

COSY CABLES

You'll have a hoot knitting these women's gloves! **By Amanda Jones.**



IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS

YOU WILL NEED

- Approx 130m of aran yarn
- A pair of 4½mm needles
- A pair of 5mm needles
- A stitch marker
- A cable needle
- 4 buttons

TENSION

Yarn used knits as aran to this tension: 18 stitches and 24 rows to measure 10x10cm (4x4in) over stocking stitch using 5mm needles

MEASUREMENTS

Fits an average size woman's hand

ABBREVIATIONS

T4Bpk twist 4 back (moss st): Slip 2 sts onto cable needle (cn) and hold at the back of the work, K2 sts, then P1, K1 from cn

T4Fpk twist 4 front (moss st): Slip 2 sts onto cn and hold at the front of the work, P1, K1, then K2 from cn

T3F twist 3 front: Slip 2 sts onto cn and hold at the front of the work, P1, then K 2 sts from cn

T3B twist 3 back: Slip next st onto cn and hold at the back of the work, K2, then P st from cn

C3B cable 3 back: Slip next st onto cn and hold at the back of the work, K2 sts then K st from cn

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OWL FINGERLESS GLOVES

LEFT-HAND GLOVE

Cast on 38 sts using 4½mm needles.

Row 1 (K1, P1) to end of row. Work 14 rows of K1, P1 rib. Change to 5mm needles.

Row 1 (RS) K22, place stitch marker (SM), P10, K6.

Row 2 P6, K10, P22.

Row 3 K to SM, P10, K6.

Row 4 P6, K1, P8, K1, P22.

Row 5 K to SM, P1, T4Bpk, T4Fpk, P1, K6.

Row 6 P6, K1, P2, (K1, P1) twice, P2, K1, P22.

Row 7 K to SM, C3B, (P1, K1) twice, T3F, K6.

Rows 8, 10 & 12 P8, (P1, K1) 3 times, P24.

Rows 9 & 11 K to SM, K2 (K1, P1) 3 times, K8.

Row 13 K11, cast off 6 sts, K to SM, T3F, (P1, K1) twice, T3B, K6.

Row 14 P6, K1, P2, (K1, P1) twice, P2, K1, P5, turn, cast on 6, turn, P11.

Row 15 K to SM, P1, C4B, C4F, P1, K6.

Rows 16, 18 & 20 P6, K1, P8, K1, P22.

Rows 17 & 19 K to SM, P1, K8, P1, K6.

Row 21 K to SM, P1, C4B, C4F, P1, K6.

Row 22 P6, K1, P2, K4, P2, K1, P22.

Row 23 K to SM, P1, k2tog, P4, k2tog tbl, P1, K6. [36 sts]

Row 24 P6, K8, P22.

Next row (RS) Change to 4½mm needles and work 2 rows K1, P1 rib.

Cast off in rib.

RIGHT-HAND GLOVE

Cast on 38 sts using 4½mm needles.

Row 1 (K1, P1) to end of row. Work 14 rows of K1, P1 rib. Change to 5mm needles.

Row 1 (RS) K6, place stitch marker (SM), P10, K22.

Row 2 P22, K10, P6.

Row 3 K to SM, P10, K22.

Row 4 P22, K1, P8, K1, P6.

Row 5 K to SM, P1, T4Bpk, T4Fpk, P1, K22.

Row 6 P22, K1, P2, (K1, P1) twice, P2, K1, P6.

Row 7 K to SM, C3B, (P1, K1) twice, T3F, K22.

Rows 8, 10 & 12 P24, (P1, K1) 3 times, P8.

Rows 9 & 11 K to SM, K2 (K1, P1) 3 times, K24.

Row 13 K to SM, T3F, (P1, K1) twice, T3B, K5, cast off 6, K to end.

Row 14 P11, turn, cast on 6, P5, K1, P2, (K1, P1) twice, P2, K1, P6.

Row 15 K to SM, P1, C4B, C4F, P1, K22.

Rows 16, 18 & 20 P22, K1, P8, K1, P6.

Rows 17 & 19 K to SM, P1, K8, P1, K22.

Row 21 K to SM, P1, C4B, C4F, P1, K22.

Row 22 P22, K1, P2, K4, P2, K1, P6.

Row 23 K to SM, P1, k2tog, P4, k2tog tbl, P1, K22. [36 sts]

Row 24 P22, K8, P6.

Next row (RS) Change to 4½mm needles and work 2 rows K1, P1 rib.

Cast off in rib.

TO MAKE UP

Sew up the side seam using mattress stitch. Sew in any loose ends. Attach eyes to owl face as shown in picture.