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**INTERMEDIATE**

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# Gothic Witch Cape

*You're never too old for Halloween! This elegant knit cape with its spider web collar will make you the Witch to Watch.*



RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300  
available in solid color

7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); multi color, heather and print 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yd (238 m) skeins.

**SHOP KIT**

## Special Abbreviation

**ssk (slip, slip, knit)** = slip next 2 sts knitwise, one at a time, to right needle, insert tip of left needle into these 2 sts from the front and knit together.

## CAPE

With larger needle and **A**, cast on 148 sts. Knit 4 rows. With **B**, knit 2 rows.

**Next Row:** With **A**, k8, [k2tog, k12] 10 times – 138 sts.

**Row 1 (Right Side):** K7, place marker, [yo, k10, k2tog, ssk, k10, yo, k1] 4 times, yo, k10, k2tog, ssk, k10, yo, place marker, k7. Slip markers every row.

**Row 2:** K7, purl to last marker, k7.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2 four times more, then Row 1 again.

## B Stripe

**Next Row:** With **B**, knit.

**Next Row:** Repeat Row 1.

With **A**, repeat Rows 1 and 2 nine times, then Row 1 again. Repeat **B Stripe**.

With **A**, repeat Rows 1 and 2 seven times, then Row 1 again. Repeat **B Stripe**.

With **A**, repeat Rows 1 and 2 three times, then Row 1 again. Repeat **B Stripe**.

With **A**, repeat Rows 1 and 2 once, then Row 1 again. Repeat **B Stripe**.

Change to smaller needle.

With **A**, k7, purl to last 7 sts, k7.

**Dec Row 1 (Right Side):** With **A**, k7, k11, ssk, k23, k2tog, k22, k2tog, ssk, k22, ssk, k23, k2tog, k11, k7 – 132 sts.

**Next Row:** K7, purl to last 7 sts, k7.

**Dec Row 2:** K7, k11, ssk, k21, k2tog, k21, k2tog, ssk, k21, ssk, k21, k2tog, k11, k7 – 126 sts.

**Next Row:** K7, purl to last 7 sts, k7.

**Dec Row 3:** K7, k11, ssk, k19, k2tog, k20, k2tog, ssk, k20, ssk, k19, k2tog, k11, k7 – 120 sts.

**Next Row:** K7, purl to last 7 sts, k7.

**Dec Row 4:** K7, k11, ssk, k17, k2tog, k19, k2tog, ssk, k19, ssk, k17, k2tog, k11, k7 – 114 sts.

**Next Row:** K7, purl to last 7 sts, k7.

Continue in this same manner, decreasing 6 sts every right side row until 78 sts remain, end right side row.

With **B**, knit 2 rows. With **A**, knit 2 rows.

**Eyelet Row (Wrong Side):** With **A**, k2, \* yo, k2tog; repeat from \* across.

With **A**, knit 1 row. With **B**, knit 2 rows.

## COLLAR

**Next Row (Wrong Side):** With larger needle and **B**, knit across wrapping yarn 3 times for each st.

**Next Row:** Knit, dropping extra wraps.

**Next Row:** Knit.

Repeat last 3 rows twice more. Bind off very loosely.

## FINISHING

### Cord

With smaller needle and **B**, cast on 200 sts.

Bind off.

Weave cord through eyelets at neck edge.

Gather to fit around neck and tie in front.

Weave in ends.

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**ABBREVIATIONS:** **A, B** = color A, B; **dec** = decrease; **K** = knit; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = purl; **St st** = Stockinette stitch (Knit on right side rows; Purl on wrong side rows.); **st(s)** = stitch (es); **tog** = together; **yo** = yarn over; **\*** = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated; **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

