

67-8 Cashmere Mittens

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Materials

- Pierrot Yarns Vintage Cashmere 100 [100% cashmere; 112 yds/102m per 1.41 oz./40g skein]; color #303 Shelley grandrelle; 2 skeins [80g]
- 5.1mm (approx. US 8) and 5.7mm (approx. US 9) double-pointed knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- cable needle

Gauge

Gauge is measured in a swatch 10cm/4" square.

- stockinette stitch: 17 sts and 21.5 rows
- pattern stitch: 19 sts and 21.5 rows

Finished measurements

- palm circumference 19cm/7.48"
- length 24.5cm/9.65"

Knitting Tips

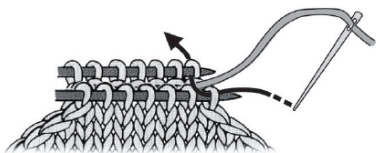
Cast on 34 stitches with long-tail cast-on method and join into the round; knit 14 rounds of k1p1 ribbing. Continue working in the round according to schematic, working pattern stitch for back of hand and stockinette for palm of hand. Knit round 12, and where indicated for thumb, knit with waste yarn. Knit 21 rounds, then begin decreases for fingertips according to schematic. Transfer remaining stitches to 2 double-pointed needles and graft using Kitchener stitch. Remove waste yarn and pick up 10 sts for thumb. Work 14 rounds; on last round, thread yarn through all stitches and cinch shut.

※**Note:** Mittens worked with yarn held doubled.

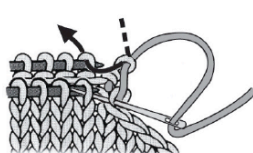
Abbreviations: PU = pick up

●Kitchener stitch for top of mitten

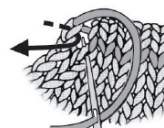
Divide sts from back and palm of hand; place on 2 needles. Leaving 20cm/7.87" tail of yarn, graft stitches.



(1) Insert needle purlwise into first stitch on front side (FS); then insert needle into first st on back side (BS) knitwise as indicated.



(2) Insert needle knitwise into first st on FS, then purlwise into second st on FS. In the same way, insert needle purlwise into first st on BS, then knitwise into second st on BS.

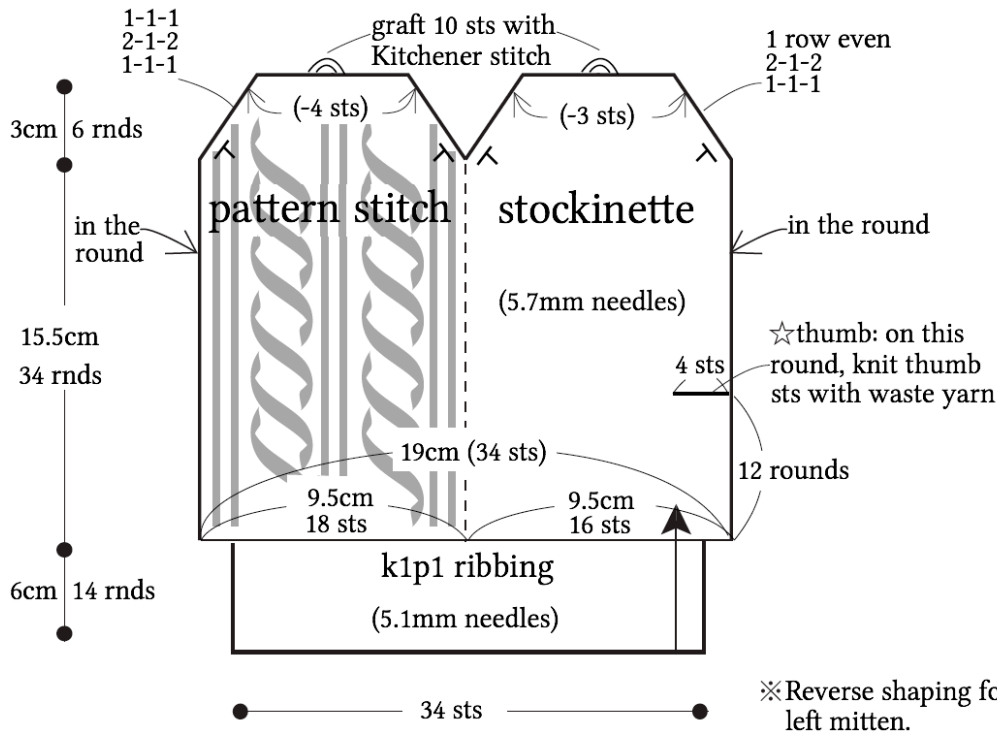


Repeat steps (1) and (2). For last st, insert needle as indicated.

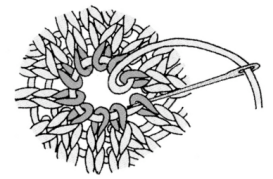


(4) Weave in ends on wrong side of fabric to complete.

refer to stitch chart for fingertip decreases



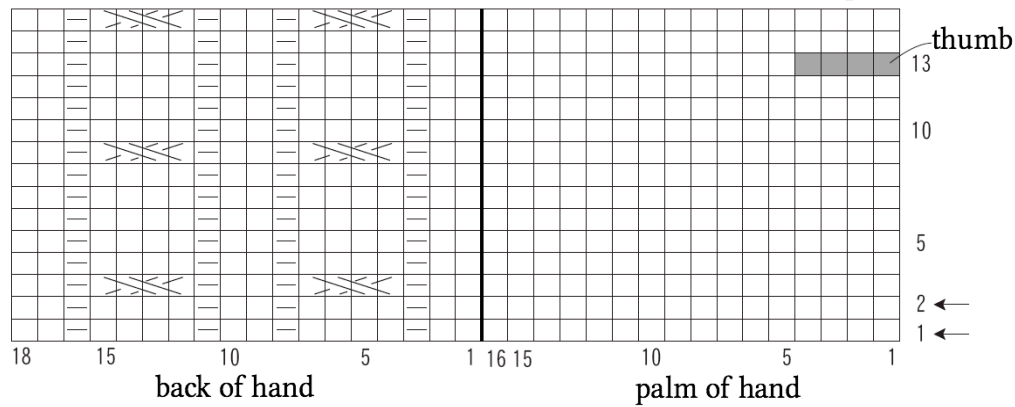
●top of thumb



thread yarn twice through remaining 10 sts; cinch shut

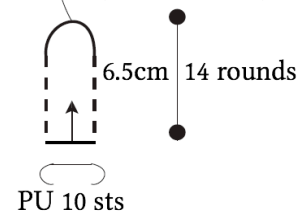
●stitch chart (pattern stitch)

□ = knit □ = purl



●thumb: stockinette

★ on last round, cinch shut (all sts at once)



●fingertip decreases

