

RUSTIC SPUN BERET and SCARF

Super easy and tres chic! Make the scarf and the beret with one skein of Pagewood Farm's Rustic Spun (shown here in kettle dyed Kiwi) and one skein of hand-dyed worsted weight yarn.



BERET PATTERN

With Rustic Spun and size 11 needles, CO on 20[22, 24] sts

Row 1 (RS): Knit

You will be working in short rows to create wedges. Just follow the directions, it's simple!

The following rows will form a complete wedge.

Row 2 (WS): k to 2 sts from end, wrap and turn.

Row 3: k to end.

Row 4: k to 1 st from gap, wrap and turn.

Rep last 2 rows 1[2, 3] times.

There are 3[4, 5] wrapped stitches at inner, narrower edge.

Row 7[9, 11]: k to 4 sts from end, wrap and turn.

Row 8[10, 12]: k to 1 st from gap, wrap and turn.

Rep last row 8 times.

There are 8[9, 10] wrapped stitches at inner edge and 5 at outer, wider edge. The outer edge will form part of the band of the hat.

Row 17[19, 21]: k across all sts, ignoring wraps.

Row 18[20, 22] (WS): k across all sts, ignoring wraps.

Row 19[21, 23] (RS): sl1, k to end.

Rep from row 2 to end 7 times omitting last 2 rows of final wedge. There are a total of 8 connected wedges.

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BERET FINISHING

Break yarn leaving a long tail. Beginning at the inside edge slip cast on stitches onto second needle and remove waste yarn. To maintain the garter stitch pattern graft stitches together with working yarn as follows:

Step 1: Insert needle into first stitch on front needle as from back to front, as if to purl

Step 2: Insert needle into first stitch on back needle from front to back, as if to knit. Drop stitch off needle.

Step 3: Insert needle into first stitch on back needle from back to front, as if to purl.

Step 4: Insert needle into first stitch on front needle from front to back, as if to knit. Drop stitch off needle.

Repeat these 4 steps until all stitches have been worked.

Alternatively join stitches with a 3 needle bind off worked from the crown using a spare needle. This won't be quite as invisible as the grafting but is easier and faster to work.

Weave yarn through stitches around centre and pull tight to close up hole. Weave in ends.

SCARF PATTERN

Materials

Leftover Rustic Spun yarn

1 skein (150 yds of hand-dyed worsted yarn like Pagewood Kissi)

Size 13 needles

With size 13 needles, CO 20 sts. Work in garter stitch and garter drop stitch throughout pattern, carrying yarns up the side as follows:

Row 1 and 2: Knit with Rustic Spun.

Row 3: Knit across row with Kissi.

Row 4: Knit with Kissi in the following drop stitch: wrap yarn around both needles one time, then just the back needle the second time then drop both off as a regular knit stitch.

Repeat Rows 1 through 4 until scarf measures 60 inches. Work 2 more rows with Rustic Spun, then BO all stitches loosely. Gently steam into shape.

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