

IMPROV FLARED SCARF

definitely a conversation starter! This unusual self-ruffling yarn can be used single stranded or folded over double for giant puffy bi-color ridges like this cool scarf. Really a neat novelty!



MATERIALS

2 skeins Trendsetter Improv (model shown in color Tiger Lily)
Size 10 needles

DIRECTIONS

With size 10 needles, CO 12 stitches. Join the bottom and top edge of the yarn by folding it in half. Knit into the joined box at the top edge of the yarn, being careful not to twist. Continue in this manner until work measures 6 inches. Next row: K2TOG, knit across row until last two sts, K2TOG so that 10 sts remain on needle. Continue knitting until piece measures 12" from bottom. Next row: K2TOG, knit across row until last two sts, K2TOG so that 8 sts remain on needle. Continue knitting until 12" of yarn remain, BO as you would conventionally until last 2 sts. Fold edge yarn in so that two boxes overlap. Knit into the joined boxes, BO and pull remaining yarn through final loop. Trim ends.

Note: Trendsetter Yarns has an instructional video that you may find helpful when working with railroad-style self-ruffling yarns. Simply go to www.trendsetteryarns.com and click on Yarns then Improv and you can download it from there :)

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