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Gingerless mitts By Adrienne Ku

A lacy fingerless mitt with garter stitch cuff. Simple increases and decreases create the pointed cast-on edge. The top is finished with a band of garter stitch.


## SIZE

S (L) (Shown in size S )

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference 8 (9)" / 20 (23) cm

## YARN

1 ball Juniper Moon Farm Findley in color \#28 Rusty Copper

## NEEDLES

US $2(2.75 \mathrm{~mm})$ double-point needles, or size used to obtain gauge

## NOTIONS

Tapestry needle, stitch markers, scrap yarn/stitch holder

## GAUGE

30 sts and 42 rows $=4 " / 10 \mathrm{~cm}$ in St st in the round.
24 sts and 50 rows $=4^{\prime \prime} / 10 \mathrm{~cm}$ in lace patt, after blocking.


## ABBREVIATIONS

| beg | begin[ing] | psso | pass slipped |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BO | bind off |  | stitch[es] over |
| CO | cast on | rep | repeat[ing] |
| k | knit | rnd[s] | round[s] |
| k2tog | knit two together | sk2p | Sl 1, k2tog, psso |
| kfb | knit into front and back of stitch | ssk <br> sl | slip, slip, knit slip |
| m | marker | $\mathrm{st}[\mathrm{s}]$ | stitch[es] |
| p | purl | St st | stockinette stitch |
| patt | pattern | YO | yarn over |
| pm | place marker |  |  |

## FINGERLESS MITT (make 2)

## Cuff

CO 75 (90) sts and join for working in the round, pm to indicate end of rnd.

Rnd 1: P.
Rnd 2: *K6, ssk, k2tog, k5; rep from * to end of rnd - 65 (78) sts.
Rnd 3: P.
Rnd 4: *Kfb, k4, ssk, k2tog, k3, kfb; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 5: P.
Rnd 6: *Kfb, k4, ssk, k2tog, k3, kfb; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 7: P.
Rnd 8: *K3, ssk twice, k2tog twice, k2; rep from * to end of rnd - 45 (54) sts.

Rnd 9: P.
Size $S$ only: Rnd 10: K to last 2 sts, pm to indicate new end of rnd. Size L only: Rnd 10: K to last 5 sts, k 2 tog, pm to indicate new end of rnd - 53 sts.

Both sizes: Rnd 11: K2 (3), remove m, k to end of rnd.

## Hand - Thumb Gusset

Rnd 1: K3 (5), pm to indicate end of gusset, *work Row 1 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rad.

Rnd 2: K.
Size S only: Rnd 3: Kfb twice, k1, *work Row 2 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 47 sts.

Size L only: Rnd 3: Kfb, k2, kfb, k1, * work Row 2 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 55 sts.

Both sizes: Rnd 4: K.
Rnd 5: K to m,* work Row $\mathbf{3}$ of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 6: Kfb, k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}$, k to end of rnd - 49 (57) sts.
Rnd 7: K to m, *work Row 4 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 8: K.
Rnd 9: Kfb, k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}, \mathrm{k}$, *work Row 1 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 51 (59) sts.
Rnd 10: K.
Rnd 11: K to m, * work Row 2 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 12: Kfb , k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}$, k to end of rnd - 53 (61) sts.
Rnd 13: K to m, *work Row 3 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 14: K.
Rnd 15: Kfb, k to 2 sts before m, kfb, k1, *work Row 4 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 55 (63) sts.
Rnd 16: K.
Rnd 17: K to m, *work Row 1 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 18: $\mathrm{Kfb}, \mathrm{k}$ to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}$, k to end of rnd - 57 (65) sts.

Rnd 19: K to m, *work Row 2 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd. Rnd 20: K.

Rnd 21: Kfb, k to 2 sts before m, kfb, k 1, *work Row 3 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 59 (67) sts.
Rnd 22: K.
Rnd 23: K to m, *work Row 4 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 24: Kfb , k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}, \mathrm{k}$ to end of rnd - 61 (69) sts.
Rnd 25: K to m, *work Row 1 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd. Rnd 26: K.

Rnd 27: Kfb, k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}, \mathrm{k} 1$, *work Row 2 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 63 (71) sts.
Rnd 28: K.
Rnd 29: K to m, *work Row 3 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 30: Kfb , k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}, \mathrm{k}$ to end of rnd -65 (73) sts.
Rnd 31: K to m, *work Row 4 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 32: K.

## Size L only:

Rnd 33: Kfb, k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}, \mathrm{k} 1$, *work Row 1 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - (75) sts.

Rnd 34: K.
Rnd 35: K to m, *work Row 2 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 36: Kfb , k to 2 sts before $\mathrm{m}, \mathrm{kfb}$, k to end of rnd - (77) sts.
Rnd 37: K to m, *work Row 3 of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 38: K.

## Both sizes:

Next Rnd: K 1 (2), sl next 21 (25) sts onto stitch holder or scrap of yarn, CO 2 sts, k 1 (2), remove m, *work Row 1 (Row 4) of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd - 46 (54) sts.

## Hand - After Gusset

Size S only: Rnd 1: Kfb, k1, kfb, k to end of rnd - 48 sts.
Size L only: Rnd 1: K.
Both sizes:
Rnd 2: *Work Row 2 (Row 1) of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 3: K.
Rnd 4: *Work Row 3 (Row 2) of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 5: K.
Rnd 6: *Work Row 4 (Row 3) of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd. Rnd 7: K.
Rnd 8: *Work Row 1 (Row 4) of Chart A; rep from * to end of rnd. Rnd 9: K.

Work Rnd 2 - Rnd 9 once more.
Work Rnd 2 - Rnd 7 (Rnd 9) once more.

Purl 1 rnd.
Knit 1 rnd.
Work last two rnds twice more.

BO purl-wise.
Note: When binding off purl-wise you may find it helpful to bring the working yarn to the back (between the needles) before passing the first st over the second st. After passing the st over, bring the yarn back to the front (between the needles) to purl the next st.

Cut yarn leaving a 6-8" / 15-20 cm long tail and draw through last st.

## Thumb

Pick up and knit 2 sts in CO sts at base of thumb, k 21 (25) held sts, join for working in the round, pm to indicate beg of rnd - 23 (27) sts.

Knit 6 (8) rnds.
Next Rnd: K2tog, k to last 2 sts, ssk - 21 (25) sts.
Knit 3 rnds.
Purl 1 rnd.
Knit 1 rnd.

BO purl-wise.
Cut yarn leaving a 6-8" / 15-20 cm long tail and draw through last st.

## FINISHING

Weave in all ends, block lightly.

