ZigZag Scarf

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Materials

Yarn

Any worsted, DK, or sportweight yarn: 165-220 yds

Needles

Any straight or circular needle to get a nice gauge and allow for the width you would like.

Gauge

Gauge is not critical; but it pays to do a swatch to determine what needle size gives you a nice drapy fabric

Guild member Lynn Levin has created this lacy, reversible fashion scarf for MKG Community Projects. It works well with worsted, DK, or sportweight yarns.

Abbreviations: K: knit; K2tog: knit 2 sts together; Yo: yarn over; Wyif: with yarn in front (used in "Slip 1 purlwise wyif". After doing this, move yarn to the back for the next stitch.)

STITCH PATTERN

Pattern 1 (the Zig):

Row 1: Slip 1 purlwise wyif [see Abbreviations]; k to end.

Rows 2-9: Repeat Row 1.

Note: It is absolutely CRITICAL that an <u>ODD number of rows</u> are knit for Pattern 1. There is no right or wrong side to this pattern. The odd number of pattern rows will alternate which side Rows 1 and 2 of Pattern 2 are worked on. This is what creates the zigzag as Pattern 2 creates a slanted fabric.

Pattern 2 (the Zag):

Row 1: Slip 1 purlwise wyif [see Abbreviations]; *k2tog, yo*, repeat * to * to last stitch; k1.

Row 2: Slip 1 purlwise wyif, k to end.

Rows 3-20: Repeat Rows 1 and 2. — *20 rows, 10 holes created*

DIRECTIONS

Cast on an even number of stitches for desired width (Example: 20 stitches on US 6 needles work well for sportweight yarn).

Work Pattern 1 (the Zig), then Pattern 2 (the Zag).

Continue alternating Pattern 1 and Pattern 2 to desired length, ending with Pattern 1.

Finishing

Bind off loosely and weave in all ends. Block to accentuate the zigzag.

