



Gradient Scarf

Designer: Allison Griffith

Pattern Type: Knit

Difficulty Level: Intermediate

Sizes Included: 60.25" long x 11.75" at wide end

Yarn Lines: Stroll Gradient, Stroll Sock Yarn

Yardage: 920

Needles/Hooks Suggested: Size 3 (3.25mm): DPNs and 16" circular needle, or two 24" circular needles for two circulars technique, or one 32" or longer circular needle for Magic Loop technique

Fiber Type: Wool & Blends

Weight: Fingering

The Gradient Scarf is a practical and modern accessory, perfect for everyday wear. The sleek, asymmetric shape and seamless stockinette construction make this scarf perfect for people looking for a modern take on the average scarf. The Gradient Scarf is knit in the round, creating a double-layered (and doubly warm) triangle of soft wool. Using a skein of each Stroll Gradient and Stroll Solid, the narrow stripes show off the slow color changes in Gradient. This simple knit will fly off the needles and become a staple of your year round wardrobe.

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This scarf is knit the round in a single piece beginning from the narrow end. Do not cut your yarn between stripes. Instead, carry the unused yarn along the inside of the scarf, twisting your yarns together when switching colors to avoid creating holes. Once the scarf is long enough, use the Kitchener stitch to close up the wide end of the scarf for a seamless look.

If using DPNs, switch to circular needle when necessary to accommodate the number of stitches.

Circular CO Follow the instructions available here: <http://tutorials.knitpicks.com/wptutorials/circular-cast-on/>.

Kitchener Stitch Follow the instructions provided on the Knit Picks website here: <http://tutorials.knitpicks.com/wptutorials/kitchener-stitch/>.

DIRECTIONS

With MC, CO 10 using the Circular CO. PM for end-of-round and prepare to work in the rnd.

K 2 rnds.

Join C1 (without cutting MC) and K 2 rnds.

Next Rnd: K5, place increase marker, K5.

Next Rnd: K to 1 st before increase marker, M1, K1, SM, K1, M1, K to end. 12 sts. `K 1 rnd.

Rnds 1-3: With MC, K.

Rnds 4-6: With C1, K.

Rnd 7: With C1, K to 1 st before increase marker, M1, K1, SM, K1, M1, K to end. 2 sts inc.

Rnd 8: With C1, K.

Rep Rnds 1-8 until there are 160 sts, or until the scarf is the length desired.

Work Rnds 1-2 once more.

Next Rnd: K to increase marker.

Finishing: Use Kitchener stitch to close the wide end so the scarf lays flat. Weave in ends and block to measurement.

Abbreviations

BO bind off	cn cable needle	CC contrast color	CDD Centered double dec
CO cast on	cont continue	dec decrease(es)	DPN(s) double pointed needle(s)
EOR every other row	inc increase	K knit	K2tog knit two sts together
KFB knit into the front and back of stitch		K-wise knitwise	LH left hand
M marker	M1 make one stitch	M1L make one left-leaning stitch	M1R make one right-leaning stitch
MC main color	P purl	P2tog purl 2 sts together	PM place marker
PFB purl into the front and back of stitch		PSSO pass slipped stitch over	PU pick up
P-wise purlwise	rep repeat	Rev St st reverse stockinette stitch	RH right hand
rnd(s) round(s)	RS right side	Sk skip	Sk2p sl 1, k2tog, pass slipped stitch over k2tog: 2 sts dec
SKP sl, k, pssso: 1 st dec	SL slip	SM slip marker	SSK sl, sl, k these 2 sts tog
SSP sl, sl, p these 2 sts tog tbl		SSSK sl, sl, sl, k these 3 sts tog	St st stockinette stitch
sts stitch(es)	TBL through back loop	TFL through front loop tog together	W&T wrap & turn
(see specific instructions in pattern)		WE work even	WS wrong side
WYIB with yarn in back	WYIF with yarn in front	YO yarn over	