

WOOLEN MILLS LTD

Family Roving Mitten

Briggs & Little Country Roving (226g-8oz.) 5 ply unspun
Set of (4) 4mm and 6mm double pointed needles
Sm-approx. 2oz or 57g Med-approx. 3oz or 85g Lg-approx. 5oz. or 142g

Large (Medium):

With 4mm needles cast on 24 (21) stitches.K2,P1 for $3\frac{1}{2}$ " for cuff. Change to 6mm needles and K one round increasing 3 (2) stitches in this round.

Thumb Gusset:

K1, place a marker increase 1 in next stitch, K1, increase 1 in next stitch, place marker, K remainder of round. K1 round. Repeat these 2 rounds until there are 8 (7) stitches between markers. K all rows for 4 rounds. K1, take stitches between markers off onto a holder and cast on 4 (3) stitches to close thumb gusset, K remainder of round. K all rows until desired length.

Decrease for Top:

Row 1: K3, K2 together

Row 2: K one round

Row 3: K2, K2 tog to last titch then K1.

Row 4: K one round.

Row 5: K2 tog to last stitch then K1, break roving and pull gently through remaining stitches and darn in end.

Thumb:

Pick up 8 (7) stitches from holder and divide on 2 needles, pick up 4 (4) stitches from back to close thumb. K all rounds until ½" from tip of thumb. Start decreasing: K2, K2 tog to end of round. K2 tog to last stitch then K1, break roving and gently pull through remaining stitches, darn in end.

Small:

With 4mm needles cast on 18 stitches. K2, P1 for $2\frac{1}{2}$ ". Change to 6mm needles and K one round.

Thumb Gusset:

K1, place marker, increase 1 stitch in next stitch, K1, increase 1 in next stitch, place marker, K remainder of row. K three rows, 4th row: K1, take stitches off between markers onto a holder, cast on 2 titches to close thumb gusset K to end of round. K all rounds until desired length.

Decrease for top:

K1, K2 tog to end of round. K one round. K2, K2 tog to end of round, break roving and gently pull through remaining stitches and darn in end.

Thumb:

Divide 5 sts onto 2 needles, pick up 2 sts to close in thumb gusset. K all rounds to desired length or $\frac{1}{2}$ " from tip thumb. Decrease thumb K1, K2 tog to end of round. Next round K2 tog to end of round, break roving and gently pull through remaining stitches and darn in end.



