



Diagonal Stripe Scarf

A complimentary *skacel collection, Inc.* pattern.



SKILL LEVEL: Easy

MATERIALS:

Featured Yarn: Schoppel *Reggae Ombre*, 100% Merino Wool, 109 yds / 50g.
3 balls of one colorway (shown in color #1701).

addi® Needles & Notions:

9 mm (approx US 13), or appropriate size to obtain gauge
tapestry needle.

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GAUGE: 3.5 sts per inch in Diagonal Pattern.

*To save time, check your gauge
and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.*

INSTRUCTIONS:

Note: Part of the fun of this pattern is getting different shade variations that never repeat, even though only one colorway is used. To achieve this effect, Strand A needs to start with a specific color, such as the red. Strand B then starts with a different color, such as green. By beginning with different colors in the same yarn, the scarf continuously changes color combinations, and keeps you wanting to do "one more row" in order to see what the next color combo will be. Keep in mind, no two scarves will look the same, so the pictured scarf is bound to be slightly different than any other scarf knit using the same color (in this case *Reggae Ombre* #1701). Choosing where to start can sometimes be daunting, so try beginning with Strand A coming from the center of one ball and Strand B coming from the outside of the same ball. Since the pattern uses 3 balls (an odd number), this needs to be done with at least one ball anyway. There is really no way to go wrong!

Edge Stitches: This pattern calls for edge stitches. The edge stitches create a finished look to the edges of the finished scarf, and allow for the two different colors to be carried up the edges of the scarf without having the color changes show. To work the edge stitches, always knit the first stitch of the row and always slip the last stitch while holding the yarn in front.

Cast on 26 sts with Strand A.

Row 1: Strand A – Edge St, k6, p6, k6, p6, edge st.

Row 2: Strand A – Edge St, p1, K6, p6, k6, p5, edge st.

Row 3: Strand B – Edge St, k4, p6, k6, p6, k2, edge st.

Row 4: Strand B – Edge St, p3, k6, p6, k6, p3, edge st.

Row 5: Strand A – Edge St, k2, p6, k6, p6, k4, edge st.

Row 6: Strand A – Edge St, p5, k6, p6, k6, p1, edge st.

Row 7: Strand B – Edge St, p6, k6, p6, k6, edge st.

Row 8: Strand B – Edge St, k1, p6, k6, p6, k5, edge st.

Row 9: Strand A – Edge St, p4, k6, p6, k6, p2, edge st.

Row 10: Strand A – Edge St, k3, p6, k6, p6, k3, edge st.

Row 11: Strand B – Edge St, p2, k6, p6, k6, p4, edge st.

Row 12: Strand B – Edge St, k5, p6, k6, p6, k1, edge st.

Repeat Rows 1 - 12 to desired length, or until approx 1.5 yards remain.

Bind off all sts loosely.

Although *Reggae Ombre* can be hand washed, it does best when spot cleaned and hung outside to air out. That is easy, environmentally friendly, and kind to the wool.

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