

East Bay Scarf

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Construction: This scarf combines a super bulky weight yarn with 1 by 1 ribbing pattern to create an extra-thick, reversible scarf. The wide stripes are knit using one color at a time.

Skill level: Advanced Beginner

Skills needed: knitting, purling, and slipping stitches.

Size: One Size - 8" wide x 84" long

Gauge: 15 sts and 14 rows in 1x1 rib stitch pattern



Materials:

US 13 (9.0 mm) straight needles
230 yards of super bulky yarn in color A (main color)
200 yards of super bulky yarn in color B (contrasting color)
Sample shown in Lion Brand Re-Spun Thick & Quick (223 yards, 100% recycled polyester) Night Sky and Whipped Cream
Stitch Marker (Optional)
Yarn needle
Scissors

Abbreviations:

BO: Bind off
CO: Cast on
Color A: Main color used to cast on, bind off and knit first and last stripes.
Color B: Contrasting color used to knit alternating stripes.
k: knit
sl1: slip one stitch
wyib: with yarn in back
wyif: with yarn in front

Instructions:

With color A, CO 31 sts. *Optional: place stitch marker after working 4 or 5 stitches of first row to mark right side.*

Row 1: sl1 wyib, *p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

Row 2: sl1 wyif, *k1, p1; repeat from * to end of row.

Repeat rows 1-2 ten times (22 rows total complete).

Begin striping pattern:

Switch to color B and knit rows 1-2 seven times (14 rows complete).

Switch to color A and knit rows 1-2 seven times (14 rows complete).

Repeat the striping pattern six times (seven 2-color stripes complete). Complete one more 14 stripe repeat of color B.

Switch to color A and knit rows 1 - 2 ten times then knit row 1 once more. (21 rows complete). BO all stitches loosely. Weave in loose ends and trim. Wet block. Enjoy!