

Ruffled Knit Scarf

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Finished size: 58" x 7"

Purchase the following:

- 5/8 yard jersey knit (60" wide) (If you want contrasting ruffles, you'll need 1/2 yard jersey knit for scarf and 1/4 yard jersey knit for ruffle.)
- Coordinating Thread
- Ball Point Sewing Needle (This is different than your normal sewing machine needle, it's made especially for sewing with knits.)

Gather the following:

- Pins
- Rotary cutter
- Clear grid ruler

Cut the following:

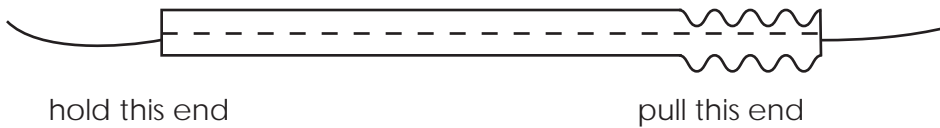
- 2- 8" x 60" rectangles (This will be your scarf.)
- 6- 1" x 16" strips (This will be your ruffle.)

Making the Ruffles

1. With your machine, sew a long basting stitch down the center of all 6 strips.



2. For each strip, hold one end of the fabric strip and pull on just the bottom thread of the opposite end to start ruffling it.

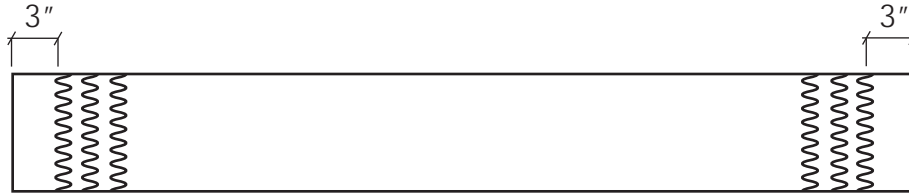


3. Continue pulling to ruffle the strip until it's about 8" long. Evenly space out the ruffles on your strip. Repeat for the other 5 strips.

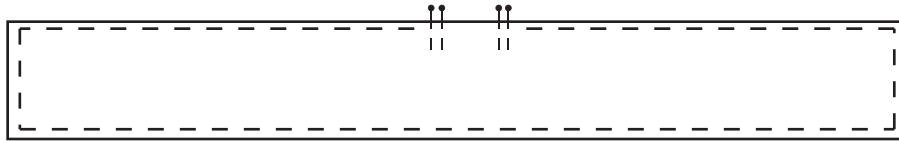


Making the Scarf

4. Lay flat one of the 60" long rectangles. Pin the ruffles to the ends. Start with the first ruffle 3"-4" from both ends. Pin the other ruffles parallel to the first one. Using a straight stitch, stitch down the center of each of the ruffles to secure them to the front of your scarf. Trim off all extra thread ends.



5. Place your second rectangle on top of the first, making sure that right sides are facing each other. Pin every few inches, leaving a 4" opening towards the center middle:



6. Stitch with a 1/2" seam using a stretch stitch or a zig zag stitch. Any of these stitches will work just fine.



7. Turn right sides out, press seams, and slip stitch closed.

You're finished!