

Polka Dot Mitts

by iinu



Size:

woman's small

Finished measurements:

circumference: 19 cm (7,5 inches)

length: 14 cm (5 ¾ inches)

Yarn:

Drops Alpaca

Needles:

one set of five dpns, size 2,00 - 2,25 mm (0 - 1 US)

Gauge:

32 sts = 10 x 10 cm (4 inches in stockinette stitch)

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INSTRUCTIONS:

Cast on 60 sts. Divide stitches between 4 needles (15 sts on each needle). Join sts and place a marker beginning of the round, if you like. Be careful not to twist stitches!

Work 2 x 2 rib about 5 cm (2,5 ").

Start working from chart, following from right to left.

Continue working until round 16 (2 dots). Now it's time to set side sts for the thumb.

Thumb placement for left hand mitten:

Knit across needle 1. Knit 3 sts on needle 2. Using a piece of waste yarn knit the next 11 sts on needle 2. Next slip these sts back onto left hand needle and continue to knit in pattern. Knit the last st on needle 2 (=15 sts on the needle). Knit across needles 3 and 4.

Thumb placement for right hand mitten:

Knit across needles 1 and 2. Knit the first st on needle 3. Using the waste yarn knit the next 11 sts on needle 3. Slip these sts back onto the left hand needle and continue to knit in pattern. Knit the last 3 sts on needle 3 (=15 sts on the needle). Knit across needle 4.

Continue to knit in pattern 16 rounds (2 dots)

Then knit 1 round using main colour. Work 2x2 rib 5 rounds.

Bind of all sts loosely.

Thumb:

Carefully remove waste yarn and place sts on 4 needles. There will be 22 sts.

Pick up 3 sts at either side of the thumbhole. (= 28 sts)

Using main colour knit 1 round. Then work 2x2 rib for 5 rounds.

Bind of sts loosely.

Finishing:

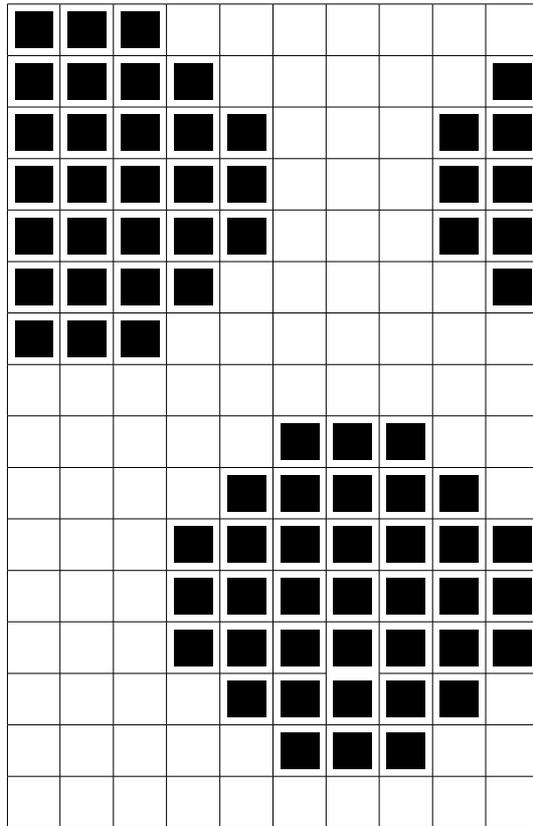
Weave in ends. Steam block lightly.

Enjoy your new mitts!

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Chart 1



10 sts x 16 rounds

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