



Pattern Collection: Accessories



Manitoba Mittens

Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

SIZE

Adult Medium

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Length: 10"

Hand Circumference: 8"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn *Bella Cash Worsted* (60% fine superwash merino, 30% nylon, 10% cashmere; 100g/186 yds)

- 203 Ice – 1 ball

Needle: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) set of DPNs

or size needed to obtain gauge

US Size 6 (4 mm) set of DPNs

Notions: Tapestry needle, cable needle (cn), stitch markers, stitch holder or waste yarn

GAUGE

24 sts x 28 rnds = 4" in Cable patt

Save time, check your gauge.

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PATTERN NOTES

Twisted stitches form the foundation of the cables on the back of these warm mittens. A bold twisted 4x2 ribbing flows seamlessly into the cable pattern. The dense cables are sure to protect your precious hands from the winter elements even in a place as cold as Manitoba!

The Manitoba Mittens are worked in the round from the bottom up.

STITCH GUIDE

2x1 Twisted Left Purl Cross (TLPC)

Sl next 2 sts to n and hold in front, p1 from left ndl, [k1 tbl] 2 times from cn.

2x1 Twisted Right Purl Cross (TRPC)

Sl next st to cn and hold in back, [k1 tbl] 2 times from left ndl, p1 from cn.

2x2 Twisted Right Cross (TRC)

Sl next 2 sts to cn and hold in back, [k1 tbl] 2 times from left ndl, [k1 tbl] 2 times from cn.

2x4 Twisted Rib

(multiple of 6 sts)

Rnd 1: * [k1 tbl] 2 times, p2, [k1 tbl] 2 times; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

Cable

(multiple of 6 sts + 2)

Rnd 1: P1, * p1, 2x2 TRC, p1; rep from * to last st, p1.

Rnds 2-4: P1, * p1, [k1 tbl] 4 times, p1; rep from * to last st, p1.

Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 1.

Rnd 6: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 7: P1, * 2x1 TRPC, 2x1 TLPC; rep from * to last st, p1.

Rnds 8-14: P1, * [k1 tbl] 2 times, p2, [k1 tbl] 2 times; rep from * to last st, p1.

Rnd 15: P1, * 2x1 TLPC, 2x1 TRPC; rep from * to last st, p1.

Rnd 16: Rep Rnd 2.

Rep Rnds 1-16 for patt.

MITTENS

Right Mitten

Cuff

With smaller ndl, cast on 48 sts. Divide sts evenly between dpns, pm and join in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. Work in 2x4 Twisted Rib until piece meas 2½" from cast-on edge. Change to larger ndl.

Main Mitten

Rnd 1: K2, pm, work Rnd 1 of Cable patt over 20 sts, pm, k1, pm, m1, k2, m1, pm, knit to end – 2 sts inc'd, 50 sts. Cable patt will be repeated 3 times.

Rnd 2: K2, sl m, work next row of Cable patt to m, sl m, k1, sl m, knit to m, sl m, knit to end.

Rnd 3: K2, sl m, work next row of Cable patt to m, sl m, k1, sl m, m1, knit to m, m1, sl m, knit to end – 2 sts inc'd, 52 sts.

Rep Rnds 2-3, 3 more times, then rep Rnd 2, 1 more time – 60 sts.

Separate Thumb

Cont as est'd over 23 sts, remove m, slip next 14 sts to holder or waste yarn, cast-on 2 sts using the backward loop method, cont as est'd to end – 48 sts rem.

Hand

Work even in patt as est'd until Hand meas 8¼" from cast-on edge, or 1¼" less than desired length.

Shape Tip

Note: Maintain Cable patt as much as possible throughout shaping. Remove markers when necessary during shaping in order to work decreases.

Rnd 1: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 19 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 44 sts rem.

Rnd 2: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 17 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 40 sts rem.

Rnd 3: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 15 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 36 sts rem.

Rnd 4: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 13 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 32 sts rem.

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Rnd 5: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 11 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 28 sts rem.

Rnd 6: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 9 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 24 sts rem.

Rnd 7: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 7 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 20 sts rem.

Rnd 8: K1, ssk, cont as est'd over 5 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd, 16 sts rem.

Place first 8 sts on one ndl and last 8 sts on separate ndl. Graft the 2 sets of sts together using Kitchener stitch.

