

# broomstick cowl



**Materials:** Illimani Baby Llama Worsted 2 x 100g skeins

**Needles and Hook:** 1 x 12mm (US 17) knitting needle and 4mm (US G) crochet hook

**Finished Measurements:** 48" x 9"

## Abbreviations:

ch = chain stitch

sc = single crochet

( ) = repeat instructions between brackets

## Special Instructions:

**Crab Stitch (Reverse single crochet):** Working from left to right, point the hook downward and insert hook into the front of the stitch to the left of the hook. Turn the hook so the hook end is pointing to the left, yarn over and pull up a loop. The new loop should be to the left of the original loop as they sit on the hook. The hook end should still be pointing to the left. Yarn over hook and pull through both loops on the hook from left to right.

With hook, ch 50. Do not turn. Working from left to right along the chain, holding the crochet hook in your right hand and the 12mm needle in your left, transfer the loop on the hook onto the knitting needle. Pull up a loop with the hook in next chain and transfer it onto the needle. Repeat to end. 50 loops on the knitting needle. Do not turn.

**Row 1:** Working from right to left, insert the hook into the centres of the first 5 loops nearest the point of the needle and transfer them from the needle onto the hook.

Yarn over the hook and pull a loop through the centre of all 5 loops (now called 5 loop space). Ch 1. 5 sc into the the 5 loop space. [Insert hook into the next 5 sts on the needle. 5 sc into the 5 loop space] repeat to end of row. Do not turn.

**Row 2:** Transfer loop from crochet hook onto knitting needle. Working from left to right, pick up a loop in next sc and transfer loop to knitting needle. Repeat to end. 50 loops on knitting needle. Do not turn.

Repeat these 2 rows for a total of 60 times, ending with Row 1. Fasten off. Sew short ends together.

## Border:

With right side facing, working along the top edge of the cowl, beginning at the seam, join in new yarn and work as follows:

**Row 1:** Work 2 sc into the loops and work 1 sc into the sc's along the edge of the cowl. 180 sc along edge. Do not turn.

**Row 2:** Ch1. Working from left to right, make 1 crab stitch into each sc along the edge. After last st is worked, join into first crab stitch with a slip stitch and fasten off.

Repeat for lower edge of cowl.



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