

Funky Chunky Mitts

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Materials:

1 skein Malabrigo Chunky, 104 yards
US 9 (5.5 mm) DPNs
Tapestry needle
Waste yarn

Gauge:

3 stitches and 5 rows = 1 inch in
stockinette

Notes: These used up under 104 yards to make. If you wanted to use the entire skein of yarn and make these slightly longer, you can knit the arm to 6 inches before starting the thumb. I found that 5 inches was just the right length for me.

Abbreviations:

k – knit

p – purl

m1 – make one

pm – place marker

Instructions:

Cast on 28 stitches. Join in the round and work k2, p2 ribbing until it measures 5 inches from the cast on edge.

Thumb Gusset:

Round 1: work in k2, p2 ribbing to the last 2 stitches, pm, p1, m1, p1, pm

Round 2: work in k2, p2 ribbing to first marker, m1, p1, k1, p1, m1

Round 3 and 4: work in k2, p2 ribbing to first marker, work thumb gusset stitches in k1, p1 ribbing to second marker

Round 5: work in k2, p2 ribbing to first marker, m1, work k1, p1 ribbing to next marker, m1

Repeat rounds 3 to 5 until there are 11 thumb gusset stitches (stitches between the markers).

Next round: work in k2, p2 ribbing to the first marker. Place next 11 stitches on waste yarn. Cast on 2 stitches.

Join back to working in the round. Work k2, p2 ribbing for 8 more rounds, then bind off in pattern.



Thumb:

Pick up 11 held stitches and 3 additional stitches from the cast on edge for a total of 14 stitches.

Work 4 rounds of k1, p1 ribbing. Bind off in pattern.



Repeat pattern for second fingerless glove.

Finishing:

Weave in all ends and wear whenever your hands need some warming and your fingers need to be free.

Information:

If you think you have found any errors in the pattern, please feel free to contact me at mshindzknits@yahoo.com

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