



Silky Tie Wrap F113

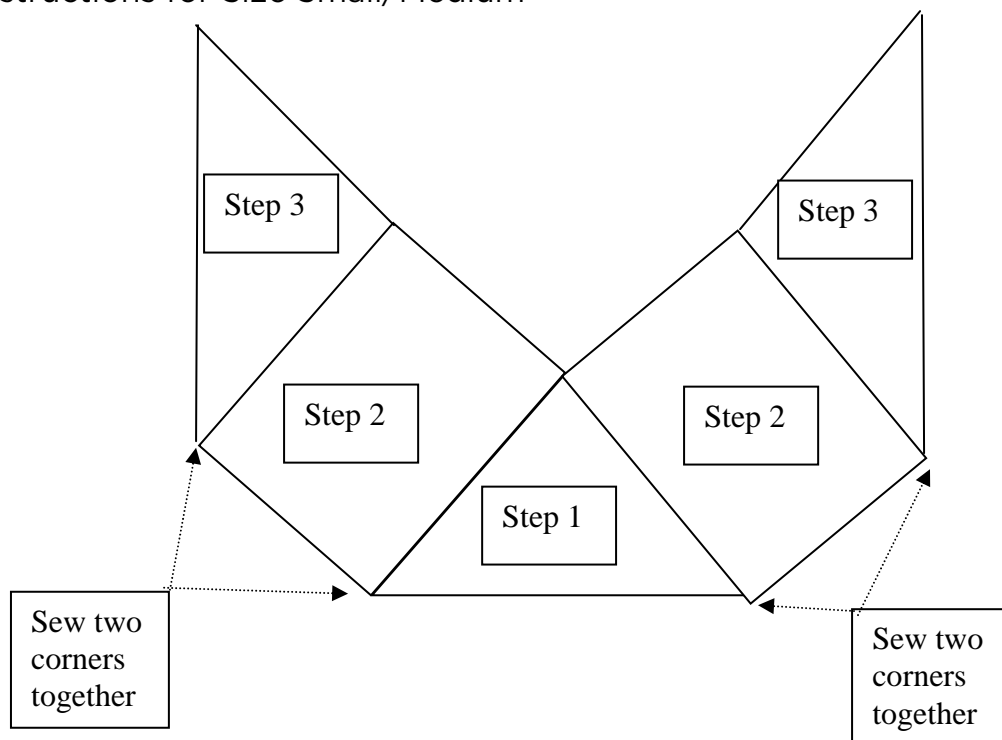


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Materials

- 3 Skeins Artyarns Silk Pearl or Regal Silk (small), 4 skeins (medium), 5 skeins (large)
- Size 7 needles—circular recommended for ease of transferring stitches to stitch holder
- Stitch Holder
- Stitch Marker

Instructions for Size Small/Medium



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Note on Measurements: This wrap is knitted proportionally. The width of the first triangle in Step 1 determines the size of the entire wrap. Carefully measure across the back, and make the first triangle large enough to cover the entire back.

Abbreviations:

Klinc1: Knit into the front and the back of the same stitch, making two stitches out of one stitch—an increase of 1

Skp: Slip 1 stitch knitwise, knit 1, then pass slipped stitch over stitch just knitted—a decrease of 1

S1: Slip 1 stitch knitwise (transfer stitch without knitting it from one needle to the other)

Long Stitch Pattern: Only work this pattern into Knit (K) stitches: Instead of wrapping yarn around once as in regular knit stitch, wrap yarn around needle twice. On the return row, just knit into the first of the two wraps, letting the second one drop to create a stitch twice the size of a regular knit stitch.

Cast on 3 sts

Step 1: Base Center-Increase Triangle

Row 1: K1, klinc1, p1

Row 2: Klinc1, klinc1, k1, p1—6 sts

Row 3: Klinc1, k1, klinc1, pm, k2, p1—8 sts

Row 4: Klinc1, k to marker, rm, klinc1, pm, k to last 1 st, p1

Repeat Row 4 inserting the Long Stitch Pattern every 6 rows until bottom of triangle is at desired width (measure width across back to determine this width). Size small = approximately 20 inches.

Next Row: K to marker, rm, klinc1, k to last 1 st, p1

Place half the stitches furthest away from the working yarn on a stitch holder, leaving the other half of the stitches on the needles.

Step 2: Side Panel (worked separately)

Row 1: K to last 1 st, p1.

Repeat Row 1, inserting the Long Stitch Pattern every 6 rows until side panel measures approximately half of width of center-increase triangle in step 1. Small = approximately 10" in width.

Step 3: Triangle Tie Wrap

Row 1: Klinc1, skp, turn; s1, k to last 1 st, p1

Row 2: Klinc1, k1, skp, turn. S1, pm, k to last 1 st, p1

Row 3: Klinc1, k to marker, rm, skp, turn; s1, pm, k to last 1 st, p1

Repeat Row 3, inserting the Long Stitch Pattern every 6 rows until the triangle has used up every one of the stitches from the side panel. Bind off loosely. Cut yarn.

Transfer stitches from stitch holder on needle, and attach yarn to top of other side (Top of triangle).

Repeat Steps 2 and 3 on other side.

Finishing:

Cut yarn, and weave in ends.

Thread tapestry needle with yarn, and sew bottom corner of side panel to bottom corner of corresponding triangle on the same side (see illustration)—all it will require is about 2-3 stitches to attach each of the two corners. Repeat on other side.

Note that when wearing this wrap, slip the stitched corners underneath the arms and tie the two triangles together across the front. The first center-increase triangle should lay flat across the back.