

TWO-NEEDLE GLOVES

2 oz fingering weight wool and about size 3 needles OR

2 oz sport weight wool and about size 2 needles

Gauge of about 6 sts to 1" should fit most adult women's hands.

(Work 4 pieces exactly alike - garter stitch pattern)

Cast on 55 sts.

Row 1: Knit plain.

Row 2: Increase in first stitch, knit to end.

Row 3: Knit to last 2 sts, increase in next st, K 1.

Row 4: Knit to last 14 sts, turn; (NOTE: SLIP FIRST STITCH AFTER EVERY TURN WHEN IT'S BEFORE THE END OF A ROW)

Row 5: Knit.

Row 6: Knit.

Row 7: Knit to last 2 sts, K 2 together.

Row 8: K 2 together, knit to end.

Row 9: Knit.

Row 10: Bind off 15 sts, cast on 19 sts at beginning of remaining sts (by putting last loop onto lefthand needle, knitting into this last loop and placing the new loop on lefthand needle, knitting into this loop, etc.), knit the cast-on sts, then those remaining on needle.

Rows 11 to 19: Repeat first to ninth rows.

Row 20: Bind off 19, cast on 21, knit to end.

Rows 21 to 29: Repeat first to ninth rows.

Row 30: Bind off 21, cast on 19, knit to end.

Rows 31 to 39: Repeat first to ninth rows.

Row 40: Bind off 28 sts, cast on 17 sts, K 17 and 2 more sts, turn;

THUMB:

Row 1: Knit to end.

Row 2: Increase in first st, knit to gap, K 2 more sts from needle, turn;

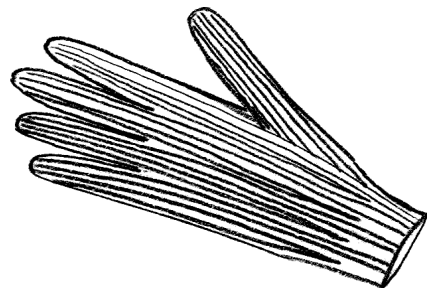
Row 3: Knit to last 2 sts, increase in next st, K 1.

Row 4: Knit to gap, K 2 more sts, turn;

Row 5: Knit to end.

Row 6: Knit to gap, K 2 more sts, turn;

Row 7: Knit to end.



Row 8: Knit to gap, K 2 more sts, turn;

Row 9: Knit to last 2 sts, K 2 together.

Row 10: K 2 together, knit to gap, K 2 more sts, turn;

Row 11: Knit to end.

Row 12: Bind off all sts.

Make another piece exactly like this one, then put the 2 pieces together and sew around both, overcasting edges neatly, starting at wrist edge and ending at other wrist edge.

Make the other glove to match.

NOTE: If you wish a cuff to turn up - merely cast on 10 sts extra at the beginning and leave them in plain garter stitch at wrist edge. Also, you may find, as I did, that an adjustment in st-count of one or more fingers or thumb will truly customize the fit.

This glove is a favorite - it feels wonderful and fits remarkably well!

These instructions are perpetuated by Medrith J. Glover and Emily L. Ocker...
a family favorite for at least 50 years.

