



TÊTE DE LOUP

In French a « tête de loup » (wolf's head) is a kind of broom used against spider web. This one was made on a [crochet pattern by Suzetta Williams](#) and is knitted flat in garter stitch. It is an easy and fast pattern.

MATERIALS

- cotton or acrylic yarn for 3 mm needles
- 3 mm needles
- tapestry needle.

SIZE

- length of the base without the loop: about 7 cm
- width : the circumference of your broomstick

REALISATION

Cast on 31 stitches.

Use a knitted cast on for all the stitches (make a stitch, knit, put this stitch on the other needle, knit another stitch with it, etc.).

Row 1: knit all the 31 stitches.

Row 2: slip the first stitch, cast off 10 sts, cast off the slip st on next st, to make a loop, knit to the end. (19 sts).

Row 3: knit 19 sts, cast on 11 sts (31 sts).

Make the 2nd and the 3rd row until you reach the circumference of your broomstick.

ADDITIONAL LOOP

Cast off 18 sts. Pick up 1 st on the wrong side of the knitting. Knit it, cast on 10 sts (12 sts).

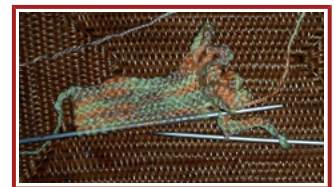
Row 1: slip one, cast off 9 sts, k2tog (1 st).

Row 2: on the wrong side, cast on 1 st., knit it, cast on 10 sts (12 sts.)

Make these two rows as many times as you want to add the number of loop you want. End by the first row. Cut the yarn living a pretty long tail and draw it in the last stitch.

FINISHING

Draw the yarn at the base of the loop, tie firmly. Sew some stitches to secure. Then sew the two sides together to make a tube.



It's done!