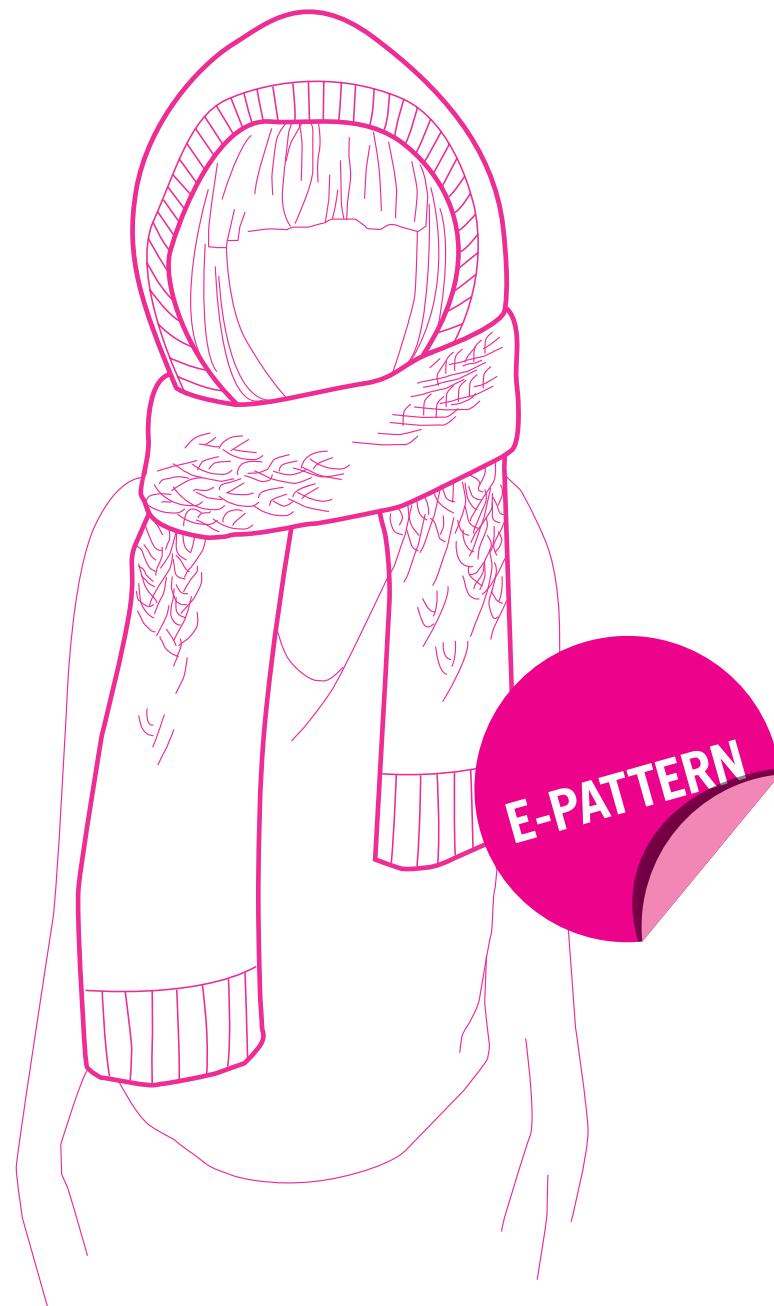


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**HOODED
SCARF**
EASY
15MM NEEDLES (19US)
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HOODED SCARF

MUCH LIKE OUR HOODY SCARF, OUR NEW HOODED SCARF INCORPORATES ALL OF THE GOODIES FROM ITS ORIGINAL. THE CLEVER DESIGN FUNCTIONS AS BOTH A HOOD AND A SCARF, TO KEEP THE EARS AND NECK WARM AT ONCE. THE HOODED SCARF HAS THE OPTION FOR NEUTRAL COLOURED TRIM; WITH CONTRAST ACCENTS AT THE EDGES, WE MADE THIS ALREADY ONE OF A KIND SCARF THAT MUCH MORE INTERESTING.

TOOL KIT

4 balls of WATG's 100% Peruvian Wool (3 balls of the main colour and 1 ball of the contrast colour)
1 pair of 15mm (1.9US) needles
1 Hooded Scarf pattern
1 knitter's sewing needle

THE STITCHES

All of the knitting techniques are made using the 'Basic Stitches' on the back of the pattern.

-Stocking stitch

A basic stitch pattern where the first row is knit and the second row is purl. These two rows are repeated to make the pattern. The 'right' side of the fabric looks like a series of 'Vs'. The 'wrong' side of the fabric looks like a series of 'waves'.

