



MANOS DEL URUGUAY

Handful of Berries Mittens

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FINISHED SIZES

Circumference around palm: 7.5"

MATERIALS

Manos del Uruguay MAXIMA (100g, approx. 218yds; 100% merino wool), 1 sk. Shown in M7158 Mixed Berries.

US 8/5mm double-pointed needles, or size to obtain gauge.

US 6/4mm double-pointed needles

1 stitch marker

Stitch holder

GAUGE

19 sts and 27 rows = 4"/10cm over Stockinette stitch with larger needles

ABBREVIATIONS

k1f&b=Knit into the front and back loop of the same stitch (1 st increased).

*INSTRUCTIONS**LEFT MITTEN*

Using larger needles, cast on 36 sts. Join for working in the round, being careful not to twist stitches. Place marker indicating beginning of round. Change to smaller needles and work in K2, P2 ribbing for 22 rounds. Change to larger needles.

Decrease round: *K7, k2tog; repeat from * 3 more times. [32 sts]

K 4 rounds.

Begin gusset shaping:

Rnd 1: K5, k1f&b, place marker, k to end of rnd. [33 sts] Rnds 2 through 10: K to 1 st before marker, k1f&b, k to end of rnd. [42 sts]

Divide for thumb:

Rnd 11: K16, place the next 10sts on holder, k to end of rnd. [32 working sts on needles]



Hand:

Work Stockinette stitch for 26 more rnds.

Shape Top of Hand:

Rnd 1: (Ssk, k12, k2tog) twice. [28 sts]

Rnd 2: (Ssk, k10, k2tog) twice. [24 sts]

Rnd 3: (Ssk, k8, k2tog) twice. [20 sts]

Rnd 4: (Ssk, k6, k2tog) twice. [16 sts]

Rnd 5: (Ssk, k4, k2tog) twice. [12 sts]

Rnd 6: (Ssk, k2, k2tog) twice. [8 sts]

Rnd 7: (Ssk, k2tog) twice. [4 sts]

Break yarn, thread through rem sts and cinch closed.

Thumb:

Divide 10 sts on holder onto larger dpns.

Set-up rnd: Knit 10 sts, pick up and k 4 sts across thumb gap.
[14 sts]

Next rnd: K10, K2tog, K2tog. [12 sts]

Knit 9 rounds or desired length to fit thumb.

Shape top of thumb:

Rnd 1: *K2tog; rep from * to end of round. [6 sts]

Rnd 2: K2tog around [3 sts]

Break yarn, thread through rem sts and cinch closed.

RIGHT MITTEN

The Right Mitten is the same as the Left Mitten WITH THE EXCEPTION OF TWO SECTIONS ("Begin gusset shaping" and "Divide for thumb"), which fall between the ***'s in the Left Mitten instructions. Please substitute those sections in the Left Mitten with those below:

Begin gusset shaping:

Rnds 1-10: K10, K1f&b, k to end of rnd. [42 sts]

Divide for thumb:

Rnd 11: Place the first 10sts on holder, k to end of rnd. [32 working sts on needles]

Finishing

Weave in ends, block.

