



KNITTING PATTERN

River Stone

Mittens

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MATERIALS

Upcycled Alpaca Blend

1 skein of col. 15 (MC)

1 skein of col. 01 (CC)

Circular needle 4.5 mm, 40 cm /US 7, 16"

Circular needle 3 mm, 40 cm /US 4, 16"

Stitch markers

Darning needle

YARN QUALITY

 **Upcycled Alpaca Blend**, Hobbii

34% Acrylic, 33% Alpaca, 33% Wool

100 g / 3.5 oz = 200 m / 218 yds

GAUGE

22 sts x 26 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm / 4" x 4"

SIZE

S (M) L

MEASUREMENTS

Circumference: 19 (21) 23 cm / 7.5" (8.25") 9"

Length: 21 (22.5) 25.5 cm / 8" (8.5") 9.25"

PATTERN INFORMATION

The River Stone mittens was inspired by the pebbles at the bottom of a quiet, steady brook, worn smooth by water and time.

After beginning with a band of brioche, the simple, yet engaging colorwork motif is achieved by slipping stitches.

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QUESTIONS

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Happy Crafting!

Pattern



ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit

P = Purl

Sl = slip

Brk = brioche knit

Brk inc 1 = brk, do not remove from left hand needle, knit into the knit stitch only (not the yarn over)

Brk inc 2 = brk, do not remove from left hand needle, knit into the knit stitch only (not the yarn over), do not removed from left hand needle, knit into brk

Brp = brioche purl

Sl1yo = slip 1 yarn over

MC = main color

CC = contrast color

CO = cast on

Rep = repeat

WS = wrong side

RS = right side

INFO AND TIPS

While traditional mosaic knitting would have you knit two rounds of a color before making the switch, this slipped stitch pattern changes the color after every round to create a smoother transition with fewer elongated stitches so you achieve the look of fair isle with the ease of mosaic.

MITTEN (make 2)

Brioche Rib Cuff

Using the smaller circular needle & a 2-color Italian CO, CO 32 (36) 40 sts.

Set Up Row 1, MC (WS): [Sl1yo, brp] around.

Set Up Row 2, CC (RS): [Brk, sl1yo] around.

Turn. Place marker and join in the round.



Round 1, MC: [Brk, sl1yo] around.

Round 2, CC: [Sl1yo, brp] around.

Rep Rounds 1 & 2 an additional 15 times. Switch to larger needles. Do not cut MC or CC.

Hand Set Up

Round 1, MC: [Brk, k1, brk inc 1, k1] around – 40 (45) 50 sts.

Size S ONLY

Round 2, MC: K3, m1r, k18, m1r, k to end - 42 (-) - sts.

Size M ONLY

Round 2, MC: M1R, k around - - (46) - sts.

Size L ONLY

Round 2, MC: K around.

Gusset

Round 1, CC: [K1, sl1] around.

Round 2, MC: M1r, sl1, k1, m1l, [sl1, k1] around - 44 (48) 52 sts.

Round 3, CC: Sl1, k1, sl2, [k1, sl1] around.

Round 4, MC: K1, sl1, k2, [sl1, k1] around.

Round 5, MC: K around.

Round 6, MC: M1r, k3, m1l, k around - 46 (50) 54 sts.

Rounds 7 & 9, CC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Rounds 8 & 10, MC: [K1, sl1] around.

Round 11, MC: M1r, k5, m1l, k around - 48 (52) 56 sts.

Round 12, MC: K around.

Rounds 13 & 15, CC: [Sl1, k1] 3 times, sl2, [k1, sl1] around.

Round 14, MC: [K1, sl1] 3 times, k2, [sl1, k1] around.

Round 16, MC: M1r, [k1, sl1] 3 times, k1, m1l, k1, [sl1, k1] around - 50 (54) 58 sts.

Rounds 17 & 18, MC: K around.

Round 19, CC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Round 20, MC: M1r, [k1, sl1] 4 times, k1, m1l, sl1, [k1, sl1] around - 52 (56) 60 sts.

