



## **Longways Knit Scarf** (pattern created by Bonnie Meanor)

Bonnie's personal note: This pattern is similar to old family recipes – just a little vague. It makes me think of my family's recipe for fudge – use butter the size of a walnut. Use your best judgment on amounts of yarn and gauge.

### A few guidelines:

1. Three different balls of nice yarn creates a beautiful scarf. For example:
  - multi-colored ribbon adds a lot of visual interest
  - a yarn with sparkle or fuzziness also adds a lot
  - use a solid color yarn to complement the others and pull the look together
2. If your ribbon is about 1/4" wide, use #15 circular needles and cast on 150 stitches loosely. If your ribbon is about 1/2" wide, use #17 circular needles and cast on 100 stitches loosely.
3. Casting on and binding off loosely is essential: too tight on either side will curve the scarf into a "C" instead of having it lay flat.

### Pattern

- Cast on number of stitches indicated above (100 or 150)
- Knit every stitch and change yarn every row.
- The self fringe is made by leaving a 6" end as you start the row and a 6" end at the end of the row.
- As you start a new row, tie the old color end to the new color end so the short edge of the scarf doesn't loosen up.
- When the scarf is as wide as you want, bind off loosely.
- Optional: add more fringe if you'd like. You can also use any left-over ribbon to tie bows randomly on one side of the scarf.

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