

# Knitting Cards on the Go!

## Striped Armwarmers



### You will need

#### Size

To fit an adult female

#### Yarn

You can use any lightweight DK yarn. Here we have used Artesano Superwash Merino DK 50g (112m/122yd).



A x 1



B x 1

#### Needles

A: 1 pair of 3.75mm (UK9/US5) needles  
B: 1 pair of 4.5mm (UK7/US7) needles

#### Tension

23sts and 33 rows to 10cm (4in) over st st on 4.5mm (UK7/US7) needles

#### Notions

Stitch holders (optional)  
Large-eyed needle

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### How to make

#### Left armwarmer

Using needles A and yarn A, cast on 46sts. Use the single cast on method and starting with a k row, work 10 rows in st st ending with a WS row.

Change to needles B and work a further 6 rows in st st, ending with a WS row. Join in yarn B.

Next row (RS): Using yarn B, k1, skpo, k to last 3sts, k2tog, k1. (44sts)

Work 9 rows without shaping.

Work 10 rows in yarn A without shaping.

Last 20 rows set stripe patt: 10 rows yarn B, 10 rows yarn A. Cont working stripe patt throughout, at same time dec as set on next and foll 20th row. (40sts)

Work 9 rows without shaping, ending with a WS row. \*\*

#### Thumb gusset

Row 1: Using yarn A, [k4, M1] x 3, k to end. (43sts)

Row 2 and all foll alt rows: P.

Row 3: K5, M1, k to end. (44sts)

Row 5: K5, M1, k4, M1, k6, M1, k to end. (47sts)

Row 7: K9, M1, k8, M1, k to end. (49sts)

Row 9: K9, M1, k10, M1, k to end. (51sts)

Row 11: Using yarn B, k21 and turn, leaving rem sts unworked. Leaving yarn B hanging, join in yarn A, cast on 2sts and p12. Leave the unworked sts on stitch holders if desired. (14 live sts remain)

#### Thumb

Working on these 14sts only, and starting with a k row, work 8 rows st st.

Change to needles A and using yarn A, work a further 7 rows st st. Cast off loosely using needles B on WS.

Using yarn B, which is still attached at base of thumb, and needles B, with RS facing, pick up and k2 from thumb cast on. K to end of row. (41sts)

Next row: P.

Work 10 rows without shaping

(8 rows B, 2 rows A).

Change to needles A and using yarn A, starting with a k row, work 10 rows st st.

Cast off using needles B, leaving a long yarn tail for sewing up.

Darn in all ends and join row ends and thumb seams using mattress stitch.

#### Right armwarmer

Work as given for Left armwarmer to \*\*.

#### Thumb gusset

Row 1: Using yarn A, k29, [M1, k4] x 2, M1, k to end. (43sts)

Row 2 and all foll alt rows: P.

Row 3: K38, M1, k to end. (44sts)

Row 5: K29, M1, k6, M1, k4, M1, k to end. (47sts)

Row 7: K29, M1, k8, M1, k to end. (49sts)

Row 9: K29, M1, k10, M1, k to end. (51sts)

Row 11: Using yarn B, k41 and turn, leaving rem sts unworked. Leave yarn B hanging, join in yarn A, cast on 2sts and p12.

Complete as given for Left armwarmer from Thumb.

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