-1x1 Rib stitch

One knit stitch is followed by one purl stitch. Repeat the same technique for every row; the purl and the knit stitches must line up above each other.

-Decreasing stitches

Instead of knitting only one stitch at a time, knit two stitches together. Insert the front of your right needle through the two first stitches of the left needle then knit them together as a single stitch.

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TENSION SQUARE

To ensure your knitting has the same measurements as the pattern, you need to knit a tension square before you start knitting your project. A tension square is a small sample of your knitting where you count the stitches and rows and check them against the measurement (cm) given. If your tension sample does not match the tension square measurements, then you should try to knit either tighter or looser depending on whether your sample was too big or too small.

1x1 Rib stitch

10cm/4" = 10 stitches
10cm/4" = 8 rows

HOW TO KNIT YOUR HOODED SCARF

THE HOOD

1 _____
Cast on 45 stitches in the contrast colour.

2 _____
Knit 5 rows in the contrast colour in 1x1 rib stitch.

3 _____
Change colour and knit 13 rows in the main colour in stocking stitch.

4 _____
Decrease:
Knit 19 stitches, knit 2 stitches together, knit 3 stitches, knit 2 stitches together, knit 19 stitches. You have 43 stitches remaining on your needle.

5 _____
Purl 1 row.

6 _____
Decrease:
Knit 18 stitches, knit 2 stitches together, knit 3 stitches, knit 2 stitches together, knit 18 stitches. 41 stitches remaining.

7 _____
Purl 1 row.

8 _____
Decrease:
Knit 17 stitches, knit 2 stitches together, knit 3 stitches, knit 2 stitches together, knit 17 stitches. 39 stitches remaining.

9 _____
Purl 1 row.

10 _____
Cast off and weave in the ends.

THE SCARF

1 _____
Cast on 17 stitches in the contrast colour.

2 _____
Knit 9 rows in 1x1 rib stitch.

3 _____
Change colour and knit 147 rows in 1x1 rib stitch in the main colour.

4 _____
Change colour and knit 9 rows in 1x1 rib stitch in the contrast colour.

5 _____
Cast off and weave in the ends.

ASSEMBLING AND FINISHING

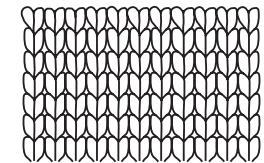
1 _____
Fold the hood in half.
With the knitter's sewing needle and a long strand of yarn, use the horizontal invisible seam technique to sew the seam at the back of the hood (as shown in the sketch). Be careful to sew the tip of the hood into a smooth curve.

2 _____
With the right side of the scarf and the hood facing up, position the hood 50cm (19.7") from the end of the scarf. Attach the hood to the scarf using the vertical invisible seam technique.
Weave in all the loose ends.

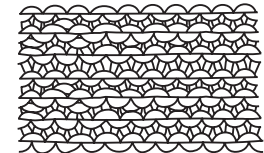
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Claim your project as your own! Embroider your initials with a thread of Crazy Sexy Wool.

