

## Using Floral Tape

- Half-Width  
Many patterns call for using half width floral tape to wrap the stems. Floral Tape usually comes in 90 foot rolls of one-half inch wide tape. Half-width means you cut the tape in half lengthwise so that you wrap with one-quarter inch wide floral tape. This reduces bulk and lumpiness of the stem.
- Stretch the Tape Before Wrapping  
Be sure to stretch the tape before wrapping as stretching produces the waxy stickness that makes the tape adhere to itself and to the stem.

