

Almeda Fingerless Gloves

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DK weight yarn, approximately 150 yards
(sample knit with Mirasol Hacho)
4mm double pointed needles
Gauge: 28 sts/ 4 inches over pattern stitch.

7 (7.5, 8) inch circumference, to fit hand 8, (8.5, 9) inches around.

cast on 48 (52, 56) sts onto double pointed needles and join to work in the round, being careful not to twist your stitches.

Rnd 1: k1,p1

Rnd 2: sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1

rnd 3: k1,p1

rnd 4: sl1 purlwise, p1. slip these sts onto last needle. *sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1*

Repeat rounds 3 & 4 until you have worked 2.5 (2.75, 3) inches.

Thumb Gusset:

Rnd 1: *k1, p1* repeat until you have 2 sts left, then k1, pm, m1,k1,m1, pm

Rnd 2: k1, p1 *sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1* repeat to last st before marker, k1, slip marker, k3, slip marker.

Rnd 3: k1, *p1,k1*, slip marker, k3, slip marker.

Rnd 4: *sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1* repeat to last 3 sts before marker, sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, slip marker, k3, slip marker.

Rnd 5: k1, *p1,k1*, slip marker, k1,m1,k1,m1,k1, slip marker

Rnd 6: k1, p1 *sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1* repeat to last st before marker, k1, slip marker, k5, slip marker.

Rnd 7: k1, *p1,k1*, slip marker, k5, slip marker.

Rnd 8: *sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1* repeat to last 3 sts before marker, sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, slip marker, 5, slip marker.

Rnd 9: k1, *p1,k1*, slip marker, k2,m1,k1,m1,k2, slip marker

Continue in this manner, increasing two stitches every fourth row until you have 11, (13, 13) sts in between the markers, ending with:

sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1 repeat to last 3 sts before marker, sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, slip marker, k11 (13,13), slip marker.

Next rnd: k1, *p1,k1* slip next 11 (13, 13) sts onto a holder. These will be thumb sts. Cast on one stitch for inner thumb, *k1,p1* to end of round.

Upper Hand:

rnd 1: sl1 purlwise, p1. slip these sts onto last needle. *sl1 knitwise, kfb, k1, psso 3 sts, p1*

rnd 2: k1,p1

Repeat these two rounds for 1.5 (1.75, 2) inches, ending with round 1.

Cast off in k1,p1.

Thumb:

Slip 11 (13, 13) thumb gusset stitches onto dpn's. Pick up two stitches from inner thumb, and work 6 rounds in garter stitch. Cast off.

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