STOCKING STITCH

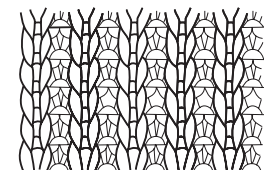


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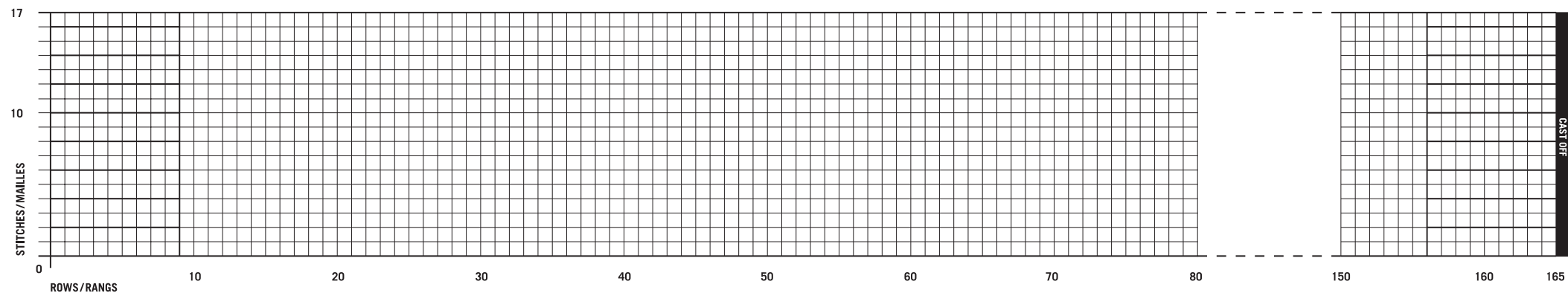
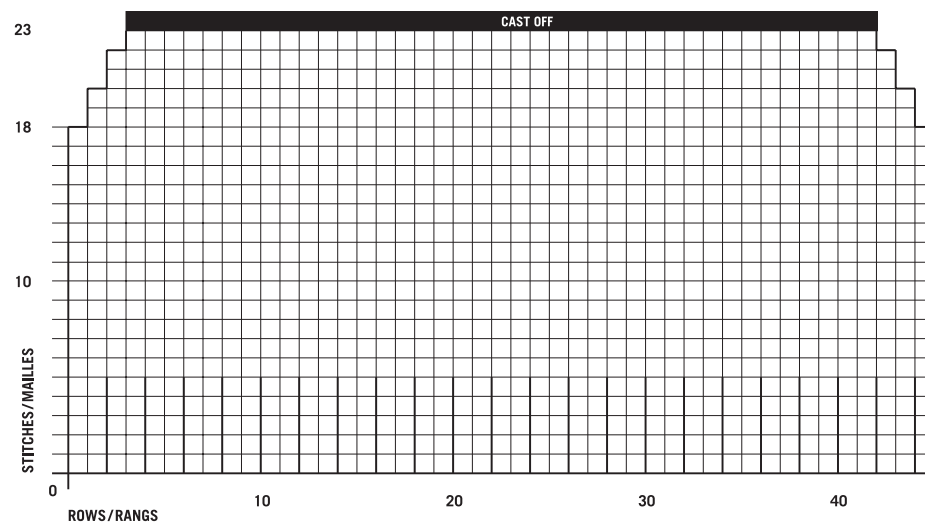


WRONG SIDE

1X1 RIB STITCH



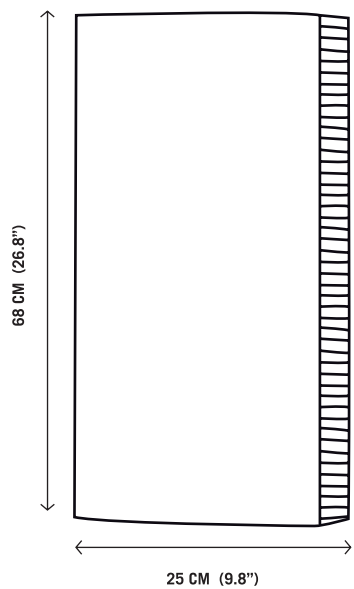
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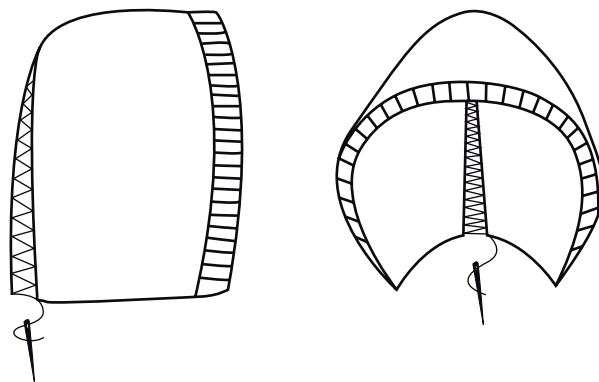
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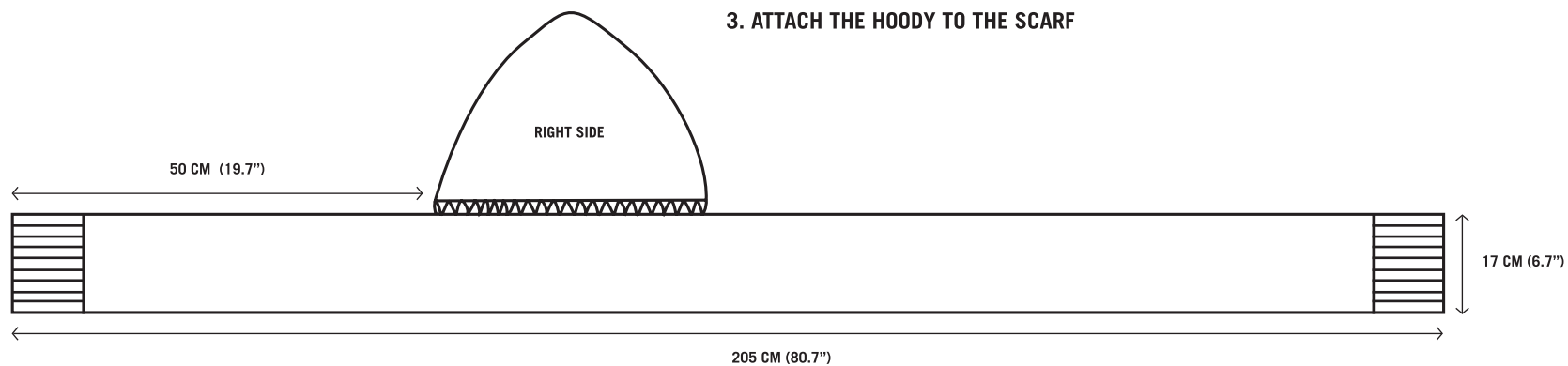
1. THE HOOD



