

Size U.S. I/9 ( 5.5 mm ) Susan Bates ${ }^{\circledR}$ Silvalume ${ }^{\circledR}$ crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge. Small amount of black worsted weight yarn. Susan Bates ${ }^{\circledR}$ yarn needle.


## ABBREVIATIONS

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Approx = Approximately
Beg=Begin(ning)
Ch = Chain(s)
Dc = Double crochet
Hdc = Half double crochet
Hdc2tog = (Yoh and draw up a
loop in next stitch) twice. Yoh and
draw through all loops on hook
Rep = Repeat
Rem = Remain(ing)
\(\operatorname{Rnd}(\mathbf{s})=\) Round(s)
RS = Right side
\(\mathbf{S c}=\) Single crochet
\(\mathbf{S c b l}=\) Single crochet in back
loop only
Sl st = Slip stitch
Sp(s) = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
Yoh = Yarn over hook
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## SIZES

To fit child: 2/4 (4/6-6/8) yrs.

## Finished Hand Measurement

 2/4 yrsApprox 512 " $[14 \mathrm{~cm}]$ circumference $x$ 7" [18 cm] long with cuff unfolded.

4/6 yrs
Approx 6" [15 cm ] circumference x $81 / 22^{\prime \prime}[21.5 \mathrm{~cm}]$ long with cuff unfolded.

6/8 yrs
Approx $61 / 2 "$ [16.5 cm] circumference x 10 " [ 25.5 cm ] long with cuff unfolded.

## GAUGE

9 sc and 12 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ].

## INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written 2/4 (4/6-6/8). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

## Notes:

- Cuff is worked back and forth in rows. Short ends are joined tog with a row of sl sts to form a tube.
- All other sections are worked in joined rnds.
- Join all rnds with sl st to first st.
- Ch 2 at beg of rnds does not count as hdc.


## MITTENS

Right Mitten
**Cuff
Ch 8.
1 st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 7 sc.
2nd row: Ch 1.1 scbl in each sc to end of row. Turn.
Rep 2nd row 10 (12-14) times more.

Join Cuff in rnd: With RS tog and working through both thicknesses of first and last rows, slip st in each st across. Do not fasten off.

## Palm

Turn work sideways and work across side edge as follows:
1st rnd: (RS). Ch 1.1 sc in same sp as sl st. Work 12 (13-14) sc evenly spaced around. Join. 13 (14-15) sc. 2nd rnd: Ch 2.1 hdc in each st around. Join. 13 (14-15) hdc.
Rep 2nd rnd 1 (2-3) time(s) more.**

## Thumb Opening

Next rnd: Ch 2.1 hdc in each of first 7 (8-9) hdc. Ch 3. Skip next 3 hdc .1 hdc in each of last 2 hdc . Join. 10 (11-12) hdc and ch-3 sp.

## ***Mitten Top

1st rnd: Ch 2.1 hdc in each hdc to next ch-3 sp. Working in top loops of chains, 1 hdc in each of next 3 ch .1 hdc in each hdc to end of rnd. Join. 13 (14-15) hdc.
2nd rnd: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc around. Join.
Rep 2nd rnd 0 (1-2) time(s) more.
Next rnd: Ch 2. Hdc2tog. *1 hdc in next hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * 2 (3-3) times more. 1 hdc in each of last 2 (0-1) hdc. Join. 9 (9-10) sts.

## Sizes $4 / 6$ and $6 / 8$ only: Next rnd:

Ch 2.1 hdc in each hdc around. Join.
Rep last rnd (0-1) time more.
All sizes: Next rnd: Ch 2 (Hdc2tog) 4 times. 1 hdc in each of last 1 (1-2) hdc. Join. 5 (5-6) sts. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Weave tail through rem sts. Pull gently to close. Fasten securely.

## Thumb

1st rnd: With RS facing of Thumb Opening, join yarn with sl st to first rem loop of Thumb chain. Ch 2. Working in rem loops of Thumb chain, 1 hdc in each st around opening. Join. 6 hdc.
2nd rnd: Ch 2.1 hdc in each hdc around. Join.
Rep 2nd rnd 0 (1-2) time(s) more.
Next rnd: Ch 2. (Hdc2tog) 3 times. Join. 3 sts.
Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Weave tail through rem sts. Pull gently to close. Fasten securely.***

## Left Mitten

Work from ${ }^{* *}$ to ${ }^{* *}$ as given for Right Mitten.

## Thumb Opening

Next rnd: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of first 2 hdc. Ch 3 . Skip next 3 hdc. 1 hdc in each rem hdc around Join. 10 (11-12) hdc and ch-3 sp.

Work from ${ }^{* * *}$ to ${ }^{* * *}$ as given for Right Mitten.

## FINISHING

With black worsted weight yarn, embroider 3 claws as shown in picture using satin stitch.


SATIN STITCH

