

Simple Noro Striped Gloves

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Yarn and Needles: Two skeins of Noro Kureyon Sock yarn (or other fingering weight yarn) in two different colorways, one set of four or five size 1 DPNs. The pattern is written for DPNs but two size 1 circular needles, or one size 1 long circular needle for the magic loop method could be substituted.

Gauge: 8 sts and 12 rows over 1" by 1" in stockinette in the round

Sizing: These gloves, as knit on size 1 needles, will fit ladies' small hands with a 7 inch circumference at the widest part of the palm. Going up a needle size to 1 ½ will make mediums and size 2 needles will make larges.

Guide: CO – cast on
K – knit
C1, C2 – color 1, color 2
YO – yarn over
K2tog – knit two together
PM – place marker



Notes: While a 3-row stripe pattern in self-striping yarn is intended for this pattern, these gloves can easily be made in any fingering weight or even a sport or DK weight for larger sizes and heavier gloves. The stripes can even be left out for a more basic pair of gloves. Enjoy!

Left Glove

Cuff: CO 56 sts in C1. K 4 rows. On the fifth row, *YO, K2tog, repeat from * around entire row (you should still have 56 sts). This will become a Picot edge if you so desire, or you can leave it down as an eyelet row with a rolled edge. K 4 rows. Add C2 and K 3 rows with C2, K 3 rows with C1 to define stripe pattern. Repeat until there are 4 stripes with C2, then K 3 rows with C1. You can use a jogless-striping method here if you wish. However, the jog at the beginning of the rows will end up running along the little finger side of the glove, so it will be minimally visible.

Thumb Gusset: Row 1 (C2), K 23 sts in C2, PM, M1, K3, M1, PM, K to end of round. Rows 2 and 3, K around in C2. Repeat these three rows with C1, then again with C2, and repeat until there are 19 sts between markers (the last two rows should not be rows in which you M1). K the next

row and when you reach the first marker, place all the sts between the markers onto waste yarn and continue knitting until the end of the round.

Palm and Fingers: Continue knitting in the 3-row stripe pattern until the palm reaches the bottom of your little finger (size small, 2 stripes in C1, 3 stripes in C2). Take 5 sts from the front of the palm and 6 sts from the back of the palm and set aside for the little finger. Place the rest of the palm sts onto waste yarn. Starting from the beginning of the row, knit across the 5 front sts, cast on 3 sts between the front and back of hand, and then continue across the back sts. The little finger will have 14 sts total. Continue knitting in the 3-row stripe pattern up the little finger until it is long enough to cover the finger. Then k2tog around until 3 sts remain. Thread the yarn through the remaining sts, pull to the inside and knot off the finger.

Place the palm sts back onto the needles, and re-attach the yarn at the beginning of the round, at the last stitch of the back of the palm. Pick up and knit 3 sts across the bottom of the little finger. Continue the palm by knitting 3 rows in the stripe pattern in each color (6 rows total).

For the next finger (fourth finger), take the first 7 sts from the beginning of the round (front of the palm) and the last 8 sts from the round (back of the palm) and set them aside on needles. Put the rest of the sts of waste yarn. Begin knitting around the finger at the beginning of the round and cast on 3 sts between the front and the back of the hand. This finger has 18 sts total. Continue knitting up the finger in the 3-row stripe pattern again until it is long enough to cover your finger. Finish the finger by k2tog around again until 3 sts remain. Thread the yarn through the remaining sts, pull to the inside, and knot off the finger.

Place 7 sts from the front of the palm and 7 sts from the back of the palm back onto the needles for the middle finger. Attach yarn and begin knitting from the end of the round, picking up and knitting 3 sts from the base of the fourth finger (between the front and back of the palm) and casting on 3 sts between the front and back of the palm after the first 7 sts. This finger has 20 sts total. Continue knitting up the finger in the 3-row stripe pattern and finish as for the other two fingers.

The remaining palm sts (15 of them) will become the index finger. Attach yarn again at the end of the last round and pick up and knit 3 sts at the base of the middle finger before continuing around the remaining sts. The index finger has 18 sts total. Continue knitting up in the 3-row stripe pattern and finish as for the other fingers.

Thumb: Place the 19 thumb sts back on DPNs. Attach the yarn at the end of the row and pick up and knit 3 sts between the thumb and palm before continuing around thumb. The thumb has 22 sts total. Continue knitting up in the 3-row stripe pattern until the thumb is long enough to cover your thumb. Then finish in the same way as the fingers.

Weave in ends and sew the Picot edge onto the inside if desired.

Right Glove

The right glove is knit in much the same way as the left, except for the placement of the thumb. Follow the cuff directions as for the left glove until there are 4 stripes with C2, then K 3 rows with C1.

Thumb Gusset: Row 1 (C2), K 30 sts in C2, PM, M1, K3, M1, PM, K to end of round. Rows 2 and 3, K around in C2. Repeat these three rows with C1, then again with C2 until there are 19 sts between markers (the last two rows should not be rows in which you M1). K the next row and when you reach the first marker, place all the sts between the markers onto waste yarn and continue knitting until the end of the round.

The palm, fingers, and thumb are the same as for the left glove. Weave in ends and finish as for the Left glove. Enjoy your warm hands!



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