



CrochetRooms

Ribbed Neck Warmer: Free Crochet Pattern

Finished Size & Skill Level

- **One size:** approximately 28 in (71 cm) around and 9 in (23 cm) tall. Fits most teens and adults.
- **Skill level:** Easy - half double crochet in the round, worked in the back loop for a ribbed texture
- **Time:** one evening

Materials

- **Bulky-weight (#5) yarn** - about 200 yards (185 m), one skein. Wool or a wool blend is warmest; acrylic is easy to wash.
- **US J (6.0 mm) crochet hook**
- Yarn needle, scissors, stitch marker

Abbreviations (US Terms)

- **ch** = chain | **st(s)** = stitch(es) | **sl st** = slip stitch
- **hdc** = half double crochet | **sc** = single crochet (UK: double crochet)
- **BLO** = back loop only

Gauge

12 half double crochet and 12 rows = 4 in (10 cm) in back-loop-only half double crochet. The ribbed fabric stretches, so exact gauge is not critical, but check that your foundation ring slides comfortably over your head.

Pattern Notes

- This is an original CrochetRooms pattern. The warmer is worked in joined rounds from the bottom up.
- Join each round with a slip stitch to the first stitch. The turning chain does not count as a stitch.
- Working in the back loop only creates the stretchy ribbed texture. The right side of the fabric faces you as you work.
- All stitch counts are given in parentheses at the end of each round.

Pattern

Chain 84. Join with a slip stitch to the first chain to form a ring, taking care not to twist the chain. (84 sts)

Rounds 1-3: Ch 2 (does not count as a stitch), hdc in each st around, join with sl st to first hdc. (84 sts)

Rounds 4-24: Ch 2, hdc in the back loop only of each st around, join with sl st to first hdc. (84 sts)

Rounds 25-27: Ch 2, hdc in each st around (through both loops), join with sl st to first hdc. (84 sts)

Round 28: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off, leaving a 6 in (15 cm) tail. (84 sts)

Finishing

Weave in all ends with the yarn needle. Smooth the ribbing with your fingers so the stitches sit evenly. Your neck warmer is ready to pull on: no wrapping, no ends, just warmth exactly where you need it.

Size Adjustments

- For a snuggler fit, chain 78 and work the same rounds. For a roomier cowl-like fit, chain 90.
- For a taller warmer, repeat Round 4 (back-loop-only round) a few more times before working Rounds 25-28.