

Cable and moss stitch winter scarf

Designed by Knit for Peace

This is one of six patterns to choose from, all worked in double knitting wool on 4mm needles. Each takes about 6 x 50g balls of yarn, although the cable pattern may take a little more. This should make a scarf of 1.5 to 2 metres. Of course if you would like the scarf to be longer then add an extra 50g ball. A matching hat and gloves will also need more wool. You can get the amounts for these from patterns we have in our collection.

You can add fringes, bobbles or tassels of all sorts to the ends of the scarf if you wish or leave them plain. Happy knitting!

Method



Abbreviations for this design:

K = knit; P = purl

C4B = slip the first 2 stitches on to the cable needle and hold at the back of the work, knit the next 2 stitches on the left hand needle and then knit the 2 stitches on the cable needle.

C4F = slip the first 2 stitches on to the cable needle and hold at the front of the work, knit the next 2 stitches on the left hand needle and then knit the 2 stitches on the cable needle.

Cast on 80 stitches. This will give you 5 repeats of the cable and moss stitch across the scarf.

Row 1: (K1, P1) twice, *K8, (P1, K1) 3 times, $P2^*$, repeat from * to * 3 times, K8, (P1, K1) twice.

Row 2: K1, P1, K2, P8, (K1, P1) 3 times, K2*, repeat from * to * 3 times, P8, K2, P1, K1.

Row 3: (K1, P1) twice, *C4B, C4F, (P1, K1) 3 times, P2*, repeat 3 times, C4B, C4F, (P1, K1) twice.

Row 4: As row 2.

Row 5: As row 1.

Row 6: As row 2.

Row 7: As row 1.

Row 8: As row 2.

These 8 rows form the pattern for the scarf. Repeat them until the scarf is the length you would like it to be.

Cast off and darn in the loose ends.

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