



for yarn, hook, & needle



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off kilter mitts *aka ok mitts for Lois*

sizes: m & l

finished dimensions: 6.5 (7)" circumference, 8 (9)" long

yarn: worsted weight, approx 125 yds
{yarn used: Claudia Hand Painted Yarn
Worsted 100% wool; color, Copper Pennies}

needles: US size 7 (4.5 mm) *or size needed to achieve gauge*

notions: cable needle, yarn needle

gauge: 20 sts & 24 rnds = 4"/10 cm
test your gauge to insure desired finish

skills used: knitting in the rnd, cables, backward-loop CO, mid-rnd BO

construction: knuckle down (or knuckle up according to your viewpoint)

Note: Look for **IOW** (In Other Words) for more explanation and **MSP** (Making Sense of the Pattern) for more understanding of processes.

Mitts

Make 2 the same. CO 42 sts and divide 21 sts on each circular or among 4 dpn 10/11/10/11. Join to work in the rnd.

Size M

Rnds 1, 3, 5, 7: (K5, p1, k5, p1, k3, p2, k3, p1) twice.

Rnd 2 (and all even rnds unless otherwise instructed*): Work the sts as they appear.

Rnd 9: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 1/3 LPC, 3/1 RPC, p1) twice.

Rnd 11: (K5, p1, k5, p2, 3/3 LC, p2) twice.

Rnd 13: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 3/1 RPC, 1/3 LPC, p1) twice.

Rnd 15: (K5, p1, k5, 3/1 RPC, p2, 1/3 LPC) twice.

Rnd 17: K5, p1, k8, M1PL, p4, M1PR, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

Rnd 19: K5, p1, k8, BO 6, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

***Rnd 20:** K5, p1, k8, CO 6, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

Rnd 21: K5, p1, k8, p6, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

***Rnd 22:** K5, p1, k8, ssp, p2, p2tog, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

Rnd 23: (K5, p1, k5, 1/3 LPC, p2, 3/1 RPC) twice.

Rnd 25: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 1/3 LPC, 3/1 RPC, p1) twice.

Rnd 27: (K5, p1, k5, p2, 3/3 LC, p2) twice.

***Rnd 28:** (K5, p1, k5, ssp, k6, p2tog) twice.

Rnds 29, 31, 33: (K5, p1, k5, p1, k6, p1) twice.

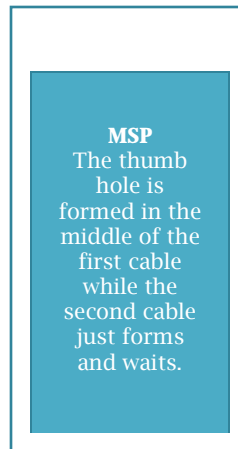
Rnd 35: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 3/3 LC, p1) twice.

Rnd 36: See rnd 2.

Rep rnds 29-36 three times more. Work rnds 29 and 30 again.

BO all sts with sewn BO for a stretchy cuff edge. Weave in ends. Wear either mitt on either hand.

They are reversible!



Stitch Glossary

1/3 LPC: Place next 3 sts on cable needle and hold front, p1 from LH needle, k3 from cable needle.

3/1 RPC: Place next st on cable needle and hold back, k3 from LH needle, p1 from cable needle.

3/3 LC: Place next 3 sts on cable needle and hold front, k3 from LH needle, k3 from cable needle.

M1PL: Lift the bar between sts (running st) from back to front and purl into the front of the st.

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ssp: slip 1 st pwise, sl another st pwise, place LH needle through back of both sts and p2tog.

Sewn BO: Cut yarn end leaving 12" tail. Place a safety pin in first st on needle and leave until finish. Thread end through yarn needle.

Insert needle pwise through first 2 sts on LH needle and pull through.

Insert needle back through first st on LH needle kwise.

Pull yarn all the way through first st on LH needle, and take st off the needle. First st bound off.

Rep until only one st remains on RH needle. Using the safety pin on the first st, lift it onto the RH needle, slip both sts back onto LH needle, and repeat process once more.

Weave in end.

Size L

Rnds 1, 3, 5, 7, 9: (K5, p1, k5, p1, k3, p2, k3, p1) twice.

Rnd 2 (and all even rnds unless otherwise instructed*): Work the sts as they appear.

Rnd 11: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 1/3 LPC, 3/1 RPC, p1) twice.

Rnd 13: (K5, p1, k5, p2, 3/3 LC, p2) twice.

Rnd 15: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 3/1 RPC, 1/3 LPC, p1) twice.

Rnd 17: (K5, p1, k5, 3/1 RPC, p2, 1/3 LPC) twice.

Rnd 19: K5, p1, k8, M1PL, p4, M1PR, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

Rnd 21: K5, p1, k8, BO 6, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

***Rnd 22:** K5, p1, k8, CO 6, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

Rnd 23: K5, p1, k8, p6, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

***Rnd 24:** K5, p1, k8, ssp, p2, p2tog, k8, p1, k8, p4, k3.

Rnd 25: (K5, p1, k5, 1/3 LPC, p2, 3/1 RPC) twice.

Rnd 27: (K5, p1, k5, p1, 1/3 LPC, 3/1 RPC, p1) twice.

Rnd 29: (K5, p1, k5, p2, k6, p2) twice.

Rnd 31: (K5, p1, k5, p2, 3/3 LC, p2) twice.

Rnd 33, 35, 37: (K5, p1, k5, p2, k6, p2) twice.

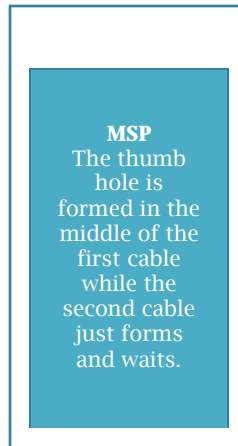
Rnd 39: As rnd 31.

Rnd 40: See rnd 2.

Rep rnds 33-40 three times more (or add more reps for a longer cuff, if desired).

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Photo sample knit with
Butternut Woolens
Silkie

Abbreviations

approx: approximately	P or p: purl
BO: bind off	p2tog: purl 2 together
cm: centimeter(s)	patt: pattern
CO: cast on	rep: repeat(s)
dpn: double- pointed needles	RH: right-hand
K or k: knit	rnd(s): round(s)
LH: left-hand	ssp: slip, slip, purl
mm: millimeter(s)	st(s): stitches
	yd(s): yard(s)

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Have fun knitting!