

FINISHED SIZES

Single Cable Scarf: About 3" (7.5 cm) wide and 50" (127 cm) long.

Double Cable Scarf: About 3¾" (9.5 cm) wide and 38" (96.5 cm) long.

Triple Cable Muffler: About 5" (12.5 cm) wide and 26" (66 cm) long.

Gaiter: About 20" (51 cm) circumference and 4¼" (11 cm) high.

YARN

Worsted-weight (Medium #4) yarn.

Shown here:

Scarves: Blue Sky Alpacas Organic Cotton (100% organic cotton, 150 yd [137 m]/

100 g): #80 bone for Single Cable Scarf;

#82 nut (medium brown) for Double Cable

Scarf, and #83 sage for Triple Cable Muffler.

Gaiter: Blue Sky Alpacas Alpaca & Silk (50% alpaca, 50% silk; 146 yd [133 m] /100 g):

#100 slate.

NEEDLES

Scarves: Size 9 (5.5 mm).

Gaiter: size 6 (4 mm): 16" (40-cm) circular (cir). Change needle size if necessary to obtain the correct gauge.

NOTIONS

Marker (m; for gaiter only); cable needle (cn); tapestry needle.

GAUGE

Scarves: 28 sts and 20 rows = 4" (10 cm) in k2, p2 rib on size 9 (5.5 mm) needles, with rib relaxed.

Gaiter: 35 sts and 29 rows = 4" (10 cm) in k2, p2 rib on size 6 (4 mm) needles, with rib relaxed.

RIB AND CABLE QUARTET

Stitch Guide

Selvedge Stitches

Slip the first and last stitches as if to knit (kwise) with yarn in back on all RS rows; and purl the first and last stitches on all WS rows.

4/4 Left Cable

(worked over 8 sts) Sl 4 sts onto cn and hold in front of work, k4, k3 from cn, sl last st from cn kwise.

3/3 Left Cable

(worked over 6 sts) Sl 3 sts onto cn and hold in front of work, k3, k3 from cn.

3/3 Right Cable

(worked over 6 sts) Sl 3 sts onto cn and hold in back of work, k3, k3 from cn.

Single Cable Scarf

Shown on page 34.

CO 21 sts. *Set-up row:* (WS) P8, [k2, p2] 3 times, p1. Cont in rib and cable patt as foll:

Rows 1, 3, and 7: (RS) Sl 1 kwise, [k2, p2] 3 times, k7, sl 1 kwise.

Rows 2, 4, 6, and 8: P8, [k2, p2] 3 times, p1.

Row 5: Sl 1 kwise, [k2, p2] 3 times, work 4/4 left cable (see Stitch Guide) over last 8 sts.

Rep Rows 1–8 (do not rep set-up row) until piece measures 50" (127 cm) from CO, ending with Row 3 of patt. BO all sts in patt. Weave in loose ends. Block to measurements.

Double Cable Scarf

Shown on page 32.

CO 28 sts. *Set-up row:* (WS) P3, *k2, p2; rep from * to last st, p1. Cont in k2, p2 rib patt as foll:

Row 1: (RS) Sl 1 kwise, k2, *p2, k2; rep from * to last st, sl 1 kwise.

Row 2: P3, *k2, p2; rep from * to last st, p1.