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Knitted Curly Whirly Scarf



Here's Emily's new Curly Whirly scarf - it's a spiral rather than a ruffle, and it's knitted in more or less the same way I crocheted the [other one](#). I did a bit of stash busting with this one - yarn details are

1 ball of Rowan Cotton Chenille in black
1 ball of Jaeger Merino DK in plum/damson, and
1 ball of Rowan sparkly stuff in a damson colour
1 ball of something purple with a thin lurex thread which I bought in a sale about 20 years ago (it's german in origin, but don't remember the manufacturer)

Part of a cone of heavy black thread with little tufts of lurex and viscose-y fluff at intervals in purples, greens and pinks (the colours are like oil on water) for the edging, bought on eBay recently.

With the exception of the thread, the other yarns were used 2 at a time to make up the right weight to go with the chenille weight, on US Size 11 needles (what *is* that in UK? - completely escapes me at the moment)



Cast on 180 stitches, and in the first row, use a yarn over increase in between each stitch. Purl 1 row.

Next increase row is a yarn over increase in between every other stitch. Purl 1 row.

Carry on in this way, the increases are all on the knit rows, each increase row there is one more stitch between increases. The cast off row is also done in this way, there is an increase in each stitch before casting off each stitch individually .