



supplies

- Tanglewood Fiber Creations (50% angora / 25% cashmere / 25% silk; 198 yd per 56 oz skein), one skein colour chocolate
- One set of four or five US #4 (3.5mm) double-pointed needles
- Stitch markers
- Tapestry needle
- Spare needles or Stitch holder

Gauge: 18 sts and 26 rnds = 4 inches in Stockinette st

notes

Glove fits both right and left hands; make 2. Adult size
 Finished Measurement Circumference: 8 inches
 K = knit K2tog = knit 2 together st = stitch sts = stitches

Each finger will be worked back and forth over a portion of the sts on the needle. The remaining sts can remain on hold on the needles; they will be separated by stitch markers from the sts being worked. If you prefer, the sts not being worked may be placed on stitch holders while each finger is being worked.

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CUT OUT AND KEEP

How to... knit gloves

GIVE SOMEONE A HAND THIS CHRISTMAS

Angora is eight times warmer than sheep's wool, but like wool, stays warm even when wet. They're "fuzz-less" as they're knit, but after wearing the angora blossoms, creating a warm, fuzzy halo for the hands...

Directions

Cast on 36 sts, and divide evenly over 3 needles. Join, being careful not to twist. Work in knit 2, purl 2 ribbing for 20 rounds. Knit 8 rounds even.

Increase for Thumb Gusset

Place marker, increase 1, knit 1, make 1, place marker, knit to end of round.

Round 1: Knit one round even.

Round 2: Slip marker, make 1, knit to marker, make 1, slip marker, knit to end of round.

Repeat rounds 1 and 2 until there are 13 sts between the markers.

Next round: Knit across 13 thumb sts and slide them onto a holder, continue to work around in Stockinette st. Cast on 1 st above thumb sts. Knit even for 1.5".

Divide for Fingers

Index finger: Knit 5 sts, cast on 2, knit 5–12 sts. Knit even for 2.75". Knit 2 together around. Cut yarn, leaving a 6" tail. Using tapestry needle, thread tail through remaining 6 sts.

Middle finger: Pick up 2 sts from cast-on sts of index finger, knit 4, cast on 3, knit 4–13 sts. Knit even for 3.25". K2tog around, end k1. Cut yarn leaving a 6" tail. Using tapestry needle, thread tail through remaining 7 sts.

Ring finger: Pick up 3 sts from cast-on sts of middle finger, knit 4, cast on 2, knit 4–13 sts. Knit even for 2.75". K2tog around, end k1. Cut yarn leaving a 6" tail. Using tapestry needle, thread tail through remaining 7 sts.

Pinkie finger: Pick up 1 st from cast-on sts of ring finger, knit 10–11 sts. Knit even for 2". K2tog around, end k1. Cut yarn leaving a 6" tail. Using tapestry needle, thread tail through remaining 6 sts.

Thumb: Pick up 2 sts from cast-on sts of hand, knit 13–15 sts. Knit even for 1.75". K2tog around, end k1. Cut yarn leaving a 6" tail. Using tapestry needle, thread tail through remaining 8 sts. Weave in ends.

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