

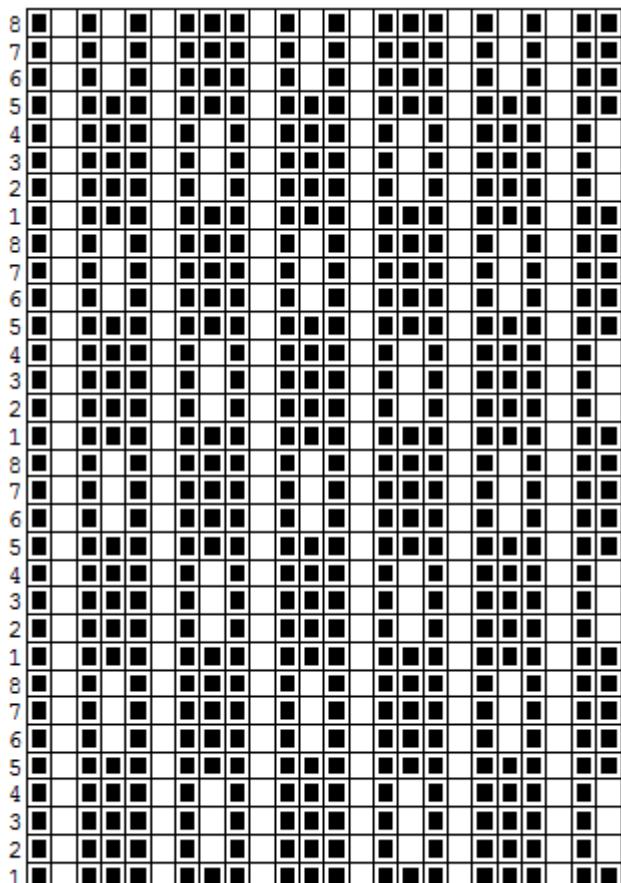
Sock Wool Fringed Scarf



Knitted on a Brother standard gauge in 4 ply sock wool, this scarf uses a tuck lace pattern combined with holding position to achieve the shape, and finishes with a fringe which is knitted on the machine.

Materials: about 100g or less of 4 ply sock wool [or any 4 ply yarn]

Pattern: Stitchworld 284, or punch out the card shown below:



Method:

Insert punch card and lock on row 1.

From the left hand side of the needle bed, bring out the end needle into working position, then leave one needle on its right in non-working position. Then bring out groups of 3 needles into working position, with one non-working needle between the groups.

LH

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Continue until you have 16 groups of 3 [plus 1 at end]

E-wrap cast on T7-10 [mine was T7 and I think it would be even better looser!]. Carriage on right. Knit one row, then set the carriage to read the card.

Knit back to RH side. Set machine to tuck, and

card to roll. Set carriage to Hold.

Knit 4 rows, then put end needle and left hand group of three to holding position.

Knit 4 rows, then put next group of three to hold

Repeat from * to * until all needles are in hold.

Now e-wrap cast on 6 groups at RH side, making sure to leave the needles out of work between groups.

Bring 10 more groups back to work on the left of these [you will now have 6 groups in hold at the LH side]

Repeat from * to * until all needles are in hold.

Continue casting on 6 groups at right and leaving 6 more in hold at left, until you have reached the right hand side of the bed. You can now decide on either:

A. Leave the scarf as a short one

B. Or you can move some of the stitches to the left hand side of the bed and start again.

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If B follow these instructions:

Knit across all the stitches to the left hand side. Cast off [loosely] all but 10 groups of stitches at the RH side.

Using a garter bar, or waste yarn, remove the remaining stitches and move them along to the far left side of the bed.

Remember to retain the needle formation |0|||0||| so you will be putting the left hand stitch on the third needle from the end.

Once you have done this, cast on another 6 groups, and continue with the pattern for as long as you wish.

Finishing off

Knit across to left hand side, then cast off all stitches loosely. You do not have to fasten off, but use the remaining stitch to hang on L20, then move the carriage to the right hand side, cast on 2 stitches on R20 and R21, leaving the needles in between in non-working position.

Now knit 2 rows.

* Pick up one stitch from the edge of the scarf [zigzag edge] with the 'purl' side showing, hang it on L20 and knit 2 rows*

Repeat from * to * until you reach the other end of scarf [lots of rows!], then cast off the one stitch on L20.

All you now need to do is cut off the edge of the fringe.