

Scarves for Troops

Knitting and Crocheting Instructions

Materials:

Any SOFT, worsted or bulky weight (100 grams / 3.5 ounces) wool yarn (lamb's wool, alpaca, cashmere or combinations of these are acceptable).

Only 100% soft wool yarn will be accepted, because our Armed Forces are not allowed to wear synthetic fibers outside the wire.

Wool is:

- 1 Inherently non-flammable, so it won't melt against the skin in the event of an accident, and
- 2 It is a good insulator even when wet

Colors: ONLY black, charcoal, brown, tan, or combinations of these colors.

Finished dimensions: approximately 12 in X 42 in. No fringe, scallops, or holes big enough to put your little finger through. Just plain, as these need to be "unisex".

Note: Any stitch EXCEPT stockinette stitch if knitting as it curls, so please do not use it.

Cast off. Weave in ends.