

PetiteKnit

PENNY GLOVES



Size:	One size
Total length:	26 cm [10¼ inches]
Gauge:	25 sts x 35 rows = 10 x 10 cm [4 x 4 inches] in stockinette stitch on 3 mm [US2½] needles
Needles:	3 mm [US2½] / 80 cm [32 inches] circular needles (if you are using the Magic Loop technique) or 3 mm [US2½] double-pointed needles
Materials:	approx. 52 g Handspun alpaca yarn from Frisenvang (100 g = 250-300 m [273-328 yds]) (knitted with one strand) or 33 g Cashmere from Mondial (25 g = 115 m [126 yds]) (knitted with one strand) or 36 g Alva from Filcolana (25 g = 175 m [191 yds]) (knitted with two strands) or 33 g Cashmere Lace from Gepard Garn (25 g = 350 m [383 yds]) (knitted with three strands)

PATTERN

The Penny Gloves are fingerless gloves worked seamlessly from the cuff to the fingers. They can be worked either on double-pointed needles or on a long circular needle using the *Magic Loop* technique.

About increases

The increases are worked so they either slant right (M1R) or slant left (M1L) as follows:

M1R: Insert the left needle under the strand between the stitches from back to front, then knit this strand.

M1L: Insert the left needle under the strand between the stitches from front to back, then knit this strand through the back loop (twisted).

Gloves

Cast on 44 sts on 3 mm [US2½] double-pointed needles or on a 3 mm [US2½] / 80 cm [32 inches] circular needle, if you are using the *Magic Loop* technique, not too tightly. Join in the round and place a marker for the beginning of the round – this will be the side where the little finger is.

Purl 1 round.

Work 12 cm [4¾ inches] in the round in stockinette stitch.

Place a second marker after 22 sts to mark where increases for the thumb will be worked.

Now work increases for the thumb gusset as follows:

Round 1: Knit to 1 stitch before thumb marker, **M1R**, k1, slip marker, k1, **M1L**, knit to end of round.

Round 2: Knit across.

Round 3: Knit across.

Round 4: Knit across.

Repeat Round 1-4 a total of 7 times. There are now a total of 58 sts on the needle.

Now place the thumb sts on a stitch holder to rest, while the rest of the glove is finished as follows:

K21, slip the next 16 sts onto a stitch holder, cast on 2 new sts in extension of the sts on the needle using the backward loop method, k21. There are now a total of 44 sts on the needles again.

Work 4.5 cm [1¾ inches] in the round in stockinette stitch, measured from where the thumb sts were placed on a stitch holder.

Purl across 1 round.

Bind off all sts knit-wise, not too tightly.

Thumb

Slip the 16 sts from the stitch holder back on the needles.

Pick up and knit 2 sts in the sts cast on using the backward loop method. There are now a total of 18 sts on the needles.

Work 2.5 cm [1 inch] in the round in stockinette stitch.

Purl across 1 round.

Bind off all sts knit-wise, not too tightly.

Weave in all ends.

Work a second glove the same way as the first.

Abbreviations

k	knit
M1L	make one left (See About Increases)
M1R	make one right (See About Increases)
p	purl
st(s)	stitch(es)



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