FREE CROCHET PATTERN

Men's Waffle Stitch Scarf

A thick, squishy textured scarf · 7.5 × 66 in · US terms

SKILL LEVEL	SIZE	HOOK
Easy+	**7.5 × 66 in**	**5.5 mm (US I-9)**
YARN	**STITCHES**	**TIME**
Worsted, 326 yd	**dc, FPdc**	**About 8 hours**

Materials

- Worsted (#4) wool or wool-blend in charcoal, about 326 yd (+ 40 yd for an optional fringe)
- 5.5 mm (US I-9) hook, tapestry needle

Abbreviations (US terms)

ch	chain	**FPdc**	front post double crochet: dc worked around the post
dc	double crochet	**st(s)**	stitch(es)

The waffle texture comes from FPdc: on each row the post stitches move over, so they form little raised squares. The ch 2 at the start of each row counts as a dc.

Scarf

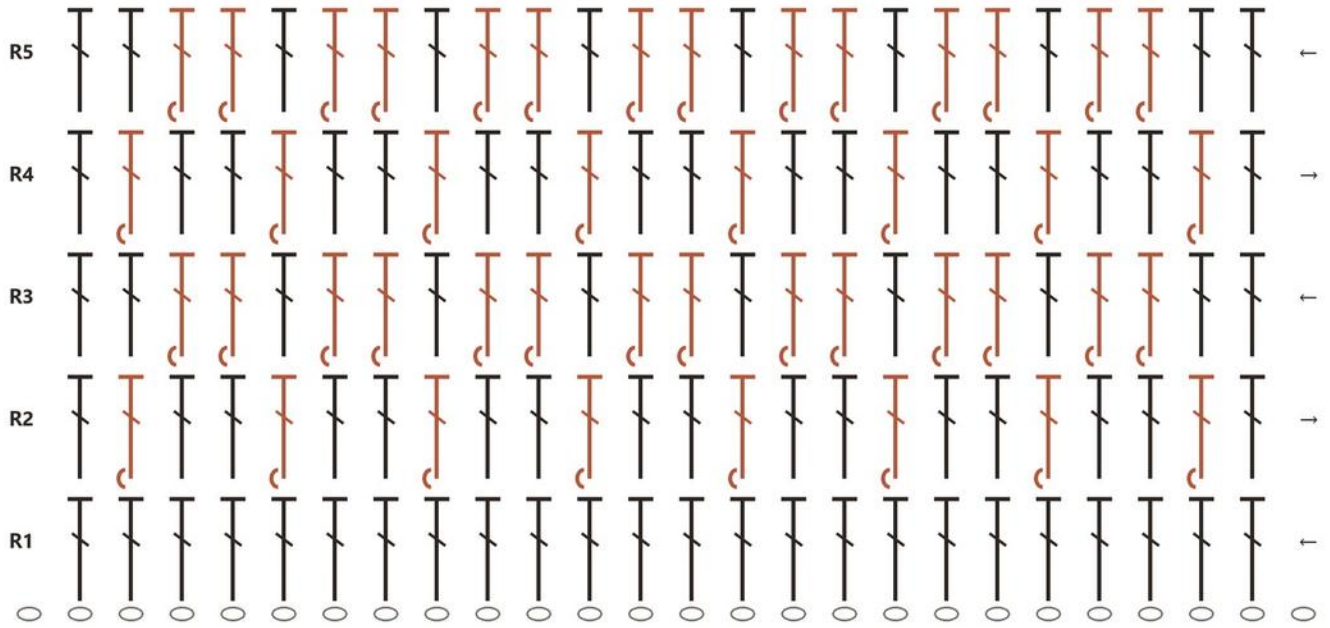
Foundation	Ch 26.	
Row 1	Dc in the 4th ch from the hook (the skipped ch count as a dc) and in each ch across. Turn.	**(24)**
Row 2	Ch 2 (counts as a dc here and throughout), *FPdc around the next st, dc in the next 2 sts; repeat from * to the last 2 sts, FPdc around the next st, dc in the top of the turning ch. Turn.	**(24)**
Row 3	Ch 2, *dc in the next st (the FPdc), FPdc around each of the next 2 sts; repeat from * to the last 2 sts, dc in the next st, dc in the top of the turning ch. Turn.	**(24)**
Rows 4 on	Repeat Rows 2 and 3 until the scarf is 66 in long (about 132 rows), ending with a Row 2. Fasten off.	

Finishing

Ends	Weave in the ends along the edge stitches.
Fringe (optional)	Cut 48 strands of 12 in. Fold 2 strands in half and knot them into every other st along each short end (12 knots per end).

Waffle Stitch Scarf · Row Chart

24 sts wide. Rows 2 and 3 repeat. Orange = FPdc (worked around the post), black = dc.



T with a bar = dc hooked T (orange) = FPdc · ch 2 at the start of a row counts as a dc · 7.5 × 66 in · 326 yd (+ 40 yd for fringe)

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