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## What you will need:

Red Heart® Fashion Soft™: 1 ball each 4705 Hot Pink A and 9440 Grey Heather B

1 Set (5) Susan Bates® Double-Pointed Knitting Needles: 3.75mm [US 5]

Yarn Needle, stitch marker, stitch holder

GAUGE: 24 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 32 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Stockinette Stitch. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART\* Fashion Soft\*\*, Art. E845 available in solid colors of 5 oz (141 g), 381 yd (348 m) balls



# Sleek Striped Wristers

Choose two shades of this lighter weight yarn and knit up a pair of wristers for yourself or a friendly gift. They are knit in the round on double pointed needles for a comfy fit.

**Finished measurements:** 5.25" [13 cm] long and 6.5" [16 cm] in circumference

Wristers fit most women.

#### **SPECIAL ABBREVIATION**

**KFB** = Knit Front and Back. Knit both the front and the back of the stitch, (increase 1 st).

#### **NOTES**

Striped Wristers are knit in the round on double-pointed needles. Carry yarn not in use up the side of work. Wristers are worked from bottom to top-cuff/wrist to palm/fingers.

# STRIPED WRISTERS (make 2) Cuff

With **A**, cast on 40 sts divided evenly on 4 double-pointed needles (10 sts on each needle); join to work in the round, being careful stitches are not twisted. Place stitch marker at beginning of round, moving marker with each round.

Rounds 1-4: Knit.

### **Begin Stripe Pattern**

**Rounds 5-6:** With **B** knit. Do not cut **A**, carry up side of work.

**Rounds 7-8:** With **A** knit. Do not cut **B**, carry up side of work.

Rounds 9-20: Repeat Rounds 5-8.

Increase Round

**Next Round:** With **B**, k1, KFB, knit to last 2

sts, KFB, k1 — 42 sts.

Round 2: Knit.

#### **Thumb Gusset**

Round 1: With A, k1, KFB, knit to last 2

stitches, KFB, k1 — 44 sts.

Round 2: Knit.

Round 3: With B, k1, KFB, knit to last 2

stitches, KFB, k1 — 46 sts.

Round 4: Knit.

Repeats Rounds 1-4 until 50 sts.

Next Round: With A, knit.

Next Round: Place 5 sts from beginning of

Round and 5 sts

from end of Round on stitch holder (10 sts).

These are the Thumb sts. Cut A.

**Next Rounds:** Continue in stripe pattern, knit 2 Rounds **B**, 2 Rounds **A**, over remaining 40 sts, carrying yarn not in use up the side of work until you have a total of 10 **B** stripes.

#### Top of Wrister (rolled edge)

**Rounds 1-4:** With **A**, knit. Bind off all sts on last Round.

#### **Thumb**

**Round 1:** Working in the round with **B**, place the 10 sts from the stitch holder on 2 needles (5 sts on each needle), pick up and knit 5 sts from Thumb opening and place on 3rd needle) — 15 sts.

Round 2: Knit.

Rounds 3-4: With A, knit.

Rounds 5-6: With B, knit.

Rounds 7-8: With A, knit.

Round 9: With B, knit and bind off all sts.

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**SHOP KIT** 



# **Finishing**

Weave in ends.

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**A**, **B** = colors A, B; **cm** = centimeters; **K** = knit; **KFB** = Knit Front and Back; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = sttich(es).

