

Variegated Mittens



- Sizes:** Woman small and medium
Yarn: 2 skeins of Variegated Morehouse Merino 3-Strand (worsted weight, 280 yards)
Needles: set of double-pointed #4 or #5 (size to obtain correct gauge)
Gauge: 5½ stitches = 1 inch over stockinette stitch
Other Tools: 2 small stitch holders for thumbs (paper clip will also work)

Choose from three cuff designs:

Flared Cuff (shown on left)

Cast on 46 (50) stitches. Join and knit 10 rounds. Next round: *knit 2 stitches together, knit 10; rep from * to end of round (on medium, end round with knit 2). Knit 10 rounds. Next round: *knit 2 stitches together, knit 9; repeat from * to end of round (on medium, end round with knit 2). Knit 10 rounds.

Cuff with Garter Stitch Rows



Cast on 38 (42) stitches. *Purl 1 round, knit 1 round, purl 1 round, knit 1 round, purl 1 round, knit 3 rounds; repeat * total of 4 times (or to desired cuff length).

Ribbed Cuff



Cast on 38 (42) stitches. *Knit 1 stitch, purl 1 stitch; repeat from * total of 30 to 35 rounds (desired cuff length). Finish ribbed cuff by knitting 2 rounds.

Thumb gusset: : knit 1 stitch, place first marker, increase 1 (increase by picking up yarn between stitches and knitting into back of loop, so knit stitch appears to be twisted), knit 1, increase 1, place second marker, knit to end of round. Knit 2 rounds. Repeat these 3 rounds total of six times—increasing in first round after first and before second marker, then working 2 knit rounds—until you have 13 stitches between markers. Next round: knit first stitch, place next 13 stitches on stitch holder (or paper clip), knit to end of round (pull yarn tight after that first stitch to avoid gap). Knit 25 (28) rounds (or length to cover little finger).

Decreases for fingertips: *knit 4 stitches, knit 2 together; rep from * to end of round (knit remaining stitches at end of round on this and subsequent decrease rounds). Knit 4 rounds. Next: *knit 3 stitches, knit 2 together; rep from * to end of round. Knit 3 rounds. Next: *knit 2 stitches, knit 2 together; rep from * to end of round. Knit 2 rounds. Next: *knit 1 stitch, knit 2 together; rep from * to end of round. Knit 1 round. Next: *knit 2 together; rep from * to end of yarn. Pull yarn through remaining stitches.

Thumb: place 13 stitches from stitch holder on 3 needles and pick up 3 (4) stitches between first and last stitch. Knit 19 (21) rounds. Next round: *knit 2 together; rep from * to end of round. Pull yarn through remaining stitches.

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