



Baby Cable Wrist Warmers

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Size: One size fits most

Materials: DK weight yarn (approximately 150 meters), 3.50 mm (US 4) double-pointed needles, small piece of waste yarn

Gauge: 6 sts/1" on 3.50 mm (US 4) double-pointed needles, in the round

Abbreviations:

K – knit

K2tog – knit 2 together

P – purl

M1 – make 1 stitch by picking up bar between stitches and knitting it so that it is twisted

RT – (Right Twist) knit the next 2 stitches together, but leave the stitches on needle; then insert right hand needle between the 2 stitches just knitted together, and knit the first stitch again; slip both stitches from the needle together.

Baby Rib Stitch Pattern:

Row 1-3: *k2, p2; repeat from * to end of round

Row 4: *RT, p2; repeat from * to end of round

Right Wrister:

****Cast on 48 stitches. Divide evenly on three needles. Join in the round, being careful not to twist the stitches. Begin stitch pattern and work for 4".****

Set up for thumb gusset: On next round, pattern 3 sts, place marker, M1, place marker (thumb gusset placement), pattern across the next 16 sts, place marker (side of hand), pattern to end of round.

Thumb Gusset:

Work in pattern to first marker, slip marker, M1, k1, M1, slip marker; knit to next marker (16 sts); work in pattern to end of round. Work 2 rounds even, keeping continuity of rib pattern. Repeat these three rounds, increasing two stitches between gusset markers, one after the first marker and one before the second marker, on every third round until there are 15 stitches between gusset markers. Work 2 rounds even, keeping continuity of pattern.

On the next round, pattern across first 3 sts, place the 15 gusset stitches on waste yarn; work to end of round, maintaining pattern as set. Work 4 more rows as set. On next round, work rib pattern all the way around, maintaining cable pattern. Work 1" in baby cable rib. Cast off in pattern.

*****Thumb:**

Pick up thumb stitches, dividing evenly on three needles and picking up 2 stitches over gap at base of thumb (17 sts). On next round, k2tog over the base of thumb (16 sts). Begin working k1, p1 rib. Work 5 rounds. Cast off in pattern.***

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Left Wrister:

Work as Right Wrister from ** to **

Set up for thumb gusset: On next round, pattern 3 sts, place marker, M1, place marker (thumb gusset placement), pattern across the next 33 sts (8 cables), pm, pattern to end of round.

Thumb Gusset:

Knit to first marker, slip marker, M1, k1, M1, slip marker; pattern to next marker, slip marker, knit to end of round. Work 2 rounds even, keeping continuity of rib pattern. Repeat these three rounds, increasing two stitches between gusset markers, one after the first marker and one before the second marker, on every third round until there are 15 stitches between gusset markers. Work 2 rounds even, keeping continuity of pattern.

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Work Thumb as from *** to ***

Weave in all ends. If necessary, use a strand of yarn to close the hole at the base of thumb.