

Heavenly Check Scarf

Project specs for two scarves

Weave structure

Plain weave

Finished dimensions

13½" X 62" plus 5" fringe

Warp

12 gauge bambu

Weft

12 gauge bambu

Warp length

4 ½ yards

Total number of ends

360

Width in reed

15"

EPI

24

PPI

24

Reed

12 dent

Sley

2/ dent

Heddles

90 per shaft



This simple classic scarf in 12 gauge bambu is fun, fast and easy to weave. The scarf was designed by Eben (Jane's son!) and has long been a studio favourite. This kit is available in three beautiful colourways.

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Warp Threading Sequence

Select your colourway and wind a 4 ½ yard warp following the thread count sequence identified in the charts below

Eben's Classic

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|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|--|----|--|
| Aruba | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | | | | | |
| Carob | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | |
| Fig | | | | | | | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | |

Autumn Flame

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|--------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|--|----|--|
| Cerise | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | | | | | |
| Carob | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | |
| Ginger | | | | | | | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | |

Orient Express

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|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|--|----|--|
| China Red | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | | | | | |
| Carob | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | |
| Wine | | | | | | | | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | |

Weaving

We use our loom waste at the front apron to be used for our first fringe.

Lay in your header yarn to spread out your warp. Throw two picks of plain weave and hemstitch in bundles of 6.

Begin weaving your checks following the colour order in your warp. You have enough warp for two scarves. Each scarf can be woven 70" long if you use the front tie-on for your first fringe and the warp going through the heddles at the end for your last fringe.

When you have woven your first scarf throw two more picks of plain weave and hemstitch. Advance your warp 10" and begin your second scarf.

Play & have fun! You might want to change your weft colours for the second scarf. You could make one end different than the other. You could have rectangles or squares or a mix of both.

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The Design Process

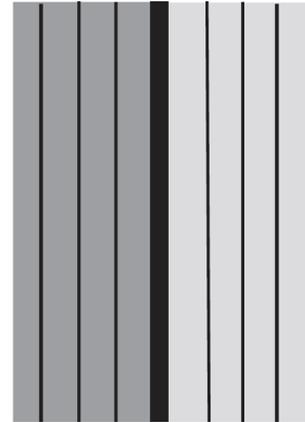
The following sketches show the process which was followed in the designing of this scarf



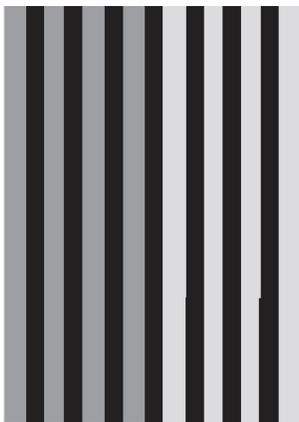
First the scarf started out as a two stripe, one side Fig, one side Aruba



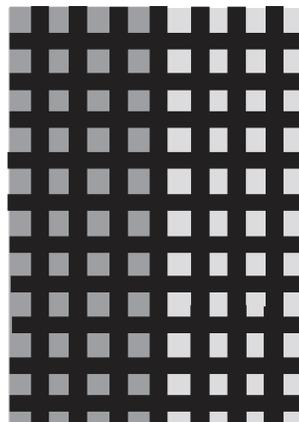
Then a centre stripe of Carob was placed down the middle



Each side was further divided with three lines evenly spaced.



The lines were filled in with carob the same width as the centre stripe. The stripes of Fig and Aruba were also made the same size



The weft was woven following the colour sequence, squaring each colour to create a perfect check.