

Pretty Summer Scarf - Easy Knitting Pattern For Beginners

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This scarf is as light as a feather. I hardly feel any weight when I put it on. I knitted loosely on US # 9 (6mm) in striped using combination of beautiful bamboo/cotton yarn fine mohair. It's great scarf for summer but can also be worn all year round.

This pattern is inspired by a lady who sold me yarn during the Sheep & Wool Festival in Maryland. She wore a very skinny scarf around her neck and it looked really nice on her. She told me she made a good use of scrap yarn by turning it into a useful piece of art. It was knitted in stripes of mohair and cotton/bamboo yarn similar to this pattern. I bought several skeins of yarn from her shop including the exact yarn she used for her scarf. I think I the lighter color of mohair would have looked a little bit better.

Here is the Summer Scarf Pattern Instruction and details;

Skill Level: Easy

Gauge: not important, When I check my gauge I got 4.5 sts per inches on needle # 9. It got bigger after I blocked. So my scarf got little bit longer than I really wanted.

Finished Measurement: 5 inches by 60 inches



Materials:

- 1.50 g [DK sport weigh yarn](#) of your choice. Cotton, linen and bamboo are great for Summer scarf.
- 2.25 g kid mohair
- 3.29 inches knitting needle US #9 (6mm) or size to your preference
- 4. Tapestry needle

Note: You can adjust your scarf length by checking your yarn gauge and determine how long your scarf should be. Cast on stitches you need to make up for the desired length. Or you can follow my direction for a very long scarf.

Direction:

With DK yarn, CO 250 sts loosely. Begin working on striped pattern as follows;

*With DK yarn, knit in garter stitch pattern (knit all rows) for about an inch ending with the wrong side row.

Next row (right side): Change to Mohair yarn and knit in stockinette stitch pattern (knit on the right side and purl on the wrong side) for another inch ending with the wrong side row. Repeat from; * once more.

Change to DK yarn and finish off the last stripe in garter sts for one more inch. Bind off loosely. Cut yarn and weave it behind work. Block piece if preferred. Be careful not too over stretch it when blocking.

Note: I didn't cut any yarn off during the transitional work because the colors for both of my yarns are well matched. I just carried both yarn over by knitting them together at the first and the last stitches of each row.

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