (RS) chain 2, skip stitch (the chain counts as your first st) double crochet in next stitch, then begin cable pattern as follows: skip next two stitches and FpSpDC in next two stitches, go back to the two skipped stitches and work FpSpDC in each of these (2 by 2 cable), DC in next st, skip next three sts and FpSpDC in next three st, go back and work FpSpDC in skipped sts (3 by 3 cable), work DC in next stitch), skip next four sts and FpSpDC in next 4 st, go back to skipped sts and work FpSpDC in these 4 stitches (4 by 4 cable), DC in next st, work 2 by 2 cable as previously explained, DC in next st, work 3 by 3 cable, DC in last two st. ch 2 turn

2nd row-skip 1st st, Dc in next st, BpDC in next six cable sts, DC in next st, BpDC in next four cable sts, DC in next st, BpDC in next eight cable sts, DC in next st, BpDC in next four cable sts, DC in next st, BpDC in next 6b cable sts, DC in last two sts, ch 2 and turn

Repeat rows 1 and 2 until you reach desired length (24" for cowl, longer for scarf)

