# ♣ Free PATTERN





#### **OLYMPIC** mitered scarf

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**SIZE** One size

#### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

One square = 6" (15.5cm) Scarf is made up of 9 squares Length 56" (142cm)

## **MATERIALS**

- 1 ball 1 3/4oz (50g) 130 yd (117 m) N.Y. Yarns OLYMPIC (30% wool, 70% acrylic each in #2 brick (A) #10 gray (B) and #05 olive (C)
- Size 9 (5.5mm) needles
- Yarn needle

#### **GAUGE**

16 sts = 4" (10 cm) in garter stitch (knit every row)
TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE.

### Special technique

**Double Decrease** Insert right-hand needle into next 2 stitches (together) as if to knit and slip both stitches to right-hand needle; knit 1, pass 2 slipped stitches over knit stitch – 2 stitches decreased.

**Note** 2 knit rows = 1 ridge.

## Square 1

- 3 ridges A
- 2 ridges B
- 4 ridges C
- 3 ridges A
- 2 ridges B
- 4 ridges C

Work with A to end.

### Square 2

- 3 ridges A
- 2 ridges C
- 4 ridges B
- 3 ridges A
- 4 ridges C

Work with B to end.

#### **SCARF**

With A, cast on 47 stitches.

Row 1 (right side) K22, work double over 3 stitches, k22.

Row 2 (wrong side) K22, p1, k22. Next row K21, work double over 3 stitches, k21.

**Next row** K21, p1, k21.

Continue to work double decrease on right-side rows and purl center stitch on wrong-side rows until 3 stitches remain.

**Last row (right side)** Work double decrease over remaining 3 stitches. Fasten off.

## Picking up for next square

Pick up 24 stitches along top edge, turn piece and cast on 23 stitches. Knit 1 row on wrong side and then begin square 2.

## Picking up for next square

Pick up 24 stitches along top edge. Knit 1 row and pick up 23 stitches at end of row. Begin square 1. Continue to alternate squares 2 and 1 until 9 squares are complete, ending with square 1 and scarf measures 56". Weave in ends.