Textured Stripes Super Scarf

Everyone needs an oversized cozy scarf in their wardrobe, and this one is perfect. The tubular yarn is smooth next to your skin and the textured stripe pattern is fun to knit. Add it to your own wardrobe or knit it as a gift!

What you will need:

**RED HEART® Strata™:** 5 (7) balls 2620 Teal

**Susan Bates® Knitting Needles:** 8mm [US 11]

Yarn needle

**GAUGE:** 13 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 16 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Stockinette stitch. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

**SCARF**

Cast on 32 sts.

Knit 5 rows.

Row 1 (Right Side): Knit.

Row 2: Purl.

Rows 3-12: Repeat Rows 1-2.

Row 13: Knit.

Row 14: [K1, slip 1 purlwise with yarn in back] to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 15: Knit.

Row 16: K2, [slip 1 purlwise with yarn in back, k1] to end of row.

Rows 17-40: Repeat Rows 13-16.

Repeat Rows 1-40 for nine (eleven) more times, then Rows 1-12 once.

Knit 6 rows.

Bind off.

**FINISHING**

Weave in ends.

**Abbreviations**

cm = centimeters; k = knit;

mm = milimeters; st(s) = stitch(es);

[ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified

Scarf measures 10" [25.5 cm] wide x 72" [183 cm] or 96" [244 cm] long.

**NOTE**

Slip first st purlwise and knit last st through back loop of every row for a more finished looking edge.