



**OMBRE INFINITY SCARF ADDENDUM**  
**to adapt your Churchmouse Classics**  
**'Bias Before & After Scarf' pattern**

*Can't choose your favorite color of Isager Alpaca Merino 2?  
Choose three and make a transitional, ombré-effect loop scarf!*

- Finished Size:** Approx. 88" circumference x 6" wide, after blocking and grafting (bias width across stitches in direction of needle will measure approx. 8½".)
- Yarn:** 3 skeins Isager *Alpaca Merino 2* (270 yds each): 1 each in three colors: Colors A, B and C.  
Or approx. 240 yds each of 3 colors of an equivalent fingering-weight yarn.
- Needles:** US 9 (5.5mm) needles.
- Gauge:** Approx. 19 sts = 4", after blocking.
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**Refer to Churchmouse Classics 'Bias Before & After Scarf' pattern for complete instructions; only the changes are noted here.**

- Provisional cast-on:** With waste yarn and crochet hook, chain 45.  
With two strands of Color A held together and gauge needle, leave a short tail to weave in later, and beginning at the first st chained, knit into the back bumps of your chain 40 times. (40 sts cast on)
- Purl one row.
- Work Rows 1 and 2 as original pattern, changing colors for ombré effect as follows, cutting yarn no longer in use at end of each section:  
Work 58 more rows A+A; work 60 rows A+B; 60 rows B+B; 60 rows B+C; 60 rows C+C; 59 rows C+A. Cut working yarns, leaving a 1½ yd tail for grafting.
- Prepare for grafting:** Working from the fastened-off end of your provisional cast-on, carefully undo the chain (if you've knit into the wrong spot, clip chain and un-pick it) and with your second needle pick up the loops that are released. You will need to 'find' a partial stitch at one end or the other to make up 40 sts. Fold scarf wrong sides together without twisting. Hold two needles parallel in left hand. Thread doubled tail of working yarn from last row worked on a darning needle and graft as follows:
- Grafting:** Set-up steps: Insert darning needle into first st on front needle as if to purl, leave st on needle and pull yarn through. Insert darning needle into first st on back needle as if to knit, leave st on needle and pull yarn through. *Note: Do not pull yarn up tightly, but leave your grafted sts relaxed so they will be easy to identify when you go back to adjust tension later.*

*Continued on reverse...*

**Grafting,  
continued:**

Step 1: Insert darning needle into first st on front needle as if to knit, and lift st off its needle (you do not need to pull darning needle through st at this point).

Step 2: Insert darning needle into next st on front needle as if to purl, but leave st on its needle; pull yarn through but don't pull up tightly.

Step 3: Insert darning needle into first st on back needle as if to purl, and lift st off its needle (you do not need to pull darning needle through st at this point).

Step 4: Insert darning needle into next st on back needle as if to knit, but leave st on its needle; pull yarn through but don't pull up tightly.

Repeat these four steps until all sts have been lifted off needles, ending with Steps 1 and 3. With tip of a needle, go back to beginning of grafting and adjust tension of your grafted sts to match tension of knitted rows.

**Finishing:**

Weave in ends.

Wet block as specified in pattern, except you'll insert your wires into the folds of your loop and pull for a little tension. Allow to dry completely.