A Neckwarmer of Cambridge (or Bristol) Major

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1 The Pattern

Please see the pattern A Scarf of Cambridge Major\(^1\) for an introduction to change ringing and some tricks for cabling changes.

Yarn: Lamb’s Pride Worsted, one skein.

Needles: American No. 8

Gauge:

Other Materials: Three buttons and matching thread.

WARNING: This pattern involves cabling on the wrong side. This may not be for the faint of heart. However, I promise you that it’s not hard, and that it’s worth it. Be brave!

1.1 Edge

Row 1: [k2,p2] twice, p1, [k2,p2] seven times, k2, p1, [k2,p2] twice
Row 2: [k2,p2] twice, k1, [p2,k2] seven times, p2, k1, [k2,p2] twice
Row 3: [p2,k2] twice, p1, k2, BO 2 purlwise, k2, p2, k2, p2, k2, BO 2 purlwise, k2, p2, k2, p2, k2, BO 2 purlwise, k2, p1, [p2, k2] twice
Row 4: [p2,k2] twice, k1, p2, CO 2 knitwise, p2, k2, p2, k2, p2, CO 2 knitwise, p2, k2, p2, k2, p2, CO 2 knitwise, p2, k1, [p2,k2] twice

Repeat rows 1 and 2.

Row 7: [p2,k2] twice, p1 [k2,p2] seven times, k2, p1, [p2,k2] twice
Row 8: [p2,k2] twice, k1 [p2,k2] seven times, p2, k1, [p2,k2] twice

\(^1\)http://mit.edu/bellringers/www/AScarfofCambridgeMajor.pdf
1.2 Cable!

Row 9: [k2,p2] twice, work row 1 of cable chart, [p2,k2] twice
Row 10: [k2,p2] twice, work row 2 of cable chart, [p2,k2] twice
Continue with cable chart, working the eight stitches on either side of the chart in established pattern.
Bind off in pattern on row 128 of the cable chart.

1.3 Finishing

Weave in ends. Block. Place buttons along edge of neckwarmer near end opposite buttonholes.

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With thanks to Mira Whiting for proofing and test knitting.
k1 on RS, p1 on WS

p1 on RS, k1 on WS

slip one to cable needle, hold to back. k2, then p1 from cable needle

slip two to cable needle, hold to front. p1, then k2 from cable needle

on WS, slip two to cable needle, hold to front. p2, then p2 from cable needle
on RS, slip two to cable needle, hold to front. k2, then k2 from cable needle

on WS, slip two to cable needle, hold to back. p2, then p2 from cable needle
on RS, slip two to cable needle, hold to back. k2, then k2 from cable needle
k1 on RS, p1 on WS
p1 on RS, k1 on WS
slip one to cable needle, hold to back. k2, then p1 from cable needle
slip two to cable needle, hold to front. p1, then k2 from cable needle
on WS, slip two to cable needle, hold to front. p2, then p2 from cable needle
on RS, slip two to cable needle, hold to front. k2, then k2 from cable needle
on WS, slip two to cable needle, hold to back. p2, then p2 from cable needle
on RS, slip two to cable needle, hold to back. k2, then k2 from cable needle