Round 21, CC: Sl2, [k1, sl1] 4 times, sl1, k1, [sl1, k1] around.

Round 22, MC: K2, [sl1, k1] 4 times, k1, sl1, [k1, sl1] around.

Round 23, MC: K around.

Round 24, MC: M1r, k11, m1l, k around - 54 (58) 62 sts.

Round 25 & 27, CC: [K1, sl1] around.

Round 26 & 28, MC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Round 29, MC: M1r, k13, m1l, k around - 56 (60) 64 sts.

Size Small ONLY, skip to Round 42.



Round 30, MC: K around.

Rounds 31 & 33, CC: [K1, sl1] 7 times, k2, [sl1, k1] around.

Round 32, MC: [Sl1, k1] 7 times, sl2, [k1, sl1] around.

Round 34, MC: M1r, [sl1, k1] 7 times, sl1, m1l, sl1, [k1, sl1] around - - (62) 66 sts.

Round 35, MC: K around.

Size Medium ONLY, skip to Round 42.

Round 36, MC: K around.

Round 37 & 39, CC: [K1, sl1] around.

Round 38, MC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Round 40, MC: M1r, [sl1, k1] 8 times, sl1, m1l, k1, [sl1, k1] around.

Round 41, MC: K around.

All sizes resume.

Round 42, MC: Place first 15 (17) 19 sts on waste yarn or stitch holder, CO 1 using Cable CO, k around - 42 (46) 50 sts.

Body

Size Small & Large begin on Round 7. Size Medium begin on Round 1.

Rounds 1 & 3, CC: [K1, sl1] around.

Rounds 2 & 4, MC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Rounds 5 & 6, MC: K around.

Rounds 7 & 9, CC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Round 8 & 10, MC: [K1, sl1] around.

Rounds 11 & 12, MC: K around.

Rep Rounds 1-12 an additional 1 (1) 2 more time(s), and 1-10 an additional time.

Top of Hand

Place marker after 21 (23) 25 sts, the halfway point.

Rounds 1, MC: K1, ssk, k to 3 sts before m, k2tog, k1, sm, k1, k2tog, k to 3 sts before m, ssk, k1 - 38 (42) 46 sts.

Rounds 2, MC: [K1, ssk, k to 3 sts before m, k2tog, k1] 2 times - 34 (38) 42 sts.

Round 3, CC: [K1, sl1] to 1 st *past* m, ssk, [k1, sl1] to 4 sts before m, k1, k2tog, sl1- 32 (36) 40 sts.

Round 4, MC: Sl1, ssk, [k1, sl1] to last 4 sts, k1, k2tog, sl1, k1, sl2, [k1, sl1] to last 2 sts, sl1, k1 - 30 (34) 38 sts.

Round 5, CC: K1, sl2, [k1, sl1] to last 2 sts, sl1, k1, sl1, ssk, [sl1, k1] to last 4 sts, sl1, k2tog, sl1 - 28 (32) 36 sts.

Cut CC.

Round 6, MC: Sl1, ssk, [sl1, k1] to last 4 sts, k1, k2tog, [sl1, k1] to end - 26 (30) 34 sts.

Round 7, MC: K1, ssk, k to last 3 sts before m, k2tog, k1, sm, k1, k2tog, k to 3 sts before m, ssk, k1 - 22 (26) 30 sts.

Round 8, MC: [K1, ssk, k to 3 sts before m, k2tog, k1] 2 times - 18 (22) 26 sts.

Size S & M, proceed to Finish Hand. Size L, rep Round 8 one additional time - 22 sts.

Finish Hand

Cut MC, leaving a length 5 times the width of the remaining 18 sts.

Thumb

Round 1, MC: Pick up 2 sts, k to end, pick up 3 sts -

Rounds 2 & 4, CC: [K1, sl1] around.

Rounds 3 & 5, MC: [Sl1, k1] around.

Rounds 6-7, MC: K around.

Wet block to measurements.

Enjoy!

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