

Dapper Scarf

Skill Level: Beginner, Advanced Beginner

Size: One Size (about 6 x 60 in.)

Pattern: Waffle stitch with 1x1 ribbed edging

Idea for pattern was born from an attempt to have fabric reminiscent of 1940s men's sweaters. Although not truly reversible, this pattern produces a pleasing effect on both right and wrong sides of the fabric.

Materials:

Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Yarn
1-2 balls in color of choice (example in Olive 174)

Needles:

US 9/6mm (for cast on and cast off ribbing)
US 7/4.5mm (for main body of scarf)

Gauge:

1x1 rib gauge approximately 6.5 st/in on size 9 needle
Waffle stitch 6 st/in on size 7 needle
(row gauge is not a concern)

Pattern Notes:

1. All even rows (WS – wrong side) knit the knits and purl the purls.
2. Slip first stitch of every row (as if to purl) unless noted otherwise. This will maintain neat, non-tight edging.
3. Beginning and ending ribbing completed with size 9 needles; waffle stitch with ribbed edge on size 8 needles.
4. Tubular Cast on and Bind off may also be completed for nicely finished edge. Tutorials can be found at the following links:
Long Tail Tubular Cast On
<http://ysolda.com/tutorial/tubular-cast-on/>
Tubular Bind Off
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oWk4mSysqF8&list=PLotVNAJFAhArP6XOVZC6cziiyVEd_S1WB&index=6
5. Scarf width can be adjusted by casting on multiples of 3 + 18 stitches. Waffle stitch pattern repeats are multiples of 3+2 stitches PLUS 8 stitches of ribbing for left, right edge.
6. Length can be adjusted to taste by adding and/or subtracting pattern repeats.



Scarf:

With size 9 needles, cast on 39 stitches with favourite cast-on method. May use tubular cast on for super neat edge (see Notes section).

Slip first stitch of every row (as if to purl).

Right side: (k, p)*19, k

Wrong side: (p, k)*19, p

Continue for 8 inches ending on a wrong side row.

With size 7 needles, create two rows of separation.

Purl all stitches (RS row). Do not slip first stitch.

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Begin four row waffle stitch repeat with ribbed edging. Resume slipping first stitch purl-wise for every row. Continue for 44 inches ending on a wrong side (WS) row.

(R) Row 1: (k, p)*4, (p2, k1)*7, p3, (k, p)*3, k

(W) Row 2: (p, k)*4, (k2, p1)*7, k3, (p, k)*3, p

(R) Row 3: (k, p)*4, k23, (p, k)*4

(W) Row 4: (p, k)*4, p23, (k, p)*4

Add two rows of separation.

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Continue for 8 inches ending on a wrong side row.

Bind off with favourite bind off method. May use a stretchy bind off such as a Tubular Bind Off to minimize pinching or flaring of fabric (see Notes section).

Weave in all ends. May benefit from light blocking to even out stitches.

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Four-row waffle pattern repeat



8-stitch ribbed edging for waffle pattern



3-stitch waffle repeat