

Knit Twiddle Bracelet

Worsted Weight Yarn
Size US #9 straight needles

I prefer straight needles as I like to make the seam an additional point of interest, but these bracelets can also be made on DP's or 16" circular needles. See note below if making a mobius bracelet.



Basic Pattern (Garter Stitch – K all rows)



Cast on 29 (33, 39) stitches for size S (M, L) 32 (36, 39) stitches for size S (M, L) if you want a mobius bracelet. Leave a tail long enough to join the side together later.

K 12 rows. You can knit as few as 6 or as many as 12, depending on how wide you want the bracelet to be.

Cast off.

My rectangles were 9", (11", 13") long X 2" wide for 12 rows.

Photo to the left is of a garter stitch bracelet which has a large pom-pom very securely attached.

Variation on Basic Garter Stitch Pattern:

Cast on 29 (33, 39) stitches for size S (M, L) 32 (36, 39) stitches for size S (M, L) if you want a mobius bracelet. The 3 extra stitches are to accommodate the 1/2 twist needed to turn the rectangular strip into a mobius strip.

1. K 2 rows
2. Work 9 rows of whatever pattern you want, stockinette (K one row, purl one row), cables, eyelets, bobbles, offset rib, blanket stitch, use 2 colors, whatever you wish to do. You can work as few as 3 up to as many as 9 rows in the middle section, depending on how wide you want the bracelet to be. For me, 9 middle rows (for a total of 13 rows) made a bracelet 2" wide.
3. K 2 rows
4. Cast off on wrong side using a k cast off, picot cast of if you wish

Additional embellishments can be added before joining the seam, such as buttons, crocheted chain, lace, ribbon, a pompon... Make sure everything is VERY WELL SECURED.

Join the seam on the short end. Use a mattress stitch for an even join or use whatever join you prefer if you want to add an additional "twiddle" point. You might even want to seam it, so the seam is obvious on the right side of the work.

Consider not weaving in your ends. Knot them repeatedly instead. The possibilities are as endless as your imagination.

If you have knit a Mobius # of stitches, TURN your work one half turn before joining one end to the other. Making this ½ turn is what gives the piece it's infinity shape.

*For double point needles, when joining to work in the round at the very beginning, DELIBERATELY TWIST THE WORK ON THE THIRD NEEDLE (turn the stitches so that, if you laid the work flat, the cast on edge of the first two needles face inwards, the cast on edge on the third needle faces outwards)

For circular needles, also DELIBERATELY TWIST THE WORK ON THE NEEDLE when joining after the cast on.

Examples of various patterns are shown below.

Make a half twist before joining for a mobius



Add a button and a "buttonhole"



Seam on the outside for an additional "twiddle" item

