

Broken Rib Hooded Scarf

Skill level: Beginner or Easy

Size: One size fits most women

Materials:

8 ounces worsted weight (4) yarn

Size 8 (5 mm) knitting needles

Yarn or tapestry needle

Pin (straight pin)

Finished size: approximately 10 inches wide by 62 inches long.

Gauge: in stitch pattern and measured on the 'smooth' side: 18 stitches = 4 inches; 24 rows = 4 inches

Instructions:

Stitch pattern is worked over an odd number of stitches. The texture is similar to a waffle weave or thermal weave; one side of the work is smooth, the other is bumpy.

Cast on 43 stitches

Row 1 (WS): knit all stitches

Row 2 (RS): k1, *p1, k1. Repeat from * across ending with k1 in last stitch.

Repeat rows 1 and 2 until piece is approximately 62 inches long. Bind off loosely.

Finish to make hood:

Fold scarf in half across the width. Measure down from the fold 11 or 12 inches and pin through both thicknesses. Stitch seam from fold to the pin to create hood. Stitch securely at pin and fasten off.

Remove pin.

Weave in loose ends.