simply texas

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finished dimensions

12" wide x 74" long, after washing.

yarn

Independence Wool Texas Tweed (50% Rambouillet Wool, 50% Kid Mohair; 325yds / 4 oz) 1 skein each in colors white, & light grey

equipment

rigid heddle loom, 15" wide or wider 8 dent heddle

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8 epi x 8 ppi

notions

tapestry needle for hemstitching, waste yarn

hemstitching

We worked the hemstitching on this scarf after completion and have created a video tutorial to guide you through the process:



DoubleHemstitch

https://youtu.be/B3M2eVb1bX8

If you prefer, you can also work this with the weft yarn (white) by leaving a long tail approximately 4 x the width of the work when you begin weaving. Once you have completed 1-2" of weaving with your main working yarn, go back and work the hemstitch just above the waste yarn as shown.

directions

Warp your loom 14.25" wide and approximately 98" long as follows:

Warp 3 ends of white yarn, 108 ends of light grey, & 3 more white. This will create white selveges on either side.

Tip: If you have trouble with your edges being uneven ou can double these outer 3 threads. This will create a firmer selvage for you to work against.

Weave 1-2" of waste yarn, switch to working yarn in white, and weave in plain weave until all warp is woven. Weave 1-2" of waste yarn to end.

finishing

Cut shawl from loom and and hand wash. Press with a low iron. Hemstitch as shown in our video and trim fringe even.