

New Hope Scarf pattern



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Stats:

Yarn: 5-10 skeins SWTC Gianna Bulky yarn (approx. 450-900 yds - depending on desired length of scarf) or bulky yarn of choice (*use more yarn for longer scarf or super bulky yarn for a wider/longer scarf!*)

Needle: size 11 (8.0 mm) Addi Turbo knitting needles

Gauge: 3 sts = 1 inch in St. st., but gauge is not crucial

Size: 4.5 in. x 6 ft. - 10 ft (*depending on the yarn & your preference, you can widen the scarf during blocking process*)

Notions: cable needle, darning needle, st. markers

This pattern is similar to my original "Hope Scarf" with a few changes; cabled edge, ICord cast on and bind off, etc. which produces a different, lovely effect.

New Hope Stitch Pattern:

Row 1: cb4, k1, p2, cb6, cf6, p2, k1, cb4

Row 2 and all ws rows: p5, k2, p12, k2, p5

Rows 3, 5: k5, p2, k12, p2, k5

Row 7: k1, cf4, p2, cb6, cf6, p2, cf4, k1

Rows 9, 11: k5, p2, k12, p2, k5

Row 13: cb4, k1, p2, cf6, cb6, p2, k1, cb4

Rows 15, 17: k5, p2, k12, p2, k5

Row 19: k1, cf4, p2, cf6, cb6, p2, cf4, k1

Row 21: k5, p2, k12, p2, k5

Row 22: p5, k2, p12, k2, p5

Cast on 26 sts using ICord cast on

Set up row: p5, k2, p12, k2, p5

Repeat New Hope stitch pattern for desired length, ending with row 4.
ICord bind off

Stitch Key:

K: knit

P: purl

Cb4-cable back 4: slip 2 sts onto a cable needle and hold the cable needle at the back of your work, knit the next 2 sts on the left needle; then knit the 2 sts from the cable needle.

Cf4-cable front 4: slip 2 sts onto a cable needle and hold the cable needle at the front of your work, knit the next 2 sts on the left needle; then knit the 2 sts from the cable needle.

Cb6-cable back 6: slip 3 sts onto a cable needle and hold the cable needle at the back of your work, knit the next 3 sts on the left needle; then knit the 3 sts from the cable needle.

Cf6-cable front 6: slip 3 sts onto a cable needle and hold the cable needle at the front of your work, knit the next 3 sts on the left needle; then knit the 3 sts from the cable needle.

ICord cast on: cast on 3 sts. Slip these sts back onto the left hand needle.

Row 1: kfb of the 1st st. creating another st, k2.

Slip the last 3 sts from the right hand needle to the left needle

Row 2: kfb of the 1st st creating another st., k2. Then slip the last 3 sts from the right needle to the left needle.

Repeat these steps until you have all of the sts needed for your cast PLUS 2 more sts. THEN slip the last 3 sts from the right hand needle to the left hand needle, k2tog, k1. Slip last 2 sts from right hand needle to the left hand needle, k2tog.

I Cord bind off: Cast on 3 sts at the beginning of the row using the cable cast on.

K2, k2tog

Slip 3 sts from the right hand needle back onto the left hand needle. The working yarn is going to come from the back of the 3rd st as with any ICord, pull the yarn snugly across the back.

K2, k2tog

Slip 3 sts from RH needle to LH needle and continue in this fashion until 3 ICord sts remain, slip these 3 sts onto your left hand needle.

K1, k2tog

Slip these 2 sts onto the LH needle

K2tog

You now have an ICord bind off.

