

Warm mittens by mags kandis



What to know to fit average woman circumference: 8"/20cm

gauge

15 sts and 20 rows to 4"/10cm in Stst

abbreviations

Stst- Stocking Stitch: K on RS / P on WS
sts- stitches

K- Knit

P- Purl

K2tog- Knit 2 sts together
beg- beginning

M1- Make 1: Make a stitch by picking up the horizontal loop between the stitch just knit and the next stitch on the left needle. Place on the left hand needle. Knit into the back of the loop.

RS- Right side

WS- Wrong side

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What to gather

yarns

main colour (MC): 120-130 yds of chunky weight yarn*
contrast colour (CC): 4-5 yds of fingering, dk or worsted weight yarn-- you are as limited as your stash and imagination!

needles

1 pair 9 us / 5.5mm needles

stitch holder

embroidery needle

What to do

Left Mitten

With MC cast on 30 sts.

Row 1- K2, *P2, K2. Repeat from * to end.

Row 2- P2, *K2, P2. Repeat from * to end.

Repeat these rows until 14 rows have been completed.

Next Row- K, increasing 2 sts evenly across. 32 sts.
Beg with P, work 3 rows in Stst. **

Thumb Shaping

Row 5- K14, M1, K1, M1, K to end of row.

Row 6 and all following WS rows- P.

Row 7- K14, M1, K3, M1, K to end of row.

Row 9- K14, M1, K5, M1, K to end of row.

Row 11- K14, M1, K7, M1, K to end of row.

Row 13- K14, pass next 10 sts onto holder. Cast on 2 sts. Knit to end of row. 32 sts.

Row 14- P.

Work straight in Stst for 14 rows.

Mitten measures approximately 8 1/2" / 21.5cm.

Top Shaping

Row 29- K1,*K3, K2tog. Repeat from * until 1 st remains. K1.

Row 30 and all following WS rows- P.



Row 31- K1,*K2, K2tog. Repeat from * until 1 st remains. K1.

Row 33- K1,*K1, K2tog. Repeat from * until 1 st remains. K1.

Row 35- K1, (K2tog) 6 times. 8 sts remain.
Break yarn pass through remaining sts and secure.

Thumb

With RS facing and MC, K across 10 sts from holder. Pick up and K 2 sts from cast on edge.
12 sts

Beg with P, work 11 rows in Stst.

Top Shaping

Next Row- (K2tog) 6 times. Break yarn pass through remaining sts and secure.

Finishing

Lightly steam if necessary.

Embellishment

Using the photo as a guide and CC work snowflake pattern in Chain Stitch on backs of mittens.
Join side and thumb seam.

Right Mitten

Work as for Left Mitten until **.

Thumb Shaping

Row 5- K17, M1, K1, M1, K to end of row.

Row 6 and all following WS rows- P.

Row 7- K17, M1, K3, M1, K to end of row.

Row 9- K17, M1, K5, M1, K to end of row.

Row 11- K17, M1, K7, M1, K to end of row.

Row 13- K17, pass next 10 sts onto holder. Cast on 2 sts. Knit to end of row. 32 sts.

Complete as for Left Mitten.

* the yarns used in the sample have been long since discontinued. 100 grams consisted of 100m/ 110 yds and the gauge in Stst was 15 sts and 20 rows. I had just inches of yarn left when this project was complete... I would not suggest 110yds if you want to feel confident you have enough yarn! Though I have not used it myself, I suggest a good yarn to be Knit Picks *Swish Bulky*. The gauge appears spot on and with 137 yds you won't be fretting come the end of your knitting....