2. FOLD IN HALF AND SEW THE SEAM TO CREATE THE HOODY

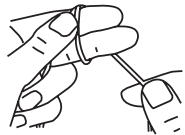


3. ATTACH THE HOODY TO THE SCARF

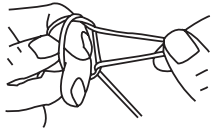


BASIC STITCHES

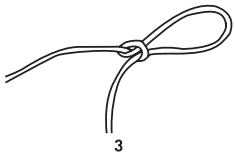
SLIP KNOT



1
Hold the yarn in your left hand approximately 40cm (15.9") from the end. Wrap the yarn around two fingers.



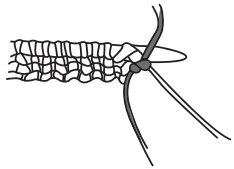
2
Make a loop as shown.



3
Slip the loop on to a needle and pull it tight. When you have finished your project you will weave the 40cm (15.9") 'tail' into the knitting.

STARTING A NEW BALL OF YARN / CHANGING COLOUR

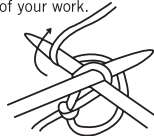
When you come to the end of your ball of yarn, finish the row but leave a tail of at least 30cm (11.8"). With the new ball tie a loose knot on to the tail and slide it up to the needle.



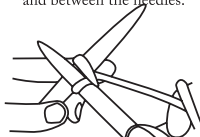
Tighten the knot. Continue knitting with the new ball of yarn. When you have finished knitting your project you will weave in the tails.

CABLE CAST ON

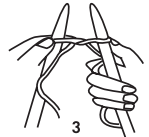
There are several ways to cast on. We like the method given here as it gives a neat finish to the edge of your work.



1
Make a slip knot on a needle. Holding the needle and the tail in your left hand take the right hand needle and insert it through the slipknot (stitch) so the left needle is crossed over the right needle. Using your right hand, wrap the long end of the yarn behind the needles and bring it around and between the needles.



2
Bring the tip of the right hand needle under the left hand needle and 'catch' the loop on the left needle.



3
Hold the needles side by side.



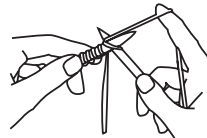
4
Insert the tip of the left needle up the stitch on the right needle and release the right needle. You now have two stitches on the left needle.

5

Insert the needle between the two stitches, wrap yarn around the right needle and bring through. Transfer the new stitch back onto the left hand needle. Repeat step 5 until you have the correct number of stitches cast on.

KNIT STITCH

This is the basic knitting stitch. By knitting every row you will create what is known as 'garter stitch' which has the same appearance on both sides.



1
Hold the needle with the stitches in your left hand and the empty needle and ball end of the yarn in your right hand. Insert the tip of the right needle in the first stitch upwards from front to back. The needles will be crossed left over right. With your right hand wrap the yarn from the ball behind the needles and then between the two needles.



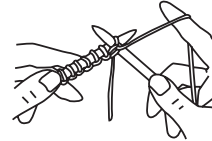
2
Bring the tip of the right needle under the left needle and 'catch' the loop.



3
Slide the stitch off the left needle and on to the right needle. Repeat steps 1 to 3 until all of the stitches are on the right hand needle. Then transfer the needle back into your left hand and repeat row after row.

PURL STITCH

When you knit the yarn is at the back of your work but when you purl, the yarn is at the front.



