Stich Please



Mix & Match Hat & Mitts

Type: Knit

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Materials

Premier® Yarns Stitch Please™ Worsted (100% Wool; 3.5 oz/100 g, 220 yds/201 m)

MC: 1134-23 On the Rocks – 2 skeins
 CC: 1134-19 Encourage-mint – 1 skein

Needle

US Size 8 (5 mm) 16" circular needle and/or set of dpns and US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 16" circular needle and/or set of dpns or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions

Tapestry needle, stitch markers in 2 colors, waste yarn

Sizes

Hat: Adult Small (Medium, Large) **Mitts:** Adult Small (Medium, Large)

Finished Measurements

Hat

Circumference: 18¾ (20, 21¼)"

Height: 11"

Mitts

Circumference: 6¾ (7½, 8½)"

Length: 71/2 (8, 9)"

Gauge

18 sts x 24 rows = 4" in St st with larger needle Save time, check your gauge.

Skills/Techniques used in pattern:

- Knit and purl stitches.
- Knitting in the round.
- Changing colors.
- M1R and m1L increases.
- K2tog decreases.

Pattern Notes

The Hat is worked from the bottom up in the round with multiple options. The Mitts are worked from wrist to fingers in the round with a gusseted thumb.

Pattern Stitch Guide

Twisted 1x1 Rib (even number of sts)
Row (Rnd) 1: *K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to end.
Rep Rnd 1 for patt.



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Stripe Pattern (any number of sts)

Rnds 1-6: With MC, knit. Rnds 7-8: With CC, knit. Rep Rnds 1-8 for patt.

HAT

With smaller needle and MC, cast on 84 (90, 96) sts, pm and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. Work even in **1x1 Twisted Rib** for 2". Switch to larger needle, work **Stripe Pattern** (beg with Rnd 1) until Hat meas approximately 9½" from cast-on edge.

Crown Shaping

If working with circular needles, switch to dpns when stitches no longer fit comfortably on needles, continue in **Stripe Pattern**.

Rnd 1: *K4, k2tog; rep from * to end – 14 (15, 16) sts dec'd.

Rnds 2, 4 and 6: Knit.

Rnd 3: *K3, k2tog; rep from * to end – 14 (15, 16) sts dec'd.

Rnd 5: *K2, k2tog; rep from * to end – 14 (15, 16) sts dec'd.

Rnd 7: *K1, k2tog; rep from * to end – 14 (15, 16) sts dec'd.

Rnd 8: *K2tog; rep from * to end – 14 (15, 16) sts dec'd.

Rnd 9: K0 (1, 0), *k2tog; rep from * to end – 7 (7, 8) sts dec'd, 7 (8, 8) sts rem.

Cut yarn leaving a long tail, thread tail onto tapestry needle and draw through remaining sts.

MITTS

Note: You may find it helpful to use different color markers to indicate the beg/end of rnd and the thumb gusset.

Both Mitts Cuffs

With smaller dpns and MC cast on 30 (34, 38) sts, pm and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. Work even in **1x1 Twisted Rib** until piece meas 2" from cast-on edge or to desired length.

Switch to larger dpns.

Right Mitt

Setup Rnd 1: Work even in **Stripe Pattern** (beg with Rnd 1).

Setup Rnd 2: Work 17 (19, 21) sts in patt, pm, m1 (thumb gusset), pm, work in patt to end.

Left Mitten

Setup Rnd 1: Work even in **Stripe Pattern** (beg with Rnd 1).

Setup Rnd 2: Work 13 (15, 17) sts in patt, pm, m1 (thumb gusset), pm, work in patt to end.

Both Mittens Thumb Gusset

Work one rnd even in patt.

Inc Rnd: Work in est'd patt to 1st thumb gusset marker, sm, M1L, knit to marker, M1R, sm, work in patt to end – 2 sts inc'd.

Work 2 rnds even in patt.

Rep last 3 rnds 5 (6, 7) more times – 43 (49, 55) sts.

Gusset Separation Rnd: Work in est'd patt to 1st thumb gusset marker, remove marker, sl next 13 (15, 17) sts to waste yarn for thumb, cast on 2 sts to bridge the gap, work in patt to end – 32 (36, 40) sts.

Next Rnd: Work in patt to 1 st before cast on sts, ssk, k2tog, knit to end – 30 (34, 38) sts. Work even in patt until piece meas 6½ (7, 8)" from cast-on edge.

Edging

Switch to smaller dpns and MC, work 1" even in **1x1 Twisted Rib**. Bind off sts in rib.

Thumb

Return 13 (15, 17) held thumb sts to larger dpns and join MC.

Rnd 1: Knit to end, pick up and knit 2 sts at cast on edge of thumb opening – 15 (17, 19) sts.

Rnd 2: Knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, ssk last st of rnd with 1st st of next rnd – 13 (15, 17) sts. Work 4 rnds even in St st. Bind off all sts.

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FINISHING

Weave in ends. Wash and block, if desired.

Abbreviations

CC contrast color

cont
dec('d)
continue
decreased

dpn(s) double point needle(s)

est'd established inc('d) increase(d)

k knit

k2tog knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)

meas measures main color

p purl
patt pattern

pm place marker
rep repeat(ing)
rnd(s) round(s)

ssk slip slip knit (1 st dec'd)

st(s) stitch(es)

St st Stockinette stitch: knit every rnd.

tbl through the back loop



