

## CHILDRENS MITTENS [ 3 sizes ]

A teddies for Tragedies pattern

These can be knitted with small amounts of DK wool.

1 pair 3 ¼ mm needles

1 pair 4 mm needles

Abbreviations: skpo – slip one, knit one, pass slip stitch over

### Left hand mitten

With 3 ¼ mm needles cast on 27 [ 31: 35 ]

1<sup>st</sup> Row : k1, \* p1, k1. rep from \* to end

2<sup>nd</sup> Row : p1, \* k1, p1. rep from \* to end

Repeat these 2 Rows 10 more times.

[12 Rows all together ]

Change to 4 mm needles and work 18 [20, 24.] Rows st, st. [ stocking stitch ]

### Shape top

1<sup>st</sup> Row: k1, skpo, k3, [4 :5] k2tog, skpo, k3, [ 4:5.], k2tog, k2, skop, k5 [7:9 ],k2tog, k1. - 21 [25:29 ] sts.

2<sup>nd</sup> Row: Purl

3<sup>rd</sup> Row: K1, skpo, k2 [3:4], k2tog, k2 [3:4], k2tog, k2, skpo,k3 [5:7], k2tog, k1. -

16 [20:24] sts.

Cast off purlwise.

### Right hand mitten

With 3 ¼ mm needles cast on 27 [31:35] sts

Repeat as for Left hand mitten to, shape top.

Shape top

1<sup>st</sup> Row: k1, skpo, k5 [7:9], k2tog, k2, skpo, k3 [4:5], k2tog, skpo, k3 [4:5], k2tog, k1. - 21 [25:29] sts.

2<sup>nd</sup> Row: Purl

3<sup>rd</sup> Row: k1, skpo, k3 [5:7], k2tog, k2, skpo, k2 [3:4], k2tog, k2 [3:4], k2tog, k1.

-16 [20:24]sts.

Cast off purlwise.

### Thumb [ make 2 ]

With 4mm needles cast on 2sts.

1<sup>st</sup> Row: Inc into first stitch, k1.- 3sts.

2<sup>nd</sup> Row: Purl.

3<sup>rd</sup> Row: Inc into next 2sts, k1. – 5sts.

4<sup>th</sup> Row: Purl.

5<sup>th</sup> Row: Inc into first st, k2, Inc into next st, k1. – 7sts.

6<sup>th</sup> Row: Purl.

7<sup>th</sup> Row: Inc into first st, k4, inc into next stitch, k1. – 9sts.

8<sup>th</sup> Row: Purl.

St,st. 4 [6:8] Rows.

### Shape top

1<sup>st</sup> Row: k1, (k2tog ) 4 times. – 5 sts

2<sup>nd</sup> Row: Purl.

3<sup>rd</sup> Row: k1, (k2tog) twice. – 3 sts.

### Making up

Break off yarn leaving enough to thread through remaining sts, pull up tightly and fasten off.

Sew up the Rib seam using a backstitch.

Sew the inc edge (cast on end) of thumb to side seams, above rib.

Sew up the thumb using an overstitch.

Sew up remaining side and top using a backstitch.

Turn right side out.