

Zigs & Zags Scarf

Stockinette based scarves are easy to work, but have the tendency to roll inwards. This stockinette and texture variation of the Pocket Meadow Farm learn-to knit-scarf pattern features an interesting zig-zag edge treatment that will keep the fabric from curling inward. Fun and quick to knit!

Wonderful in long color change yarns such as Plymouth Boku or Mushishi. My kit (available online) features two colors – knit one half with each for extra visual interest!

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Materials

US 8 straight or circular needles, or size to get approximate gauge
2 balls (apx. 200 yds) Plymouth Boku, wool/silk blend

Gauge

Apx. 4.5 to 5 stitches per inch
Finished size 5" x 70"

Method

Cast on 30 stitches. Begin bottom roll edging:

- Row 1 (RS): Kfb (knit in the front and back of one stitch), knit to last 2 stitches, k2tog.
- Row 2 (WS): k1, purl to last stitch, k.

Repeat these two rows twice for a total of 6 rows.

Begin pattern

- Row 1 and all odd (right side) rows: kfb, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog.
- Row 2: k5, purl to last st, k1.
- Row 4: k4, purl to last 2 sts, k2.
- Row 6: k3, purl to last 3 sts, k3.
- Row 8: k2, purl to last 4 sts, k4.
- Row 10: k1, purl to last 5 sts, k5.

Repeat these ten rows for pattern. Work for desired length, then end with roll edging. Bind off loosely, weave in ends. Block gently to shape.

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