

Linen Stitch Scarf (Version 2, easier version)

Materials:

#4 Worsted Weight variegated yarn, about 400 yards for a good sized scarf
 Size US 9 straight needles
 Tapestry needle for weaving in ends
 Elastic band

Finished Size:

Approximately 7" by as long as you want it, excluding fringe.

Gauge:

5 sts = ~1"

Abbreviations:

k knit
 sl1 Slip one Stitch as though to purl
 st(s) Stitch(es)
 yf Bring yarn forward
 yb Bring yarn to back of work



Cast on 36 sts using any method of cast on you prefer. Wrap the elastic band around the end of the empty needle. Every time you go to use this needle (i.e. when it is empty and you are about to start knitting on to it, you will be working a Row 1)

Pattern:

Linen Stitch:

Row 1: (RS) *Knit 1, slip 1 with yarn in front; Repeat from * to last 2 sts. k last two sts. Turn.

Row 2: (WS) Knit 1, slip 1 with yarn in back, *Purl 1, slip 1 with yarn in back; Repeat from * to last 2 sts. k 2. Turn.



Work these two rows until scarf is as long as you want, reserving sufficient yarn to create a fringe if you want one.
 Add fringe if desired and weave in ends.