



Week 4

There are an infinite number of results by changing colors within a layer. Color changes can happen in one or more layers, all at the same time or not, using 2 or more colors or more than once in a layer.

This week is the Scottish Stitch to yield 4 blocks of color in one square – 2 solid blocks (one of each of the 2 colors used) and 2 multi-colored blocks. Directions include two different ways of doing this weeks square with the same results and you are encouraged to try both methods. There are other methods to weaving Scottish Stitch so don't be afraid to give them a try also.

The only difference between the 2 inch and 4 inch looms is their size and therefore the amount of yarn needed. Instructions have measurements for both square sizes.

Something new: To maintain the scalloped edges the Two Layer Warping/2 Layer Weaving Method is used for the second method

3 Layer Warp

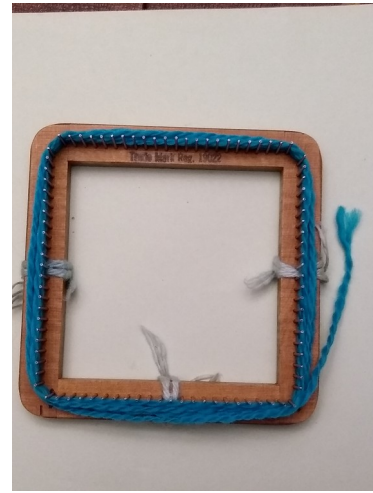
4 inch pin loom
Plain Weave
Color A: blue
Color B: pink

Select 2 colors from your yarns to warp and weave Scottish Stitch.

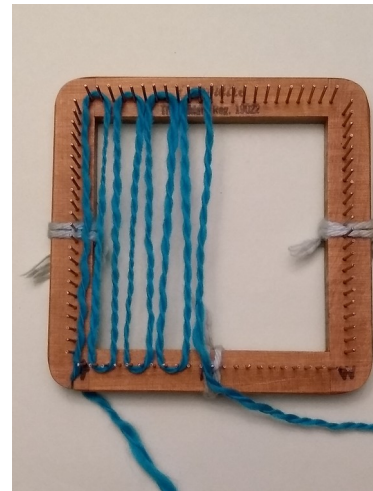
Measuring yarn for layers 2 and 4: Measure Color A by wrapping it around the pins $5\frac{1}{4}$ times ($3\frac{1}{2}$ times for the 2 inch loom) and cut yarn.

Repeat with Color B.

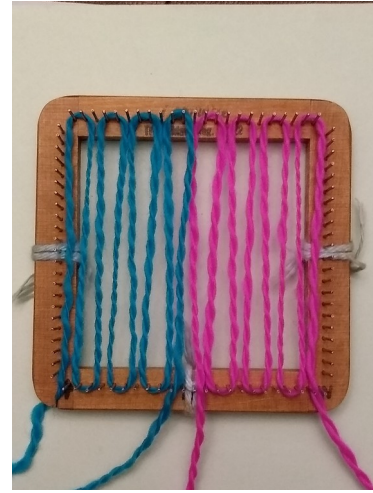
Set both cut sections aside.



Warping Layer 1: Using Color A warp the left half of the loom, do not cut yarn.



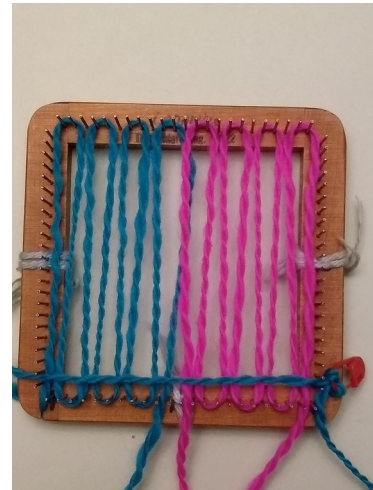
Using Color B warp the right half of the loom, do not cut the yarn. The right tails of both yarns go off to their respective balls of yarn.



From the yarn that was set aside, mark the center of the yarn for both colors, a stitch marker works well for this.

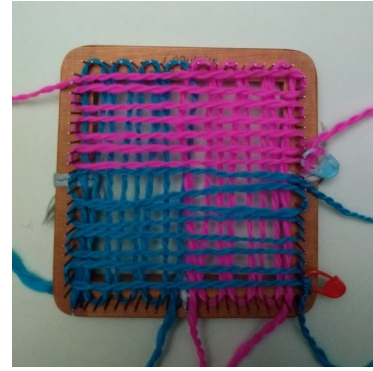


Warping Layer 2: Using Color A warp the bottom half of the loom starting at the marked halfway point of the yarn by going between the bottom 2 pins on the right (red stitch marker).

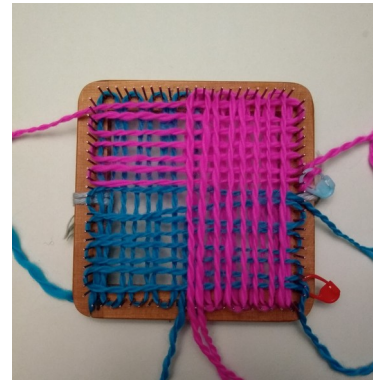


After placing 8 rows of Color A, repeat with Color B for the top half of the loom for 7 rows. Tail will be at the top left corner.

Layer 2 is complete.



