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Scarves



Following a shatnez lecture given by Rabbi Yitzchok Selmar (North Miami Beach, Florida) a woman came forward with the scarf shown in the pictures.

Brand Name:
Eileen Fisher

Content Label:
48% Linen
42% Wool
10% Cashmere



This is an example of real shatnez in a scarf, as well as a case where simply reading the label would have prevented an *issur* of shatnez. She had unfortunately worn the scarf and could not return it.

In Conclusion: Solid colour wool scarves generally do not contain shatnez.

Multi-coloured, knitted scarves or ones that list “other fibers” require testing.

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