

How to Simulate Crochet Mesh on the Knitting Machine

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The No Meshing About Scarf Pattern

Machine Brother Bulky 260

Note: Any machine can be used. The mesh making technique can be done on any machine as all patterning is done by hand. The mesh will be smaller on a standard gauge machine so you will need more stitches.

Yarn 8 ply wool

Pattern On alternative needles knit 3 rows.

Hook up the 2nd stitch bar, below the needles, onto a needle in working position.

Warning This mesh making method is very, very slow.



Scarf Instructions

- 'e' wrap 31 stitches.
- Tension 6 knit 1 row.
- Tension 8 knit 1 row.
- Keep one stitch on each of the end 2 end needles, on both sides, and leave these needles in working position A.
Note: The 2 adjacent needles, at both ends, need to be in working position to keep the sides of the knitting in shape.
- With the middle needles place 2 stitches onto each alternate needle. The needles without stitches are to be placed in the non working position A.
- Needles in work: 110101010101010101010101010101011
- There are 17 stitches in working position B.
- Tension 10 knit 2 rows.
- *Start at the carriage end. Hook up the 2nd stitch bar below the needles. The stitch bar is between 2 needles. Place the stitch bar onto the needle, out of these 2, furthest away from the carriage.
- Knit 3 rows.
Note: The carriage is now at the opposite end to when you last had to hook up the stitch bar.
- Start at the carriage end. Hook up the 2nd stitch bar below the needles. The stitch bar is between 2 needles. Place the stitch bar onto the needle, out of these 2, furthest away from the carriage.
Note: You will be hooking up the stitch bar in the opposite direction from last time.
- Knit 3 rows. **
- Continue from * to ** until you have reached your desired length.
- Start at the carriage end. Hook up the 2nd stitch bar below the needles. The stitch bar is between 2 needles. Place the stitch bar onto the needle, out of these 2, furthest away from the carriage.
- Knit 2 rows.
- Pick up the heel of the stitches and place these onto the empty needles and have 31 needles in working position A.
- Knit 1 row.
- Knit 1 very loose row by hand.
- Latch off.

Add tassels if desired or sew in ends.

Decorate your mesh scarf with knitted flowers.