Warping Layer 3: From the Color B tail still attached to the yarn supply warp, wrap the pin at the bottom right corner of the loom from the outside to the inside and warp the right half of the loom, 8 vertical warps. Leave enough tail to weave back in when done weaving and cut the yarn.

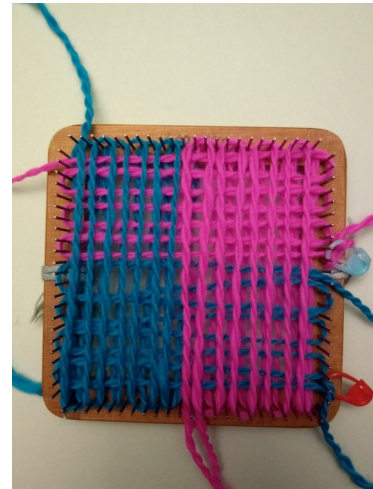


Repeat with Color A for the left side of the loom, 7 vertical warps. Will end at the upper left corner. Leave enough tail to weave in when done with weaving and cut the yarn.

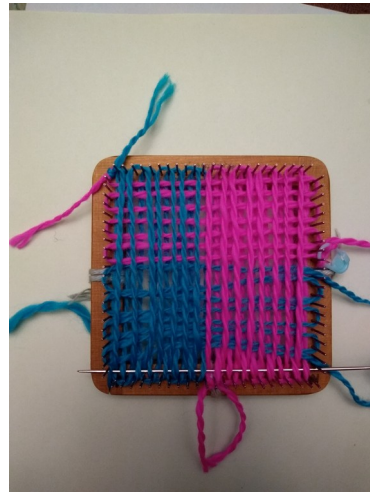
Tie any short tails or affix to the back side of your loom to provide tension while weaving.

Warping is complete and loom is ready for weaving

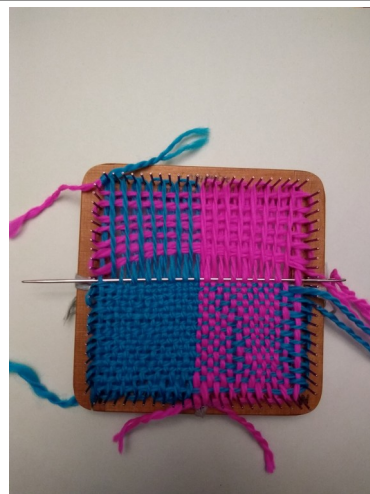
* Should have a long tail of Color A (red stitch marker) at the bottom right corner and a long tail of Color B (light blue stitch marker) at the mid point of the right side *



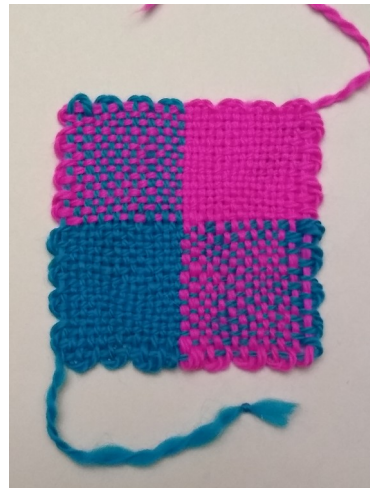
Weave Layer 4: Starting at the bottom right with Color A, remove stitch marker and weave the bottom half of the loom (8 rows)



Repeat with Color B for the top half of the loom (8 rows)



Untie any knots, weave in ends and remove from the loom.



2 Layer Warp

2 inch pin loom
Plain Weave
Color A: white
Color B: dark blue

Select 2 colors from your yarns to warp and weave Scottish Stitch.

Measure and cut for weaving layer: For each color wrap yarn 3 ½ times around pins and cut (5 ¼ times for 4 inch). Set yarn aside.



Warp Layer 1: Starting with Color A warp the left half of the loom.



Take yarn around the center bottom pin and return to the left side of the loom thereby warping layer 2, ending at the upper left corner. Leave enough tail to weave back in when done with weaving and cut the yarn.



Warp the right side of loom with Color B.



Wrap yarn around bottom right pin and return to the center of the loom thereby warping layer 2. Leave enough tail to weave back in when done with weaving and cut the yarn.

Layers 1 and 2 are now on the loom and ready for weaving.



Weaving layer: Thread 2 needles using the 2 ends of the yarn of Color A that was set aside at Step 1. Start weaving at the bottom. Weave first needle through, then second needle. Pull both needles through to put the middle of the yarn at the bottom right corner around the 2nd pin from the bottom. Then continue to weave the bottom half of the loom using one needle then the other for a total of 8 rows (16 rows for 4 inch loom). For more information and tips on the weaving of this way see <http://adventuresinpinloomweaving.com/2018/04/02/design-notes-on-two-layer-warping-two-layer-weaving-2lwsq/>



Bottom half is complete. Both needles will end on the right side of the loom.



Repeat with Color B for the top half of the loom, . First needle will end at the upper left corner while second needle will end at the upper right corner. There will be a 7 rows (15 rows for 4 inch loom) of Color B - 3 for the 1st needle and 4 for the 2nd needle. (7 for the 1st needle and 8 for the 2nd needle for 4 inch loom)



Weave in ends and remove from the loom



If you need help or have comments on how to make these instructions better please contact me via facebook or email carol@akylafarms.com