splash
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finished dimensions
13" wide x 73" long, excluding fringe and after finishing.
17" wide x 100" long, on loom.

yarn
Lang Yarns Splash (weft)
(77% Cotton, 23% Acrylic; 273 yds / 100 g)
     1 ball, *shown in color 005 - Black & White*
Shibui Knits Reed (warp)
(100% Linen, 246 yds / 50g)
     2 skeins, *shown in color Bone*
     total warp yardage is approximately 472 yds.

sett
10 epi x 7 ppi

equipment
17" or wider rigid heddle loom
10 dent heddle
2 stick shuttles

notions
waste yarn, tapestry needle for hemstitching

Hill Country Weavers

directions

Important note regarding shrinkage -
This scarf will shrink dramatically when washed - if you decide to make modifications to the length or width be sure to allow for approximately 25% in shrinkage.
If you substitute another yarn for the warp or weft be aware that the amount of shrinkage may be less (finished piece will be longer/wider if warped and woven to the pattern specifications using different yarn(s)).

Warping

Set your warping peg approximately 100" from the back of your loom and direct warp using Shibui Reed 17″ wide on loom.
Completed warp will be 170 ends / 85 loops wide.

Weaving

Weave 1- 2" of waste yarn before continueing in plain weave. Continue weaving with Lang Splash until all of the yarn is used*. End by weaving 1-2" of waste yarn before cutting off the loom.

*when winding the Lang Splash onto your stick shuttles, wind half onto one and then half onto the second and begin weaving with the second shuttle first. This will preserve the dot gradient as you weave.

Finishing

Measure out a strand of your warp yarn that is at least 3 times the width of the weaving and use it to work a row of hemstitching** over 3 ends and 2 picks along both edges of the work before removing your waste yarn.

Handwash the finished weaving, blot with a towel to damp and dry in the dryer on low. Press with an iron trim fringes even.

**If you have not worked hemstitching before you can watch our video on youtube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cd9dl72-x0Y