

SWEATER GIRL KNITS

Vintage and Vintage-Inspired Knit & Crochet Patterns for the
Thoroughly Modern Maven



Cable Stitch Mittens:

Materials Required:

American Thread Company "Dawn" Knitting Worsted
3 - 1 ¼ oz. Skeins White or Colors, 20 yds. Contrasting Color for trim
1 pr. No. 10 Knitting Needles

Gauge: 11 sts/3 inches (Stockinette St)

Entire Mitten is worked with double strand of yarn

Right Hand Mitten

1st Row: P 14, K 3, P 4, K 3, P 2

2nd Row: K 2, P 3, sl the next 2 sts to a spare needle and hold in back of work, K next 2 sts, then K the 2 sts from spare needle, (cable twist) P 3, K 14.

3rd Row: P 14, K 3, P 4, K 3, P 2

4th Row: K 2, P 3, K 4, P 3, K 14

5th Row: P 14, K 3, P 4, K 3, P 2.

6th Row: K 2, P 3, K 4, P 3, K 14

Repeat from the 1st row until 1 row after the 3rd cable twist row.

Next Row: Start thumb increase. Work 14 sts, increase one st by making a loop on right hand needle, K 1, increase one st in same manner, K 11

Next Row: P 16, K 3, P 4, K 3, P 2

2nd Increasing Row: Work 14 sts, increase on st, K 3, increase one st, K 11

Continue pattern increasing one st each side of thumb every other row twice more, working increased sts in stockinette st. (34 sts) Work 1 row after last increasing row

Next Row: Work 14 sts and sl them on a st holder, K next 9 sts (thumb) and slip remaining sts on another st holder

Thumb: Cast on one st at end of thumb sts and work even in stockinette st for 2 ¼ inches. Work 2 sts together 5 times, break yarn leaving an end for sewing, draw yarn through remaining sts and draw together. Overcast thumb seam with single strand of yarn.

Hand: With right side toward you, slip first 14 sts on one needle, join yarn, pick up and K 3 sts on cast on st of thumb, slip remaining 11 sts on free needle and K (28 sts) Continue pattern until there are 7 cables from the beginning and work 1 more row after cable twist row.

Next Row: Start decreasing. K 2, P 2tog, P 1, K 4, P 1, P 2tog, K 4, K 2tog, K 6, K 2tog, K 2 (24 sts)

Next Row: P 14, K 2, P 4, K 2, P 2

2nd Decreasing Row: K 2, K 2tog, K 4, K 2tog, K 4, K 2tog, K 4, K 2tog, K 2 (20sts) P 1 row

Next Row: K 2 tog across row, break yarn leaving an end, draw through remaining sts and draw together. Sew seam with single strand of yarn. Finish lower edge with a row of sc

Left Hand Mitten: Cast on 26 sts. P 2, K 3, P 4, K 3, P 14. Work to correspond with right hand mitten starting each row at end of row and working towards the beginning of row, thus placing cable pattern at opposite end of needle.

If desired, embroider around mitten as illustrated using a blanket st. Starting at cuff of mitten and using a double strand of yarn *bring needle up into Purl section, hold yarn under left thumb, insert needle about ½ inch to right and over the K st, bring the needle out through loop held by left thumb. Repeat from * all around mitten, break yarn. Finish other mitten to correspond.