

## Slipped tweed stitch scarf



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I like slipped stitches as they give an easy opportunity to do colour work as well as giving texture. This scarf highlights slipped stitches giving both colour play and a nice cushy fabric to keep yourself warm. Knitted in a bulky weight, this is a relative fast project, even when it is a long scarf! The scarf was first made to test Fazed Tweed and its unusual construction. The yarn is bulky but much lighter than a normal bulky! The slipped stitch pattern does influence the gauge, it is more dense than stockinette, however exact gauge is not crucial for this scarf!

The final size of the scarf (using all yarn) is 20 x 220 cm (8 x 86").

**Skills:** Beginner project for slipped stitch knitting.

**Yarn:** Bulky weight.

For project in the picture; Rowan "Fazed Tweed" ( 72% wool, 22% alpaca, 6 % nylon), 69 m (75 yds)/ 50 gr. ); 2 skeins of Oak (C1) , Elderberry (C2) and Bay (C3) each.

**Gauge (in Triple L Tweed stitch pattern on 6.5 mm needle):** 17 sts x 32 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm.

**Needles:** 40 cm (16") circular needles or two straight needles 6.5 mm needles (US 10.5).

**Other:** darning needle.

**Abbreviations:** k=knit, p=purl, st(s)=stitch(es).

### Triple L Tweed stitch pattern (over 3 +1 sts).

*Row 1 in C1 (RS):* k3, \*\*\* slip 1 st purlwise with yarn in the back, k2, repeat from \*\*\* to the last st, k1.

*Row 2 in C1:* k3, \*\*\* slip 1 st purlwise with yarn in the front, k2, repeat from \*\*\* to the last st, k1.

*Row 3 in C2:* \*\*\* k2, slip 1 st purlwise with yarn in the back, repeat from \*\*\* to the last st, k1.

*Row 4 in C2:* k1, \*\*\* slip 1 st purlwise with yarn in the front, k2, repeat from \*\*\* to the end of the row.

*Row 5 in C3:* k1, \*\*\* slip 1 st purlwise with yarn in the back, k2, repeat from \*\*\* to the end of the row.

*Row 6 in C3:* \*\*\* k2, slip 1 st purlwise with yarn in the front, repeat from \*\*\* to the last st, k1.

### Scarf:

Using C3 and the 6.5 mm (US 6) needles, cast on 34 st. Knit 1 row. Continue in C1 and continue to work according to the Triple L Tweed stitch pattern.

Repeat the instructions for the length desired or until the yarn runs out. Cast off all sts and weave in ends using a darning needle.