Tip: Wear the hat with the band down for a trendy look or roll the band upward for a shorter, beanie style.

BASIC BEANIE & SCARF SET

Stitch a cozy hat and scarf set that's a perfect gift or to keep for yourself. The hat is designed to fit most sizes, so choose a sweater knit with plenty of stretch. Choose lightweight knit to produce a drapey scarf, or heavyweight knit to create a stiffer scarf and fitted hat.

SUPPLIES

- 1¹/₄ yards of sweater knit (more yardage needed if pattern matching)
- All-purpose thread
- Rotary cutting system
- Needles: ballpoint & hand sewing
- Straight ruler

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Download the Basic Beanie & Scarf Set pattern at sewnews.com/web_ extras until Nov. 30, 2017. Purchase the pattern at shopsewitall.com after the expiration date. Print, and then cut out the pattern.

From the sweater knit, cut two 20"×40" rectangles for the scarf, two hat pattern pieces and one 8"×21" rectangle for the hat band.

Tip: The featured scarf is designed to be long and wrapped twice around the neck for a casual look or wrapped three times for a cozy cowl. For a shorter scarf, reduce the scarf rectangles as desired, as short as 31" long.

CONSTRUCT

Use ½" seam allowances unless otherwise noted.

Position the two scarf rectangles with right sides together. Stitch one short end; press open the seam.

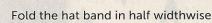
Fold the scarf in half lengthwise with right sides together, aligning the raw edges and seams. Stitch the long raw edge to create a tube (1). Press open the seam allowance.

Making sure not to twist the fabric, turn one tube end inside itself so the fabric right sides are together. Align the short edges and seams; pin. Stitch the tube short edges, leaving a 4"-wide opening for turning (2).

Turn the scarf right side out through the opening. Fold the opening seam allowances to the fabric wrong side. Blindstitch the opening closed using a hand sewing needle.

Stitch each hat dart with right sides together.

Pin the hat pieces with right sides together, aligning the darts and perimeter. Stitch the hat perimeter, leaving the lower edge open; press open the seams. Quarter-mark the hat lower edge.



with right sides together; pin. Stitch, and then press open the seam. Fold the hat band in half lengthwise with wrong sides together; pin. Quartermark the hat band raw edge.

Position the hat band over the hat lower edge, aligning the raw edges and quarter-marks; pin, and then stitch. Fold the band downward, and then press the seam allowance toward the hat.

