## TWISTED EDGES: A PHOTO TUTORIAL

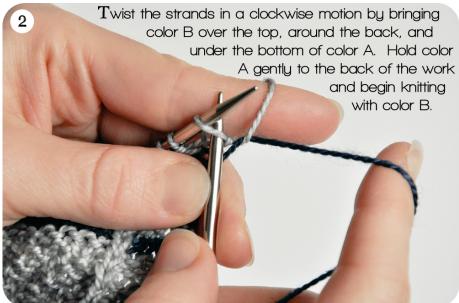
Some of my patterns are written with the option of 2 row striping. In these patterns I recommend twisting the two yarns together at each color change to keep the edge neat and avoid weaving in tons of ends. I have been asked several times how this is done and, while I know it is a very common technique, I've been

unable to direct knitters to an example specifically using two color, two row striping. I put together this brief photo tutorial to show how it is done.

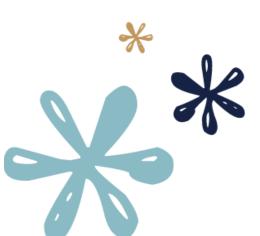
This basic technique can also be used when alternating skeins of hand dyed yarn, or for stripes using more than two colors or more than two rows. In any case, the non-working yarns (no matter how many strands) are treated as one strand and twisted together clockwise with the working yarn.

It might also help to know that I am an English knitter (hold the working yarn in my right hand), and so in photo two I am preparing to knit with "color B".











Tepeat these steps at each color change (substituting the appropriate strands in the instructions). The twisted edge will not look \*exactly\* like the opposite selvedge edge, but it will be tidy and it will save you from weaving in countless ends and stiffening your edge fabric in the process

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