



UNISEX MEGA CHUNKY RIBBED SCARF

This fabulously chunky scarf with textured knit-look ribbing is the perfect accessory for both men and women. Worked in mega chunky/bulky yarn for a super quick 2 hour finish.

YOU WILL NEED 200 m (200 yds) Mega Chunky/Mega Bulky yarn, a 10.00 mm hook and a needle for neatening ends. Amounts quoted are for a scarf 1.8 m (6ft) in length and 15 – 17.5 cm (6-7") wide. Instructions are included for changing width and length.

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GAUGE 4sts and 6 rows to 10 cm (4") in modified half treble/modified half double crochet.



The instructions are given in such a way that it is possible to change yarn and hook and work to own gauge. In such cases, you should aim for a loose draping finish. This will ensure the scarf hangs as intended and make the modified stitches easier to work.

UK VERSION

UK Abbreviation	UK Term
ch	chain
dc	double crochet
htr	half treble
mdc	modified double crochet (See Special Stitches/Methods)
mhtr	modified half treble (See Special Stitches/Methods)
rnd	round
RS	right side
ss	slip stitch
yrh	yarn round hook

SPECIAL STITCHES/METHODS

Modified half treble (mhtr): yrh, insert hook from back to front under both loops of next st, use hook to catch the lower front loop of the htr and pull it to the back of the stitch, work remainder of htr as normal. When working into the end stitch, work into the ch in the same manner catching the lower back lp of the ch.

Modified double crochet (mdc): insert hook from back to front under both loops of next st, use hook to catch the lower front loop of the htr and pull it to the back of the stitch, work remainder of dc as normal.

Lower back/front loop: When a htr is worked, you will notice (from the RS) a loop behind the stitch. This is usually called the lower back loop.

When the row turns, you are now looking at the WS of the htr and this loop is at the front of the stitch. This is the loop you will be using.

Working in spaces (used for Edging): Insert hook between the posts of the stitches below instead of under the loops at the top of the stitch.



PATTERN

Commence with a chain 1.8 m (6ft) in length. Work more/less ch to adjust the length.

Row 1: 1htr in 3rd chain from hook. 1htr in each remaining ch, turn.

Row 2: 1ch, 1mdc in first st, 1ch - always counts as 1mhtr, 1mhtr in each remaining st to end, turn.

Row 3: 1ch, (Working in lower front loop throughout row), 1dc in first st, 1ch - always counts as 1htr, 1htr in each remaining st to end, turn.

Row 4: As Row 2.

Row 5: As Row 3.

Row 6: As Row 2.

Row 7: As Row 3.

The scarf will now measure 12.5 - 15 cm (5-6") wide. The border will add another 2.5 cm (1"). Should you wish to make the scarf wider you may work more/less Row 2 and 3 repeats. You should always end with Row 3.

With RS still facing towards you, proceed to Edging.

Edging

Rnd 1: 1ch, *work in the spaces between htr (See Special Stitches/Methods), 3dc in first sp, 1dc in each sp across with 3dc in final sp, rotate, 1ch, (1dc between the 'v' of each rib, 1ch) 3 times (or rep as required to edge the end of the scarf), rotate and rep from *, ss to first dc to finish.

Fasten off and neaten ends.

Add a fringe if desired.

US VERSION

US Abbreviation	US Term
ch	chain
hdc	half double crochet
mhdc	modified half double crochet (See Special Stitches/Methods)
msc	modified single crochet (See Special Stitches/Methods)
rnd	round
RS	right side
sc	single crochet
sl st	slip stitch
yo	yarn over

SPECIAL STITCHES/METHODS

Modified half double crochet (mhdc): yo, insert hook from back to front under both loops of next st, use hook to catch the lower front loop of the hdc and pull it to the back of the stitch, work remainder of hdc as normal. When working into the end stitch, work into the ch in the same manner catching the lower back lp of the ch.

Modified single crochet (msc): insert hook from back to front under both loops of next st, use hook to catch the lower front loop of the hdc and pull it to the back of the stitch, work remainder of sc as normal.

Lower back/front loop: When a hdc is worked, you will notice (from the RS) a loop behind the stitch. This is usually called the lower back loop.

When the row turns, you are now looking at the WS of the hdc and this loop is at the front of the stitch. This is the loop you will be using.

Working in spaces (used for Edging): Insert hook between the posts of the stitches below instead of under the loops at the top of the stitch.



PATTERN

Commence with a chain 1.8 m (6ft) in length. Work more/less ch to adjust the length.

Row 1: 1hdc in 3rd chain from hook. 1hdc in each remaining ch, turn.

Row 2: 1ch, 1msc in first st, 1ch - always counts as 1mhdc, 1mhdc in each remaining st to end, turn.

Row 3: 1ch, (Working in lower front loop throughout row), 1sc in first st, 1ch - always counts as 1hdc, 1hdc in each remaining st to end, turn.

Row 4: As Row 2.

Row 5: As Row 3.

Row 6: As Row 2.

Row 7: As Row 3.

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With RS still facing towards you, proceed to Edging.

Edging

Rnd 1: 1ch, *work in the spaces between hdc (See Special Stitches/Methods), 3sc in first sp, 1sc in each sp across with 3sc in final sp, rotate, 1ch, (1sc between the 'v' of each rib, 1ch) 3 times (or rep as required to edge the end of the scarf), rotate and rep from *, sl st to first sc to finish.

Fasten off and neaten ends.

Add a fringe if desired.