

Eclectic Mitts

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Supplies

One skein SouthWest Trading Company Tofutsies,
Noro Kureyon or any sock weight yarn.
Needles: US# 2 (2.25mm) double points
Size: To fit average women's hand, approx 7" diameter hand.

Size up or down in needle size for larger or smaller fit.

Notions: Darning needle to weave in ends, stitch holder or waste yarn, a row counter is helpful.

Gauge: 8 sts = 1" and 12 rows = 1"

MB: Make bobble:

- (k1, p1, k1, p1) into 1 st, turn, p4, turn, k4, turn, p4, turn, sl 4 sts from left needle to right needle, pass 2nd, 3rd, & 4th st, one at a time, over 1st stitch.

Pattern:

CO 54 sts on to one double point needle and work row one

Row 1: (k1, MB, k1, p3) rep. from (rep. from) to end of round.

Divide stitches onto 3 needles & join to work in the round.

Rnds 2 - 6: (K3, p3)

Rnd 7: Purl

Rnds 8 - 25: Knit

Rnds 26 - 37: K1, p1 ribbing.

Rnds 38 - 39: Knit

Begin Thumb Gusset and Lace Pattern:

Rnd1: K53, yo, k1, yo, (3 thumb sts)

Rnds 2 - 3: Knit

Rnd 4: Knit to thumb gusset (53 sts), yo, k3 thumb stitches, yo (5 thumb sts)

Rnds 5 - 6: Knit

Rnd 7: K5, (yo, ssk, k10) 4 times, yo, k thumb sts, yo, (7 thumb sts)

Rnd 8: Knit

Rnd 9: K3, (k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k7) 4 times, end with K9, k thumb sts

Rnd 10: Knit to thumb gusset (53 sts), yo, k thumb sts, yo (9 thumb sts)

Rnd 11: K5, (yo, ssk, k10) 4 times, k thumb sts

Rnd 12: Knit

Rnd 13: K11, (yo, ssk, k10) 3 times, yo, ssk, k4, yo, k thumb sts, yo, (11 thumb sts)

Rnd 14: Knit

Rnd 15: K9, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, (K7 k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk) 3 times end k3, k thumb sts.

Rnd 16: Same as round 10 (13 thumb sts)

Rnd 17: K11, (yo, ssk, k10) 4 times end yo ssk, k4, k thumb sts

Rnd 18: Knit



Rnd 19: K5 (yo, ssk, k10) 4 times. yo, k thumb sts, yo, (15 thumb sts)

Rnd 20: Knit

Rnd 21: Same as round 9

Rnd 22: Same as round 10 (17 thumb stitches)

Rnds 23 -27: Repeat rnds 11-15, ending with 19 thumb sts after rnd 25.

Rnd 28: K53, slip 19 thumb stitches to waste yarn or stitch holder

Rnd 29: Cont in rnd on hand stitches only. K11, (yo, ssk, k10) 3 times yo, ssk, k4

Rnd 30: Knit

Rnd 31: K5 (yo, ssk, k10) 4 times

Rnd 32: Knit

Rnd 33: K3, (k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k7) 4 times end k9.

Rnd 34: Knit

Rnd 35: K5, (yo, ssk, k10)4 times.

Rnds 36 - 40: knit, dec three stitches evenly, 50 sts.

Rnd 41: K2tog, repeat to last stitch, k1 around to end

Rnd 42: (k1,yo) repeat around.

Rnds 43 - 46: knit

Bind off loosely. Turn mitt inside out, fold down picot edge and slip stitch to inside, being careful to not cover the holes of the last lace repeat.

Thumb:

Rnd 1: Replace thumb stitches from waste yarn onto 2 double point needles. With 3rd needle pick up three stitches in the space between these stitches, join and k 1 round. (22 thumb sts)

Rnds 2 - 9: Knit

Rnd 10: (K2tog) repeat around.

Rnd 11: (K1, yo,) repeat around.

Rnds 12 - 16: Knit

Bind off loosely. Secure picot edge as for hand.