

Frosty Fingerless Gloves

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I wanted a little bit of fancy. So I used a yummy yarn that is so soft. The double moss stitch adds just that little bit of sophistication. The halo of the yarn adds additional depth and reminds me of our morning frost.

You can fancy them up even more with buttons or a pretty crochet flowers. Enjoy!



- Materials** 2 Skeins Blue Sky Alpacas Sport Weight (1 of each color) 70 yards of each color.
US #3 DPN's size needed to obtain gauge
2 stitch marker's
Stitch holder
Blunt darning needle to finish
- Gauge** 6 stitches to an inch in stockenette stitch
- Size** Womens size medium approx 7" around palm. For a larger or smaller hands increase or decrease needle size.
- Glossary** K: Knit P: Purl PM: place marker M1R: make one, right slanting (with tip of left needle, lift strand running between needles from the back, knit into the front of it) M1L: make one, left slanting (with tip of left needle, left strand running between needles from the front, knit into the back of it.
- Pattern** Rounds 1 & 2 K1, P1 Repeat to marker.
Double Moss Rounds 3 & 4 P1, K1 Repeat to marker
Stitch Repeat these four rounds for pattern
- Cast On** With Color A Cast on 45 stitches. Divide evenly between 3 needles. Join in Round.
- Cuff** Work K2, P1 Ribbing for 3 inches.

- Hand Change to Color B, Knit 1 round decreasing 3 stitches evenly in round (42 stitches)
Work next 7 rounds in Pattern stitch
- NOTE: As you work the increases for the Thumb Gusset, you are actually working two sets of your pattern, one within the Thumb Gusset markers and one outside of the thumb gusset markers. Use your initial PURL in the center of your Thumb Gusset as a guide to keep that pattern in line.
M1R, PURL, M1L (this is Round 4 of your pattern stitch)
M1R, Purl, Knit, Purl, M1L (this is your next round, no increases, Round 1 of your pattern stitch.)
- Or you can simplify and do the Thumb Gusset in stockinette.
- Thumb Gusset Round 1: Slip Marker, M1R, Purl (note this purl should match to your pattern) M1L, PM (place marker)
Round 2 & 3: Knit in pattern.
Round 4: SM, M1R, work pattern until marker M1L, SM
Round 5 & 6: Knit in pattern
Repeat rounds 4 -6 until there are 13 stitches between the markers ending with row 6. (54 stitches on needles).
At beginning of round, slip 15 stitches onto stitch holder or waste yarn. This is all your thumb gusset stitches plus 2 stitches.
- Hand Using a cable cast on, cast on 3 stitches (42 stitches on needles)
Join and work in Pattern 12 more rounds or desired length ending on Round 1 or 3.
Change to Color A, Knit 1 round
Rounds 1 – 4 K2, P1
Bind off in K2, P1 rib.
- Thumb Slip to two needles the 15 stitches. With third needle, pick up and knit the 3 cast on stitches. (17 stitches)
Using Color B, Knit 1 round
Rounds 1 – 4 K2, P1
Bind off in K2, P1 rib.
- Finishing Weave in ends, using tail to close any gaps where your thumb meets the mitten. Steam Block if desired. Embellish with buttons, bows, or flowers. “Enjoy”