

Hello Sun Scarf

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*Side to side knitted scarf pattern, reversible and parallelogram-shaped, with spiked edge at each end.
A fingering weight yarn is used (or a light fingering and a lace together), that drapes well after blocking.*

Techniques used & skills required

- Garter stitch (flat)
- Provisional cast on with waste yarn
- Classic bind off
- Yarn over
- Single cast on

Materials

Yarn: 2 together

- **Lily Neige, Single Fingering Merinos (long gradient cake)** colour "Rayon de Soleil" - 100% Merino - 533 m (583 yards) per 1 cake of 100g (= light fingering)
1 cake needed
- **Garnstudio Drops Lace** - 70% Alpaca, 30% Silk colour "natural" ([+ house dyeing with onionskin](#)) - 400 m (437 yards) per 1 skein of 50g
1,33 skeins needed

Needles

- US size 4 (3.5 mm) circular needles, 80 to 120 cm (32" to 47") long, or size to obtain correct gauge
- US size 6 to 10 (4 to 6 mm) to bind off loosely

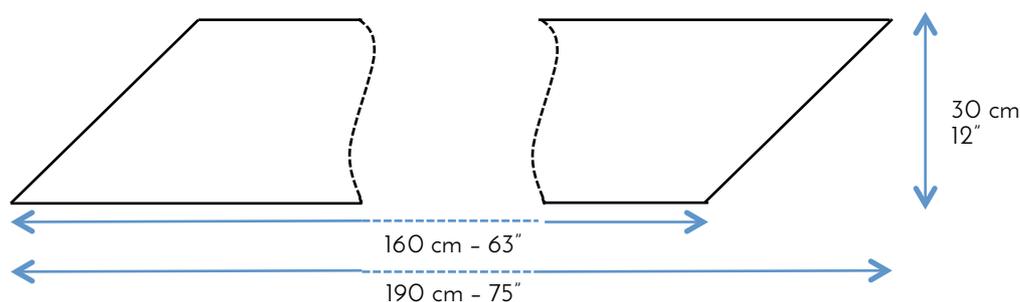
Notions

- Waste yarn (for provisional cast on)
- crochet hook (4 mm)
- tapestry needle

Gauge

16 sts and 20 rows = 10 cm (4") in garter stitch, after blocking, slightly stretched

Schematic



Size

You can freely adjust it by changing the number of stitches and rows, the size of needle and blocking intensity.

If you want to use a defined amount of yarn, remember to weigh occasionally the remaining yarn, this will help you estimate the number of rows you can achieve.

The yarn used for the pattern is light fingering + lace. You may substitute 533 m (583 yards) fingering weight yarn for similar dimensions.

Abbreviations

CO..... cast on

BO..... bind off

st(s)..... stitch(es)

k..... knit

p..... purl

yo..... yarn over

k2tog..knit 2 stiches together

rep..... repeat

Notes

The provisional cast on allows for the exact same finish on both edges of the scarf, by binding off in the same way.

To prevent a wire connector (this is important if you use a gradient), you have 2 choices:

- Make a yarn reserve (about 6 meters) before casting on
- Do not make yarn reserve, but work 2 or 3 rows stockinette stitch to be unraveled after removing the chain to recover the wire lengths for binding of (this is the method that was selected here)

There is a video that shows some of the important steps of the pattern (*in french*):

<https://youtu.be/2hDXOVP8b6Q>

Instructions

Crochet chain provisional cast on and set up rows in stockinette stitch

With waste yarn and crochet hook, chain 250 to 260 sts

With main needle and yarn (Lily Neige and Drops Lace together), pick up and knit 240 sts through each bump of chain.

Set up row 1: knit

Set up row 2: purl

Rows 1 à 11: knit (= garter stitch).

Row 12: BO 5, *yo, k2tog*, rep from * to * until the end of row, CO 5 (*more info in the [video](#) from 1:07*)

Repeat rows 1 to 12, 8 times (*or until you have just enough yarn remained for 9 to 12 rows*).

Work another 9 - 12 rows in garter stitch.

Bind off very loosely with a larger needle (traditional bind off or another method of your choice)

Undo the chain and unravel the set up rows. Carefully put the stitches on the needle (*see the [video](#) from 4:30*)

With the unravelled yarn, bind off the same way as the opposite side.

Finitions

Soak in warm water for 20 minutes. Squeeze out water gently, block and wait until it is dry.

Weave in ends.

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