

While I wouldn't necessarily recommend a scarf of this length for a true beginner, the results are totally worth it! This easy stitch pattern creates a reversible texture and the wide and long unisex scarf is guaranteed to keep you warm while offering an array of styling options. For a free companion pattern, visit http://undergroundcrafter.com/blog/ilyd2016.



Finished Size

X Adult: 8" (20.5 cm) wide x 74" (188 cm) long.

Materials

- ℅ Knit Picks Swish Worsted (100% Merino wool, 1.75 oz/50 g/110 yd/101 m) 8 skeins in Rainforest Heather, or approximately 880 yd (805 m) in any medium weight yarn.
- X US Size I-9/5.5 mm crochet hook, or size needed to obtain gauge.
- imes Yarn needle.

Gauge

14 sts x 12 rows in pattern = 4" (10 cm). Exact gauge is not critical for this pattern.

Abbreviations Used in This Pattern

ch	chain		rep	repeat		SC	single crochet
sk	skip		st(s)	stitch(es)		tr	treble (triple)
							crochet
* Repeat instructions after asterisk as indicated.							



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Pattern Instructions

Scarf

Ch 32 or any even number of sts.

- **Row 1:** Turn, sk l ch, sc in next ch and each ch across. (31 sts)
- **Row 2:** Turn, ch 1, sc in same st, *ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st; rep from * across.
- **Row 3:** Turn, ch 1, sc in same st, *sc in ch-1 space, sc in next st; rep from * across.
- **Row 4:** Turn, ch 1, sc in same st, *tr in next st, sc in next st; rep from * across.

Row 5: Turn, ch 4 (counts as tr, here and throughout), *sc in next st, tr in next st; rep from * across.

Rep Rows 4 & 5 until scarf measures approximately 73" (185.5 cm) long -- or about 1" (2.5 cm) shorter than desired finished length -- ending after Row 4.

- **Row 6:** Turn, ch 1, sc in same st and each st across.
- **Row 7:** Rep Row 2.
- 🔀 Row 8: Rep Row 3. Fasten off.

Finishing

With yarn needle, weave in ends. Spray block if desired. (If you're new to blocking, read Blocking Basics for Crocheters and Knitters: <u>http://undergroundcrafter.com/blog/2015/11/10/crochet-tipstuesday-blocking-basics-forcrocheters-and-knitters/</u>)

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