



#sprinklifymittens

# SPRINKLIFY MITTENS

If you're looking for a quick and fun project (that doesn't require a lot of yarn), these mittens are just for you! The *Sprinklify* mittens will keep your fingers warm thanks to the dense and rich fabric created by working multiple strands of yarn.

The mittens are worked using three different colours to achieve a sprinklify effect. I recommend choosing one pop of colour (I went for coral) paired with one lighter colour in a similar shade (I matched it with light pink) and combining them with one contrasting colour (I chose a dark brown). Or, if feeling brave, only choose vibrant, high-contrast colours. Then again, if you're a lover of neutrals, go for the total opposite by sticking to yarns that are close to each other on the colour spectrum for a toned-down look. After all, that's the most fun part of creating your own garments – getting to choose and customize everything exactly to your liking.

#### Sizes:

One size.

#### Finished garment measurements:

Circumference: 18.5 cm / 7.5".

#### Gauge:

26 sts x 20 rnds = 10 x 10 cm / 4 x 4" on 4 mm (US6) needles in colourwork St st, after blocking.

28 sts x 30 rnds = 10 x 10 cm / 4 x 4" on 3 mm (US2.5) needles in \*k1tbl, p1\* ribbing, after blocking.

#### Needles:

3 mm (US2.5) and 4 mm (US6) DPNs or long circular needle for magic loop technique.

#### Notions:

Stitch markers, scrap yarn, tapestry needle.

#### Yarn:

##### MC

50 g of CaMaRose Lamauld 1/2 (50% llama, 50 % wool - 100 m / 109 yds / 50 g) in colour Lys Coral 6557.

##### CC1

30 g of CaMaRose Lamauld 1/2 in colour Lys Rosa 6030.

##### CC2

25 g of CaMaRose Lamauld 1/2 in colour Lys Brunmelert 6920.

## RIGHT HAND MITTEN

CO 48 sts on 3 mm (US2.5) DPNs (or circular needles for magic loop technique) in MC, and join to work in the round. Place marker to indicate beginning of round.

Work 18 rnds of \*k1tbl, p1\* ribbing (or until rib cuff measures 6 cm / 2.5").

Change to 4 mm (US6) DPNs (or circular needles for magic loop technique), and work Chart A across all sts.

Once you've completed all rnds of Chart A, start working according to Chart B across all sts until work measures 7 cm / 2.75" from rib cuff (13 cm / 5.25" in total from CO edge).

Continue working according to Chart B while the hole for the thumb is created on the next rnd, work as follows:

K2, transfer next 8 sts onto a piece of thread (this is where the thumb will be worked), CO 8 sts with backward loop technique, work to end of rnd.

Continue working according to Chart B for all sts until work measures 7 cm / 2.75" from desired total length.

Then work according to Chart C decreasing on both sides of the mitten until you have 16 sts in total left on your needles.

Work one rnd k2tog to end of rnd.

Cut yarn and pull through the remaining sts.

## THUMB

Transfer the 8 sts that were on hold for the thumbhole onto 4 mm (US6) DPNs. With MC, pick up and k 8 sts from the the CO edge and gap to prevent holes from appearing, k8 (thumb sts that were on hold). Join to work in the round. Place marker to indicate beginning of round.

*You have 16 sts in total for the thumb.*

### **Rnds 1:**

K all sts in MC.

Repeat rnd 1 until the thumb measures 6 cm / 2.25" in total.

Next, work one rnd as follows:

K2tog across all sts.

*You have 8 sts in total.*

Cut yarn and pull through the remaining sts.

## LEFT HAND MITTEN

CO 48 sts on 3 mm (US2.5) DPNs (or circular needles for magic loop technique) in MC, and join to work in the round. Place marker to indicate beginning of round.

Work 18 rnds of \*k1tbl, p1\* ribbing (or until rib cuff measures 6 cm / 2.5").

Change to 4 mm (US6) DPNs (or circular needles for magic loop technique), and work Chart A across all sts.

Once you've completed all rnds of Chart A, start working according to Chart B across all sts until

work measures 7 cm / 2.75" from rib cuff (13 cm / 5.25" in total from CO edge).

Continue working according to Chart B while the hole for the thumb is created on the next rnd, work as follows:

K14 transfer next 8 sts onto a piece of thread (this is where the thumb will be worked), CO 8 sts with backward loop technique, work to end of rnd.

Continue working according to Chart B for all sts until work measures 7 cm / 2.75" from desired total length.

Then work according to Chart C decreasing on both sides of the mitten until you have 16 sts in total left on your needles.

Work one rnd k2tog to end of rnd.

Cut yarn and pull through the remaining sts.

## THUMB

Work the thumb the same way as on the right hand mitten.

## FINISHING

I recommend blocking your mittens in cold to lukewarm water and gently shaping them by stretching them out towards the sides when wet. This will help smoothen any tension in the colourwork, open up and settle the stitches and remove any bubbliness. Dry the mittens flat, weave in all ends and you're ready to wear your new mitts!

Chart A

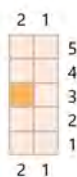


Chart B

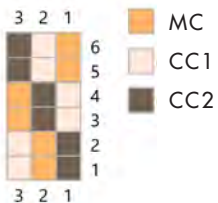


Chart C

