

Calypso Knits



Easy Fingerless Mitts

**Materials:**

120 yds worsted weight yarn
Size 7 double point needles
3 Stitch markers

Gauge:

5 sts and 7 rows = 1 inch in circular stockinette swatch

Size:

Kid's (women's, men's)

Abbreviations:

Inc – increase by knitting into the front and back of the stitch.

Rnd – round

K – knit

P – purl

Cuff:

Cast on 32 (36, 40) sts, place marker and join into a round.
K2, p2 for 2".
Begin knitting in stockinette stitch for 1.5" from end of ribbing.

Thumb shaping:

Rnd 1: K2, inc in next stitch, place marker, k to last 3 sts of rnd, place marker, inc in next stitch, k2.

Rnd 2: Knit around plain.

Rnd 3: K to one stitch before inc marker, inc in next stitch, slip marker, work to second marker, slip marker, inc in next stitch, k to end. 36 (40, 44) sts

Rnd 4: Knit around plain.

Repeat rnds 3 and 4 until there are 46 (50, 54) sts.

On last plain round, knit around to last inc marker, remove marker, k3 sts, then begin bind off.

Bind off 14sts for all sizes, knit one more round, removing thumb inc markers and begin k2p2 for 2" or until mitt is as long as you like.

Bind off loosely in rib.

Use the tail to sew up the slight gap at the thumb join.

Weave in ends and wear with joy!