

**Sizes:** S/M (L/XL)

Poncho is sized by moving up one needle for body.

**Materials:**

6 (7) Surf (A)

5 (6) Plume (B)

Needles size 10 or 10½ & 11 or size to get gauge

**Gauge:** In Corduroy Pattern on #10, 13 sts & 21 rows = 4"

In Corduroy Pattern on #10½, 12 sts & 20 rows = 4"

**Corduroy Pattern:**

**Rows 1, 3, 5 (WS):** With A, knit.

**Rows 2, 4, 6:** With A, purl.

**Row 7:** With B, knit.

**Row 8:** With B, knit.

Repeat these 8 rows for pattern.

Poncho is worked in two pieces that are joined along the shoulders. Border is added after completion.

With A and needle for gauge, CO 60 sts. Working in pattern repeat, work to approx 10 ½", ending with row 4 or 6. Shape neck: BO 30 sts. Cont on 30 sts for approx 10 ½", ending on row 6. BO all sts.

Work back to 10 ½" (same as neck shaping for front), then shape back neck (staying in Corduroy pattern; that is, work 8 rows of Corduroy patt, but make shaping on 6 row repeat as follows):

**Row 1:** Ssk, work to end.

**Row 2:** Work to last 2 sts, dec 1 with either k 2tog or ssp.

**Row 3:** Knit.

**Row 4:** Repeat row 2.

**Row 5:** Repeat row 1.

**Row 6:** Work as for pattern (no decrease).

Work until 30 sts remain. BO all sts.

Sew fronts to back at shoulders, with purl side of A on outside.

**Collar:** With body needle, A and WS facing, pick up and knit 32 sts across back neck, 28 sts to center front, 28 sts to shoulder. Place marker for beg of rnd. Turn and k 1 rnd (reverse side is inside of collar), dec 6 sts evenly spaced across back neck and 3 sts on each front. Work a total of 16 rnds, working same dec round every 4<sup>th</sup> rnd twice more. Change to B and knit 3 rnds, then inc 8 sts evenly spaced around. Work 3 rnds, then repeat increase. Work 6 more rnds, then BO with stretchy bind off: k 1, yo, pass k st over yo, k 1, pass first st over; repeat with yo after every bound off stitch. Tack collar to outside along neckline. Reverse stockinette side is RS, Plume is folded to outside and Surf is facing on inside. Picked up edge is hidden in seam.

**Border:** With body needle and B, PU and knit 120 sts from front point to back point. Change to larger needle and knit 11 rows. BO all sts. Do not cut yarn. Turn and with smaller needle pu 5 sts along border, 120 sts along edge to front point, and 5 sts along front border. Change to larger needle and knit 11 rows. BO all sts.



*An updated poncho with a retro twist!*

*Our faux fur is reminiscent of the corduroy fur stoles our grandmothers coveted. I've named this in honor of my dad's mom, and it brings a smile to my face every time I wear it. Long, lush Plume is separated by sections of Surf, with an equally lush but much shorter hair. The effect is remarkably real.*

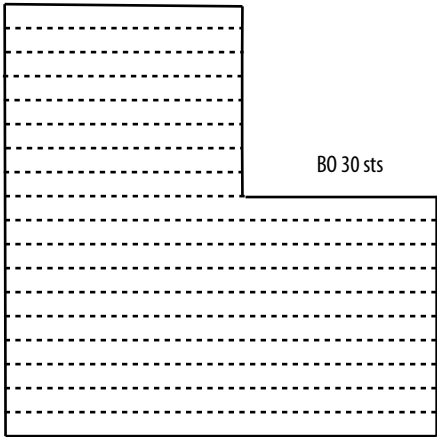
*A deep border of Plume sets off the collar and edge.*

*This is an identical shape to a real fur poncho in our favorite high-end catalog—which you can own for \$1,300!*

*And our nylon poncho doesn't hurt any animals.*

*What more could we ask for?*

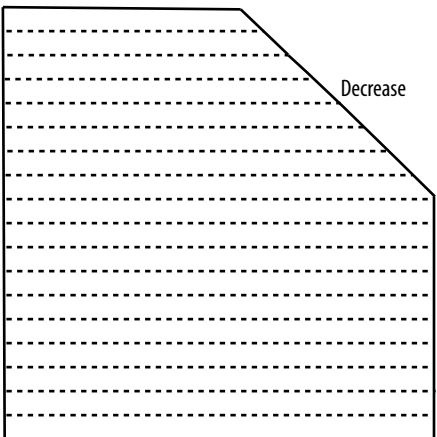
*Shown above, Plume Kilimanjaro & Surf Denali*



BO 30 sts

CO 60 sts

work to 10 1/2"



Decrease

*A size larger needle results in a slightly larger piece.  
The colors here are in our Layers™ style of dyeing.  
More than one dye bath is used to layer color upon color,  
resulting in yarn with unusual depth of shade and subtle  
variations of both parents.*

*Shown above, Plume & Surf in Lapis*