

# Mitten Ornaments



Skill Level
Easy

## **Finished Size**

Each mitten is 2.5 in/6 cm high and 1.5 in/4 cm wide not including the thumb

### Gauge

4.5 sts & 5 rows = 1 in or 2.5 cm in stockinette st.

#### **Materials**

10 grams of heavy worsted weight yarn like Caron One Pound Century Collection, 100% Acrylic Size 8 US/5 mm double point needles or size needed to obtain gauge. Size H/8/5 mm crochet hook Tapestry needle











# Pattern (make 2)

CO 7 sts on the first double point needle (dpn), then 7 sts on a second dpn. Join to work in the round as follows:

Rounds 1-3: [K1, p1] 3 times, k1, [k1, p1] 3 times, k1.

#### **Thumb Gusset**

Round 1: Knit.

Round 2: K5, kfb, k1, kfb, k6. 16 sts

Round 3: Knit.

Round 4: K6, kfb, k1, kfb, k7. 18 sts

## Separate Thumb

K7, place the next 4 sts on spare dpn to work later, k7. Knit 4 rounds.

## **Decrease for Top of Mitten**

Round 1: Ssk, k3, k2tog, ssk, k3, k2tog. Round 2: Ssk, k1, k2tog, ssk, k1, k2tog.

Cut yarn leaving a 20 in/51 cm tail. With tapestry needle, run the yarn through the remaining live sts at the top of the mitten. Pull tight and run the yarn to the inside of the yarn through the 4th st on the needle, leaving the st on the needle. This is in preparation for the I-cord thumb.

#### Thumb

Work 2 rounds of I-cord as follows:

With the yarn from the top of the mitten that was run through the 4th st on the spare needle, pull the yarn behind the work over to the first st, k4. Slide the 4 sts to the other end of the dpn, pull the yarn behind the work over to the first st, k4. Run the yarn through the 4 live sts. Pull tight and run the yarn to the inside of the mitten.

#### Mitten Leash

Using either the remaining yarn from the thumb or a new piece of yarn and the crochet hook, attach the 2 mittens with a chain stitch cord. I made my cords about 6 in/15 cm long.

## **Abbreviations**

CO - Cast on

K - Knit

K2tog - Knit 2 stitches together

Kfb - Knit into the front and back of the stitch

P - Purl

**Ssk** – Slip 1 stitch as if to knit, slip a second stitch as if to knit, insert the left needle into the front of the 2 slipped stitches and knit the 2 stitches together.

St(s) - Stitch(es)

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