

Koigu Bulky Mittens

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Materials: 1sk /100gm Koigu Bulky Merino; 5 dpn 6mm (10US); St Holder

Size: 9" Around, 9 ½" Long. Medium Size

Gauge: 12st st st makes 4"(10cm)

Mittens: CO 24st with B20. On 4 needles 6sts to needle. Knit rib K2,P2 for 10 rounds. Mark beginning of round. Knit one round. Next round at beginning of round increase for thumb.

Round 1- M1B (By picking up the loop between stitches and knitting into the back of it). Knit to end of round.

Round 2- Knit

Round 3- M1B, K1, M1B, Knit to end.

Round 4- Knit

Round 5- M1B, K3, M1B, Knit to end.

Round 6- Knit

Round 7- M1B, K5, M1B, Knit to end.

Round 8- Knit

Next Round- Knit 9sts, slip remaining sts onto a thread or st holder. Cast on 3sts and join these 12sts into a round on 3 needles. Continue in rounds until about 1½".

Shape top of thumb- Knit together first & second st on each needle. Every other row.

When 4sts remain run yarn through and pull together. Cut yarns, fasten off securely.

Palm: Slip remaining stitches back on four needles, pick up & K3 stitches from cast on stitches at base of thumb.

Left Hand: End after the 3 CO sts.

Right Hand: End before the 3 cast on sts.

Continue knitting in rounds for 3". Start tapering off for top of mitten. K2tog at beginning of first needle. Sl1, K1, pss0 at end of second needle, K2tog at beginning of 3rd needle. Sl1, K1, pss0 at end of 4th needle. Knit one round. Decrease as before next round. Repeat these 2 rounds until there are 8 sts. Run yarn through and pull together, fasten off securely.

Repeat the same for other mitten.

Bulky Red Mitten

Materials: 1 sk each B21 and B000 Koigu Bulky Merino

Pattern: Same as for Bulky Mitten. B20 except knit white every other st. every alternate row.