

## Möbius ZigZag

A dramatic shaped edge and reversible diagonal lace stitch make the single-sided möbius wonder even more wonderful. This scarf is a continuous one-sided surface that is formed from a rectangular piece of knitting! In effect, there is no inside or outside to this scarf. It is simply a loop with a half twist that will rest comfortably folded about your head or neck. The knitting goes quickly and makes a great gift, too!



### Size

36" loop, 10" wide (outer measurement to points). Size is easily adjusted for narrower or wider widths in multiples of 5 stitch repeats, and other loop lengths. If making wider or longer, just allow for additional amount of yarn to that in the yardage specifications below.

### Yarn and Needles

For knitting the scarf —

200 yards sport or DK weight yarn (approximately 13 - 15 wraps per inch).

Pair of single-pointed knitting needles: size 8 us (5 mm) suggested.

Gauge: 5 sts per inch over lace pattern, although gauge can be approximate since size is not critical.

Note: Pattern is easily adapted to other sizes and other yarn weights using suitable needle size and considering any changes in yarn amount needed.

For beginning the scarf —

2 - 3 yards of smooth, firmly twisted yarn in contrast color for the provisional cast on. This yarn is only temporary, and is used to begin the cast on in such a way that the loops are left without a bound edge to be picked up later for joining the rectangle into a loop. This can be any extra thread or yarn you have on hand of about the same thickness as the yarn you are using for your scarf.

Crochet hook - can be any size that is approximately equivalent to the knitting needle size you will use (just compare the shank on the crochet hook to your knitting needle; if it is close, it can be used).

For joining the ends of the scarf —

If joining with sewn grafting method for invisible seam: Tapestry needle or other blunt-tipped needle.

If joining with 3-needle bind off method: A third single-pointed needle in same size used to knit your scarf.

Note: The 3-needle bind off method produces a slightly visible seam line. However, it is an easier method than the sewn grafting method. It is also recommended for heavily textured yarns such as boucle.

**Skill Level:** Easy knitting. Take your choice of two alternatives for joining - a simple 3-needle bind off method, or a slightly more difficult sewn grafting method. In either case, detailed step-by-step instructions are included.