

**ENCORE MEGA**  
**Braid Cable Cowl**



**Approximate Measurements:**  
7” wide x 22” circumference

**Materials:**

**Encore Mega:**

**1—100G ball, color 693 Purple**

**Gauge:** 9 sts, 16 rows= 4” in garter st (k every row) on US Size 15 (10mm) needles.

**Needles:** US Size 15 (10mm) straight and DPNs, st holder, cable needle.

**Cable 1 and 3** (worked over 5 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** C2F, p1, C2B.

**Row 2 (WS):** P2, k1, p2.

Rep these 2 rows for pattern st.

**Cable 2** (worked over 6 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** C4F, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** P all sts.

**Row 3:** K2, C4B.

**Row 4:** P all sts.

Rep these 4 rows for pattern st.

**Begin**

(DPNs are used for the first 2 cables because of the ease of their size—you are not working in the round. If you are more comfortable with straight needles, you can use them instead of the DPNs.)

With DPN, CO 5 sts. Work **Cable 1** for 10”, end having worked a WS Row. Sl sts onto the holder.

With DPN, CO 6 sts. Work **Cable 2** for 10”, end having worked a WS Row.

Sl sts onto the same holder as **Cable 1**. 11 sts on holder altogether.

With straight needle, CO 5 sts. Work **Cable 3** for 10”, end having worked a WS Row.

**Join all cables together:** (Make sure all WS are facing) With straight needles, K across **Cable 3**, **Cable 2** and **Cable 1** in that order from holder. 16 sts on needle. Beg working in garter st (k every row).

Cont until cowl measures 22” from where the cables were CO, OR until only 3 feet of yarn rem. BO all sts.

Sew the CO edge of each cable evenly along the BO edge, making sure there isn’t a twist in the cables or cowl. Weave in all ends.

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ABBREVIATIONS: beg= begin(ning), BO= bind off, C2B= sl 1 st to cable needle and hold to back, k1, k1 from cable needle, C2F= sl 1 st to cable needle and hold to front, k1, k1 from cable needle, C4B= sl 2 sts to cable needle and hold to back, k2, k2 from cable needle, C4F= sl 2 sts to cable needle and hold to front, k2, k2 from cable needle, CO= cast on, cont= continue, DPNs= double pointed needles, m= marker, pm= place marker, p = purl, rem- remain, rep= repeat, RS= right side, sl = slip, st(s) = stitch(es), st st = stockinette st, WS = Wrong Side