

Crocheted Mittens

These crocheted mittens are made out of 100% wool with a nice stretch cuff.

Youth-size or size small ladies' crocheted mittens are worked from top to bottom in rnds of hdc throughout. Cuff is crocheted with fpdc and bpdc and circle design in sc.

You need:

- 1 skein (3.5 oz.) Patons Wool or other yarn of similar weigh
- 1/3 skein (3.5 oz.) Patons Wool or other yarn of similar weigh of contrasting color for cuffs
- H hook OR whichever size you require to obtain the tension given below

Thumb:

Ch 4, sl st to first ch to join in ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, 8 hdc in ring, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (8)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hdc to end of rnd. (8)

Rnd 3-7: Repeat rnd 2, fasten off.

Top of Hand:

Ch 4, sl st to first ch to join in ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, 8 hdc in ring, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (8)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 hdc in each st until end of rnd, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (16)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, [1 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next st] until end of rnd, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (24)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, [1 hdc in next 7 st, 2 hdc in next st] until end of rnd, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (27)

Rnd 5: Ch 1, 1 hdc in each st, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (27)

Rnd 6-15: Repeat rnd 5, fasten off. Place stitch marker on last st.

Join Thumb:

Rnd 16: Join yarn at stitch marker on hand, ch 1, hdc in next 5 st, 5 hdc of thumb, sk next 3 st on hand, 19 hdc until end of rnd on hand, sl st in top of first ch, turn. (29)

Rnd 17: Ch 1, hdc in next 12 st, skip one st, hdc in next 5 st, skip one st, hdc until end of rnd, sl st to top of first ch, turn. (27)

Rnd 18: Ch 1, hdc in next 12 st, skip one st, hdc in next 5 st, skip one st, hdc until end of rnd, sl st to top of first ch, turn. (25)

Rnd 19: Ch 1, hdc in next 20 st, skip one st, hdc in next 7 st, skip one st, hdc until end of rnd, sl st to top of first ch, turn. (23)

Rnd 20-21: Ch 1, hdc in each st, sl st to top of first ch, fasten off. Place stitch marker on last st. (23)

*Note: the 3 st in the hand and the thumb that were not worked will be stitched together later

Cuff (can be done in a different color for a different look)

Rnd 1: Join yarn at stitch maker on hand, ch 2, dc in each st (24)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, [fpdc in next st, bpdc in next st] repeat until end of rnd (24)

Rnd 3: Repeat rnd 2, fasten off.

Finishing:

- Weave in loose ends and turn mitten inside out, stitch the 3 st of the thumb to the 3 st of the hand

Designer Tips:

- For longer length in the hands, you can repeat rnd 16 until desired length
- For longer length in the thumb, you can repeat rnd 7 of the thumb until desired length
- For wider mittens, you can use a larger gauge crochet hook or repeat rnd 4 of the hand pattern until desired width is achieved. For a wider thumb, increase number of stitches in rnd 2 until desired width is achieved.