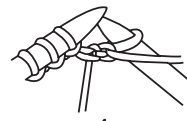
1
Hold the needle with the stitches in your left hand and the empty needle in your right hand. Insert the tip of the right needle into the first stitch upwards from back to front. The needles will be crossed right over left.



2
With your right hand pull the yarn to the front of your work then wrap the yarn around the right needle and between the needles back to the front of the needles.

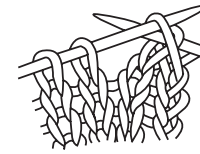


3
Bring the tip of the right needle under the left needle and catch the 'loop' on the way through to the back.

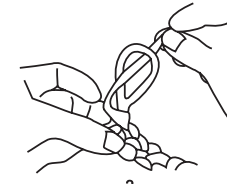


4
Slide the stitch off the left needle and on to the right needle. Repeat steps 1 to 4 until all of the stitches are on the right hand needle. Then transfer the needle back into your left hand and repeat row after row.

CAST OFF



1
For your final row, knit the first two stitches. Using the tip of the left needle, lift the first stitch up and over the second stitch and the tip of the right needle. Now you will have only one stitch on your right needle. Knit one more stitch so you have two stitches on the right needle. Then repeat until you have one stitch left on the needle, remove needle.



2
Cut the yarn leaving a 40cm (15.9") tail and pass the cut end of the yarn back through the loop of the last stitch, pull the yarn tight.

WEAVING IN 'ENDS'

Weave the ends of your yarn into your knitting to finish it off and stop it from unravelling.



Thread the ends onto the small knitter's needle. Weave the yarn along the edge of your knitting as shown in the diagram.

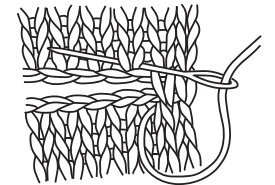
Where you have started a new ball, weave one end in one direction and the other end in the opposite direction.

Once you have woven in approximately 15cm (5.9") then cut the end.

JOINING

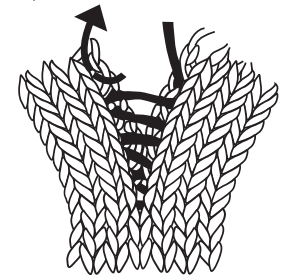
HORIZONTAL INVISIBLE SEAM TECHNIQUE

Align the 2 edges together, line up stitch by stitch, insert the knitter's sewing needle under a V stitch and then under the corresponding V stitch on the other side. Continue in this way until the seam is complete.



VERTICAL INVISIBLE SEAM TECHNIQUE

Vertical invisible technique is used to join the edges of two pieces together when the V's on the right side are running the same direction on both pieces. Place the two knitted pieces of fabric side by side with the right sides up.



Insert your knitter's needle under the first horizontal bar between the first two stitches on the edge you want to join.

Pull the yarn through and insert the knitter's needle through the opposite horizontal bar on the other piece.

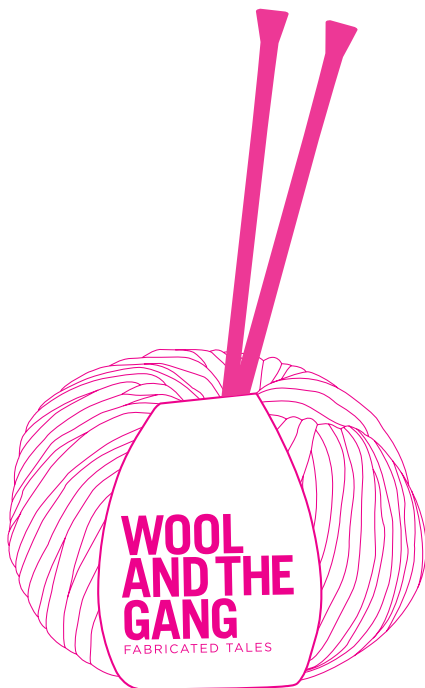
Sew back and forth through the horizontal bars along the edge.

To tighten the stitches, pull the yarn gently... then they will disappear.

YOU DROPPED A STITCH?

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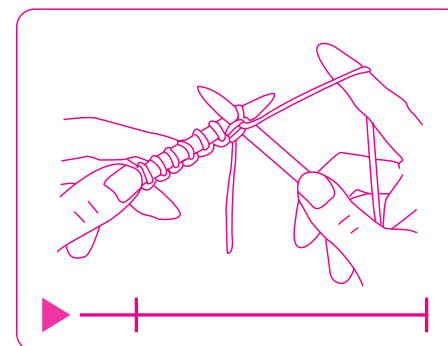
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