

Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Color Waves Mittens for Everyone Pattern Number: L60319

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SKILL LEVEL - Easy

SIZES

Child 4-6 (6-8, 10-12, Adult)

Finished Circumference About 6 (7, 8, 9) in. (15 (18, 20.5, 23) cm) **Finished Length** About 6 (7 1/2, 9, 10 1/2) in. (15 (19, 23, 26.5) cm)

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Color Waves (Art. #595)
 - 216 Rainbow 1 (1, 1, 1) ball
 - or color of your choice
- Lion Brand® double pointed knitting needles size 7 (4.5 mm)
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® stitch holders
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



GAUGE

16 sts + 24 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (knit every rnd). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION

M1 (make 1) An increase worked by lifting the horizontal strand lying between needles and placing it onto the left hand needle. Knit this new stitch through the back loop – 1 st increased.

NOTES

- 1. Each Mitten is worked in one piece in rnds on double pointed needles.
- 2. If you prefer, use 2 circular needles instead of double pointed needles.

MITTENS (make 2)

Cuff

Cast on 20 (24, 28, 32) sts.

Divide sts onto needles, with 5 (6, 7, 8) sts on each of 4 needles. Place marker for beginning of rnd. Join by working the first st on the left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle and being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1: *K2, p2; rep from * to end of rnd. Rep Rnd 1 for K2, p2 rib for 2 (2, 3, 3) in. (5 (5, 7.5, 7.5) cm).

Increase Rnd: *K5 (6, 7, 8), m1; rep from * to end of rnd – 24 (28, 32, 36) sts. Work in St st (knit every rnd) for 3 (3, 6, 6) rnds.

Thumb Gusset

Rnd 1: K12 (14, 16, 18), place marker (pm), m1, pm, k12 (14, 16, 18).

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rnd 3: Knit to first marker, slip marker (sm), m1, knit to 2nd marker, m1, sm, knit to end of rnd.

Rep Rnds 2 and 3 until there are 9 (11, 11, 13) gusset sts between markers – 33 (39, 43, 49) sts total.

Knit 1 rnd.

Hand

Knit to first marker. Remove first marker. Slip next 9 (11, 11, 13) sts of thumb gusset to a st holder. Remove 2nd marker. Knit across rem sts – 24 (28, 32, 36) sts.

Work even in St st until piece measures 5 (6 1/2, 8, 9 1/2) in. (12.5 (16.5, 20.5, 24) cm), or to 1 in. (2.5 cm) less than desired length, from cast-on edge.

Top Shaping

Rnd 1: *K2, k2tog; rep from * to end of rnd – 18 (21, 24, 27) sts.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rnd 3: *K1, k2tog; rep from * to end of rnd – 12 (14, 16, 18) sts.

Rnd 4: Knit.

Rnd 5: *K2tog; rep from * to end of rnd – 6 (7, 8, 9) sts.

Cut yarn leaving an 8 in. (20.5 cm) yarn tail. Thread tail into blunt needle and draw through rem sts. Pull to gather and fasten securely.

Thumb

Slip sts from holder onto needles and arrange as necessary. Join yarn; pick up and knit 3 sts along hand edge of thumb gusset opening; knit across thumb gusset sts – 12 (14, 14, 16) sts.

Next Rnd: Slip 2 sts as if to k2tog, k1, pass slipped sts over knit st and off needle (2 sts decreased along hand edge of gusset); knit rem 9 (11, 11, 13) sts – 10 (12, 12, 14) sts.

Work even in St st until thumb measures about 1 1/2 (1 1/2, 2 1/4, 2 1/2) in. (4 (4, 5.5, 6.5) cm), or desired length, from picked up sts.

Decrease Rnd: *K2tog; rep from * to end of rnd – 5 (6, 6, 7) sts.

Cut yarn leaving an 8 in. (20.5 cm) yarn tail. Thread tail into blunt needle and draw through rem sts. Pull to gather and fasten securely.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit
k2tog = knit 2 stitches together
p = purl
rem = remain(ing)(s)
rep = repeat
rnd(s) = round(s)
st(s) = stitch(es)
St st = Stockinette stitch

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