Thumb

Return held Thumb sts to larger dpns. Beg at cast-on edge of Mitten, pick up and knit 1 st from cast-on edge, k14, pick up and knit 1 st from cast-on edge. Divide sts evenly between dpns, pm and join in the rnd – 16 sts.

Knit until Thumb meas 1½" from picked-up edge, or ½" less than desired length.

Shape Thumb Tip

Rnd 1: * K2, k2tog; rep from * to end – 4 sts dec'd, 12 sts rem.

Rnd 2: * K1, k2tog; rep from * to end – 4 sts dec'd, 8 sts rem.

Rnd 3: * K2tog; rep from * to end – 4 sts dec'd, 4 sts rem. Break yarn leaving 6" tail. Thread tail through rem sts, pull taut, fasten off.

Left Mitten

Cuff

Work as for Right Mitten.

Main Mitten

Rnd 1: K23, pm, m1, k2, m1, pm, k1, pm, work Rnd 1 of Cable patt over 20 sts, k2. – 2 sts inc'd, 50 sts.

Rnd 2: [Knit to m, sl m] 2 times, k1, sl m, work next rnd of Cable patt to m, sl m, k2.

Rnd 3: Knit to m, sl m, m1, knit to m, m1, sl m, k1, sl m, work next rnd of Cable patt over 20 sts, k2 – 2 sts inc'd, 52 sts.

Rep Rnds 2-3, 3 more times, then rep Rnd 2, 1 more time – 60 sts.

Separate Thumb

Knit to m, remove m, slip next 14 sts to holder or waste yarn, cast-on 2 sts using the backwards loop method, cont as est'd to end – 48 sts on ndl.

Hand

Work even in patt as est'd until Hand meas 4¼" from cast-on edge, or 1¼" less than desired length.

Shape Tip

Note: Maintain Cable patt as much as possible throughout shaping.

Rnd 1: Ssk, k19 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 44 sts rem.

Rnd 2: Ssk, k17 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 40 sts rem.

Rnd 3: Ssk, k15 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 36 sts rem.

Rnd 4: Ssk, k13 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 32 sts rem.

Rnd 5: Ssk, k11 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 28 sts rem.

Rnd 6: Ssk, k9 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 24 sts rem.

Rnd 7: Ssk, k7 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 20 sts rem.

Rnd 8: Ssk, k5 sts, k2tog, k1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 4 sts dec'd, 16 sts rem.

Place first 8 sts on one ndl and last 8 sts on separate ndl. Graft the 2 sets of sts together using Kitchener stitch.

Thumb

Work as for Left Thumb.

FINISHING

Block to finished measurements and weave in ends.

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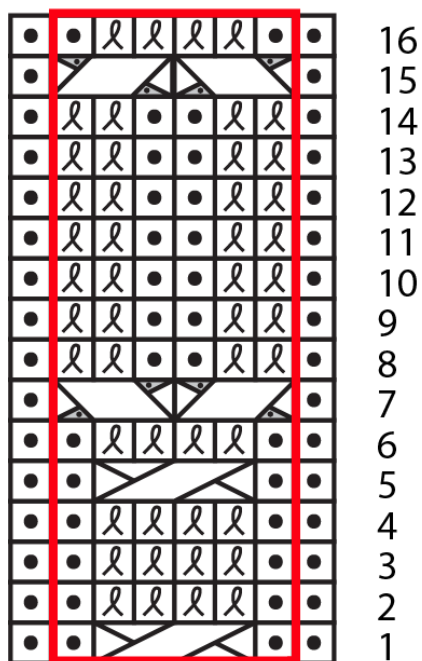
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Abbreviations

beg	begin(ning)	meas	measures
cn	cable needle	ndl	needle
cont	continue	p	purl
dec('d)	decrease(d)	patt	pattern
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)	pm	place marker
est'd	established	rem	remain(ing)
inc('d)	increase(d)	rep	repeat
k	knit	rnd	round
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)	sl	slip
m	marker	ssk	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
m1	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)	st(s)	stitch(es)
		tbl	through the back loop(s)







Cable



2x4 Twisted Rib



Key

-  pattern repeat
-  purl
-  knit tbl
-  2x1 TRPC
-  2x1 TLPC
-  2x2 TRC

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