

Planet Penny Knitted Wrist Warmer Pattern

Knitted Wrist Warmer Pattern in DK yarn. No shaping, so ideally suited to any one with basic knitting and crochet skills.

Materials: 1 ball DK yarn (I used Freedom 'Spirit' by Twilleys of Stamford) pair 4mm knitting needles (USA 6): 4mm crochet hook: yarn needle

Tension: 22sts and 28 rows over 10cm square

Abbreviations: (Knit) k: knit, p: purl, st: stitch, sl: slip, rep: repeat,
Crochet(UK):ss: slip stitch, dc: double crochet

Method

Cast on 40 st.

Row 1: Knit

Row 2: sl 1, purl to last st, k1.

Row 3: sl 1, k to end.

Row 4: sl 1, p to last st, k1.

Rows 5 – 60: Rep rows 3 & 4.

(by slipping the 1st st and knitting the last one on each row you will create a neat even edge which is much easier to sew up, or to pick up stitches)

Cast off knit wise.

Make 2.

To Make Up.

- Fold the knitting half vertically right sides together, match the 2 edges and pin. (*pinning at right angles to the knitting prevents distortion*) stitch from cast off edge for 3cm and fasten off. Measure 6cm from the fastening off point (thumb opening) then stitch to this point from the cast on edge. (*using the 'tails' from the knitting to stitch with*)
- Using the 4mm crochet hook, join the yarn at the bottom of the thumb opening with a ss and crochet into the edge, working 10 dc up one side of the opening and 10dc down the other side. Join with a ss and fasten off, crochet or darn in ends.
- For the scalloped top, join the yarn with a ss at the seam edge and work 1 dc into same space. *Make 3 ch, miss 2 st, 1 dc into 2nd row down from cast off edge. Rep from * round the cast off edge and join with a ss. Fasten off and crochet or darn in ends.



Leave plain, or embellish as desired with embroidery and buttons, or even pompoms or tassels!



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