

Suttles Rug Design

This shaggy rug is made by knitting a piece of material into each stitch. The length of the shag depends upon the length of the piece of material, and the colour design of the rug depends upon the knitter. Old flannel shirts make great material strips!

Materials:

Household string

Material cut into strips 2" long and ½" wide

1 pair size 12 knitting needles (American size 1)

Method:

Cast on an odd number of stitches for the width of the rug. Knit one row across.

Row 1: *Knit 1, lay one half of a 2" piece of fabric across the work between the two needles, knit the next stitch, bring the other end of the piece of material to the front of the work. Repeat from * to last stitch, knit 1.

Row 2: Purl across the back of the work.

Repeat rows 1 and 2 for as many times as desired for the length of the rug. Finish off with one row of plain knitting. Cast off.

Make several sections to complete your mat.



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