

Custom Fit Fingerless Mitts Worksheet

The pattern that accompanies this worksheet can be found at

<http://www.scknitting.com/spring2005/mitts-to-fit.html>

Size: _____

Materials

Needles: _____

Yarn: _____

Tension: _____

Abbreviations:

M1 = Make 1 stitch by putting your needle under the thread that lies between stitches, twist it (to avoid making a hole), and knit it.

P2tog = Purl 2 stitches together.

Pattern

Using smaller needles, cast on [A]____sts and join for knitting in the round. Place a marker at the beginning of the round.

Work 5cm k1, p1 rib.

Change to larger needles and work 1cm of stocking stitch (knit every round).

Make thumb gusset as follows:

K1, m1, k1, m1, k to end of round

Knit 1 round

K1, m1, k3, m1, k to end of round

Knit 1 round

K1, m1, k5, m1, k to end of round

Knit 1 round

Continue increasing in this manner (working 2 more stitches between the m1's on every second round) until you reach "K1, m1, k[C]____, m1, k to end of round"

Next round: K1, put next [B]____sts onto a holder, cast on 1 st, k to the end of the round.

Continue working rounds in stocking stitch for [D]____ cm.

Change to smaller needles and work 1cm in k1, p1 rib. Cast off neatly in rib.

Thumb

Using smaller needles work k1, p1 rib across the stitches you put on a holder, beginning with a purl stitch Then pick up 3sts at the top of the thumb (where you cast on 1 st after finishing the thumb gusset). Place a marker for the beginning of the round.

Next round: Work rib to the last 4sts, P2tog, k1, remove the end of round marker and purl the last stitch together with the 1st stitch of the next round. Replace the end of round marker.

Work 1cm of k1, p1 rib (beginning with a knit stitch this time!), cast off loosely.

Finishing

Darn in all loose ends, wash and block.