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CARON **STRIPEY KNIT MITTENS**

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MATERIALS

Caron[®] Simply Soft[®] (Solids: 6 oz/170 g; 315 yds/288 m; Heathers: 5 oz/141.7 g; 250 yds/228 m)

	Both Sizes	
Contrast A Gray Heather (H9509)	1	ball
Contrast B Lt Country Peach (9737)	1	ball
Contrast C Woodland Heather (H9503)	1	ball
Contrast D Off White (9702)	1	ball
Contrast E Lt Country Blue (9709)	1	ball
Contrast F Country Blue (9710)	1	ball
Contrast G Dk Country Blue (9711)	1	ball

Set of four size U.S. 6 (4 mm) double-pointed knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge. Stitch marker. Stitch holder. Tapestry needle.



SIZES

GAUGE

stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

applies to both sizes.

[**19** (**21.5**) cm].



ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing) Approx = Approximately **Beg** = Beginning **Cont** = Continue(ity) **K** = Knit **K2toq** = Knit next 2 stitches together

To fit palm **S** (M) **7½** (8½)"

20 sts and 26 rows = 4" [10 cm] in

The instructions are written for

smaller size. If changes are necessary

for larger size the instructions will be

written thus (). Numbers for each

size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only

one number is given in black, it

Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of **Tog** = Together next stitch **Pat** = Pattern **PM** = Place marker **Rem** = Remaining **Rep** = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s) **St(s)** = Stitch(es)

MITTENS **Stripe Pat**

Work 2 rows of each color: A, B, C, D, E, F, B, G. These 16 rows form Stripe Pat.

RIGHT MITTEN

**With A, cast on 36 (42) sts. Divide onto 3 needles, 12 (14) sts on each needle.

1st rnd: *K1.P1.Rep from * around. Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing for 3" [7.5 cm].

Working in Stripe Pat, knit 6 (8) rnds.**

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Shape thumb gusset: Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows: **1st rnd:** K**20** (23). (Kfb1) twice. Knit to end of rnd. 2nd and alt rnds: Knit. **3rd rnd:** K**20** (23), Kfb, K2, Kfb, Knit to end of rnd. 5th rnd: K20 (23). Kfb. K4. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. 7th rnd: K20 (23). Kfb. K6. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. 9th rnd: K20 (23). Kfb. K8. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. 11th rnd: K20 (23). Kfb. K10. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. 48 (54) sts.

Size M only: 13th rnd: K23. Kfb. K12. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. 56 sts. 14th rnd: Knit.

12th rnd: Knit.

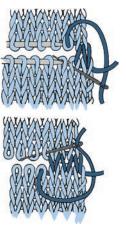
Both sizes: Next rnd: K20 (23). Slip next 14 (16) sts onto a st holder. Cast on 2 sts. Knit to end of rnd. 36 (42) sts.

***Knit in rnds until work after ribbing measures **6** (6½)" [**15** (**16.5**) cm]. Shape top: Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows:
1st rnd: [K1. ssk. K11 (14). K2tog. K1] twice. 32 (38) sts.
2nd and alt rnds: Knit.
3rd rnd: [K1. ssk. K9 (12). K2tog. K1] twice. 28 (34) sts.
5th rnd: [K1. ssk. K7 (10). K2tog. K1] twice. 24 (30) sts.
7th rnd: [K1. ssk. K5 (8). K2tog. K1] twice. 20 (26) sts.
9th rnd: [K1. ssk. K3 (6). K2tog. K1] twice. 16 (22) sts.

Size M only: 10th rnd: Knit. **11th rnd:** (K1. ssk. K4. K2tog. K1) twice. 18 sts.

Both sizes: Graft 2 sets of **8** (9) sts tog.

Grafting



Thumb: With A, K14 (16) from st holder. Pick up and knit 2 sts at base of thumb. Divide these 16 (18) sts onto 3 needles. Join in rnd. Knit 10 rnds even.
Next rnd: (K2. K2tog) 4 times. K0 (2). 12 (14) sts.
Next rnd: (K2tog) 6 (7) times.
Break yarn leaving a long end.
Thread end through rem 6 (7) sts.
Draw up and fasten securely.***

LEFT MITTEN

Work from ** to ** as given for Right Mitten.

Shape thumb gusset: Keeping

cont of Stripe Pat proceed as follows:

1st rnd: K16 (19). (Kfb) twice. Knit to end of rnd.

2nd and alt rnds: Knit.

3rd rnd: K16 (19). Kfb. K2. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd.

5th rnd: K**16** (**19**). Kfb. K4. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd.

7th rnd: K**16** (**19**). Kfb. K6. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd.

9th rnd: K**16** (19). Kfb. K8. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd.

11th rnd: K**16** (**19**). Kfb. K10. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. **48** (**54**) sts. **12th rnd:** Knit. Size M only: 13th rnd: K19. Kfb. K12. Kfb. Knit to end of rnd. 56 sts. 14th rnd: Knit.

Both sizes: Next rnd: K16 (19). Slip next 14 (16) sts onto a st holder. Cast on 2 sts. Knit to end of rnd. 36 (42) sts.

Work from *** to *** as given for Right Mitten.