

APRIL SCARF

IT'S OH SO SOFT!

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SHALLOW TRIANGLE SCARF THAT HAS PLENTY OF LENGTH TO BE WRAPPED AROUND THE NECK, WHILE BEING LIGHT AND DRAPEY. EASY TO THROW ON, WARM AND COZY. THE YARN IS ABSOLUTELY SUBLIME AND THE TWO SKEINS REALLY GO FAR! MINDLESS MEDITATIVE KNIT AND A GREAT PROJECT FOR THOSE PRIZED SKEINS OF 'OH SO FINE'.



ABBREVIATIONS

RS - right side
WS - wrong side

k - knit
p - purl
kfb - knit into the front and then the back of the same stitch
k2tog - knit two stitches together

OVERVIEW

YARN	2 skeins of Hedgehog Fibres Oh So Fine (100% Merino, 425m/100g); Pictured in Sea Glass colourway.
NEEDLE	4 mm/ US 6 or to obtain gauge the scarf is worked flat.
GAUGE	24 stitches and 38 rows = 4"/10cm in stockinette stitch, after light blocking
SIZE	220cm x 42cm (86 inches x 16.5 inches)
TOOLS	Stitch markers if desired
SKILLS REQUIRED	Casting on, casting off, increases, decreases
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INSTRUCTIONS

Cast on 2 stitches.

Increase Section:

Row 1 (RS): k1, kfb (3 stitches)
Row 2 (WS): k
Row 3 (RS): k
Row 4 (WS): p
Row 5 (RS): k1, kfb, k1 (4 stitches)
Row 6 (WS): k
Row 7 (RS): k
Row 8 (WS): p

Row 9 (RS): k to last 2, kfb, k1
Row 10 (WS): k
Row 11 (RS): k
Row 12 (WS): p

Repeat rows 9-12 until there are 100 stitches on the needle and complete the 4 row sequence, finishing with the purl row, then work Decrease Section.

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Decrease Section:

Row 1 (RS): k to last 3, k2tog, k1
Row 2 (WS): k
Row 3 (RS): k
Row 4 (WS): p

Repeat rows 1-4 until there are 4 stitches on the needle and complete the 4 row sequence, finishing with the purl row.

Next Row (RS): k1, k2tog, k1
Next Row (WS): k
Cast off all 3 stitches.

Finishing:

Weave in your ends, block lightly.

CARE NOTES

Whether you are using commercially dyed yarn or lovely hand-dyed skeins, please keep in mind that colours might bleed. None of the examples shown bled, but I always knit up a sample and wash it as you would your finished item to be sure. Please use common sense - reds and crazy pinks tend to bleed the most, any red/white combo is probably not a good idea (we separate laundry, right?). To minimise bleeding, gently soak the swatch/finished item in cold water with a mild detergent or wool wash. The gentler you wash your project the better it will look over time.

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