



## PATONS® CLASSIC WOOL VALENTINE MITTENS (TO KNIT)

SIZES To fit: Lady (Man).

MATERIALSPatons® Classic Wool (100 g/3.5 oz)00207 (Rich Red)3 ball(s)

Set of four sizes 3.75 mm (U.S. 5) and 4 mm (U.S. 6) double-pointed knitting needles or size needed to obtain tension. Safety pin.

## TENSION

22 sts and 28 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] with larger needles in stocking st.

## INSTRUCTIONS

Right Mitten (make 1 for Her)

\*\*With set of 4 smaller double-pointed needles, cast on **42** (**48**) sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles, having **14** (**16**) sts on 1st and 2nd needles and **14** (**16**) sts on 3rd needle. Join in rnd, placing marker on first st. **1st rnd:** \*K1. P1. Rep from \* around. Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing for 2½ ins [6 cm].

Change to larger needles and knit 7 rnds.\*\*

**Shape thumb gusset: 1st rnd:** K22 (25). Inc 1 st in each of next 2 sts. Knit to end of rnd.

2nd and alt rnds: Knit.

**3rd rnd:** K22 (25). Inc 1 st in next st. K2. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd.

**5th rnd:** K22 (25). Inc 1 st in next st. K4. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd.

**7th rnd:** K22 (25). Inc 1 st in next st. K6. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd. **50** (56) sts.

**9th rnd:** K22 (25). Inc 1 st in next st. K8. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd. **52** (58) sts.

**11th rnd:** K**22** (25). Inc 1 st in next st. K10. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd. **54** (60) sts.

**13th rnd:** K**36** (**39**). Slip last 14 sts onto safety pin (thumb opening). Knit to end of rnd.

\*\*\*14th rnd: Knit to end of rnd, casting on 2 sts over slipped sts. 42 (48) sts.

Knit in rnds until work after ribbing measures **6** (6½) ins [**15** (**16.5**) cm].

**Rearrange sts as follows: 21** (24) sts on 1st needle, **10** (12) sts on 2nd needle and **11** (12) sts on 3rd needle.

Shape top: 1st rnd: 1st needle: K1. ssk. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. 2nd needle: K1. ssk. Knit to end of needle. 3rd needle: Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.
2nd rnd: Knit.
Rep last 2 rnds until there are 10 (12) sts rem.
Graft 2 sets of 5 (6) sts tog.

**Optional:** Cast off rem **10** (**12**) sts. Sew top seam.



ABBREVIATIONS: www.patonsyarns.com/glossary



**Thumb:** Join yarn to base of thumb, pick up and knit 2 sts. K14 from safety pin. Divide these 16 sts onto 3 needles. Knit in rnds until work from pick up row measures 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>) ins [5.5 (6) cm].

Next rnd: (K2. K2tog) 4 times. 12 sts.

Next rnd: (K1. K2tog) 4 times. 8 sts.

Next rnd: (K2tog) 4 times. 4 sts.

Break yarn leaving a long end. Thread end through rem 4 sts. Draw up and fasten securely.\*\*\*

Left Mitten (make 1 for Him) Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Right Mitten.

# Shape thumb gusset: 1st rnd: K18 (21). Inc 1 st in each of next 2 sts. Knit to end of rnd.

2nd and alt rnds: Knit.

3rd rnd: K18 (21). Inc 1 st in next st. K2. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd.

**5th rnd:** K18 (21). Inc 1 st in next st. K4. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd.

**7th rnd:** K18 (21). Inc 1 st in next st. K6. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd. 50 (56) sts.

9th rnd: K18 (21). Inc 1 st in next st. K8. Inc 1 st in next Graft 2 sets of 15 sts tog. st. Knit to end of rnd. 52 (58) sts.

11th rnd: K18 (21). Inc 1 st in next st. K10. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of rnd. 54 (60) sts.

13th rnd: K32 (35). Slip last 14 sts onto safety pin (thumb opening). Knit to end of rnd.

Work from \*\*\* to \*\*\* as given for Right Mitten.

#### LOVER'S MITTEN **First Cuff**

With set of 4 smaller double-pointed needles, cast on 42 sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles, having 14 sts on each of 3 needles. Join in rnd, placing marker on first st. 1st rnd: \*K1. P1. Rep from \* around. Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing for 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> ins [6 cm].

Change to larger needles and knit 3 rnds.

# Second Cuff

With set of 4 smaller double-pointed needles, cast on 48 sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles, having 16 sts on each of 3 needles. Join in rnd, placing marker on first st.

1st rnd: \*K1. P1. Rep from \* around. Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing for 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> ins [6 cm].

Change to larger needles and knit 3 rnds.

Joining rnd: K21 from First Cuff. K48 from Second Cuff. K21 from First Cuff. 90 sts. Change to larger needles and knit 7 rnds.

Shape mitten: 1st rnd: K19. ssk. K1. Place marker. K1. K2tog. K39. ssk. K1. Place marker. K1. K2tog. Knit to end of rnd.

Knit 3 rnds even.

**Next rnd:** \*Knit to 3 sts before marker. ssk. K2. K2tog. Rep from \* once more. Knit to end of rnd. Rep last 4 rnds 4 times more. 66 sts rem.

Next rnd: Knit.

Next rnd: \*Knit to 3 sts before marker. ssk. K2. K2tog. Rep from \* once more. Knit to end of rnd. Rep last 2 rnds 8 times more. 30 sts rem. Next rnd: Knit.







