

Bulky-Weight Mittens for Magic Loop



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Materials

Yarn: 100 g (100 yards) of bulky-weight yarn.

If working two mittens at one time, you'll need two separate balls of yarn.

Gauge: 3 sts/in. in St st.

Needles: To knit two-at-a-time on Magic Loop: 1 47-inch-long circular needle US size #9 (5.5 mm) or whatever size you require to get gauge.

For knitting one at a time: The above needle will work. You can also use a 40-inch long circular needle in the same size, or two circular needles or 4-5 double-pointed needles.

Notions: Scrap yarn, 4 removable stitch markers, tapestry needle.

Sizes: S(M,L) – Women's Small (Women's Large, Men's Large)

Finished Measurements: Fits a hand 7 ½(8,8 ½) inches around the hand at the widest point; 6 ¾(7 ¼,7¾) inches long from base of hand to tip of middle finger

Abbreviations/Terms

BOR – Beginning of Round

CO – Cast On

K – Knit

K2TOG – Knit 2 Together

M1L – Make One Left

P – Purl

PM – Place Marker

S2KP – Slip 2, Knit, Pass

SM – Slip marker

SSK – Slip, Slip, Knit

Work Even – Continue in the same stitch pattern without increasing or decreasing.

Notes

These mittens are worked in the round from cuff to fingers.

Cuff

CO 14(16,18) using the Long-Tail Cast-On or any preferred cast-on.

Divide sts evenly for working in the round on Magic Loop.

Rnd 1: *(K1tbl, p1), rep from * around [14(16,18) sts].

Tip: Knit carefully. For sizes S and L, if you have divided your sts evenly, the second half of each round will start with a purl stitch.

Next 7(7,9) Rnds: Repeat Rnd 1 [14(16,18) sts].

Increase for Hand

Rnd 1: K.

Rnd 2: K4, M1L, [k3(4,4), M1L] 3 times, k last 1(0,2) sts [18(20,22) sts].

Thumb Gusset

Rnd 1: K1, M1L, PM, k to end, PM, M1L [20(22,24) sts, 3 sts between markers].

Rnd 2: K.

Rnd 3: K to marker, M1L, SM, k to next marker, SM, M1L, k to end [22(24,26) sts, 5 sts between markers].

Next 8 Rnds: Repeat Rnds 2-3 four times [30(32,34) sts, 13 sts between markers].

Remove Sts for Thumb

Next Rnd: K5, slip these 5 sts onto waste yarn. K to last 4 sts, slip rem 4 sts onto right-hand needle without knitting them. Pass these 4 sts directly onto other end of waste yarn [21(23,25) sts remain on needles].

Tie ends of waste yarn together. Do not pull the thumb sts so tight that you can't get your thumb through to try on the mitten.

Hand

Next 11(13,15) Rnds: K [21(23,25) sts].

Tip: Place a marker in a stitch on the first round to make it easy to count how many rounds you've done since the first one.

Decrease for Top of Hand

Next Rnd: K to last 3 sts on first needle, k2tog, k1. Second needle: K1, SSK, k to last 3 sts on needle, k2tog, k to end [18(20,22) sts].

Next 4 Rnds: K [18(20,22) sts].

Next Rnd: (K1, SSK, k to last 3 sts on needle, K2tog, k1), rep on second needle [14(16,18) sts].

Next Rnd: K [14(16,18) sts].

Size Small Only

Next Rnd: (K1, S2KP, k2tog, k1), rep on second needle (8 sts).

Size Medium Only

Next Rnd: (K1, SSK twice, K2tog, K1), rep on second needle (10 sts).

Size Large Only

Next Rnd: (K1, S2KP, k1, k3tog, k1), rep on second needle (10 sts).

All Sizes

Next Rnd: K [8,(10,10) sts].

Next Rnd: (K1, S2KP, k0(1,1)), rep on second needle [4(6,6) sts].

Finishing - Hand

Cut yarn, leaving a 12-inch tail. Thread yarn onto tapestry needle and thread twice through remaining stitches, removing the needles at the end. Pull yarn tight.

Thumb

Place 9 sts onto circular needle and divide evenly for knitting in the round on Magic Loop. Joining yarn, pick up and knit 2 sts along inside of thumb (11 sts).

Next Rnd: K7, SSK, K2tog (9 sts: redistribute on needles if needed). PM for BOR.

Next 6(7,8) Rnds: K (9 sts).

Next Rnd: K3, SSK, K2tog, k to end (7 sts).

Finishing - Thumb

Cut yarn, leaving a 12-inch tail. Thread yarn onto tapestry needle and thread twice through remaining stitches, removing the needles at the end. Pull yarn tight.

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