



## KITTENZ MITTENZ

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Stranded Mittenz with an after thought thumb knitted fingertip to cuff using one long circular needle.

### Directions

With MC and smaller needle, cast on 10 stitches using figure 8 cast on or your favorite closed ended cast on method. (5 stitches on each needle)  
Knit using main yarn and tail, knit around. You will now have 5 groups of two for a total of 10 stitches.

On needle one (back of hand needle) k1 into first 4 strands, k2 strands together, knit1 into last 4 stitches.

Repeat for needle two (palm needle) (9 stitches on each needle)

### **Begin increase rounds**

K1, m1 (using backwards loop cast on), knit until one stitch from end of needle, m1, k1

Repeat for second needle

Continue this way of increasing until you have 27 stitches on each needle (do NOT knit one round between increase rounds)

Knit 1 more round

### **Begin Pattern Rounds**

Stitch to larger needle

Join CC and work both left and right mitten through round 25 following charts for back of hand and palm

### **Left Mitten**

Round 26

Knit pattern on back of hand chart (needle 1)

K1, knit 8 stitches on waste yarn, transfer stitches back to left needle, work palm chart (needle 2)

Rounds 27-40

Follow charts

### **Right Mitten**

Round 26

Knit pattern on back of hand chart (needle 1)

K to last 9 stitches, knit 8 stitches on waste yarn, transfer stitches back to left needle, work palm chart (needle 2)

Rounds 27-40

Follow charts

### **Cuffs**

Break off CC and knit one round using smaller needle

Decrease Round

K2, [k3, K2tog] on both needles

Work 2x2 rib for 17 rounds or until desired cuff length

Bind off loosely (use larger needle if necessary)

### **Thumb**

Using smaller needle, pick up 8 stitches from both sides of waste yarn, plus one stitch in corner (total of 18 stitches)

Remove waste yarn and knit 16 rounds or until thumb measures about ¼ inch less than desired length

[k2,k2tog] 2 times, k1 Repeat for second needle

Knit 1 round

[k1,k2tog] 2 times, k1 Repeat for second needle

Knit 1 round

K2tog around

Break off yarn, draw through tightly and weave in ends..



### **Finished Sizes:**

Ladies Adult size Medium

### **Needles:**

1 32 inch size 3 circular needle (shown in photo using Knitpicks Options needles)

1 32 inch size 4 circular needle (shown in photo using Knitpicks Options needles)

Adjust needle sizes if necessary to obtain gauge

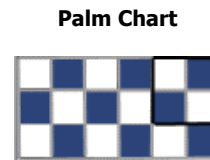
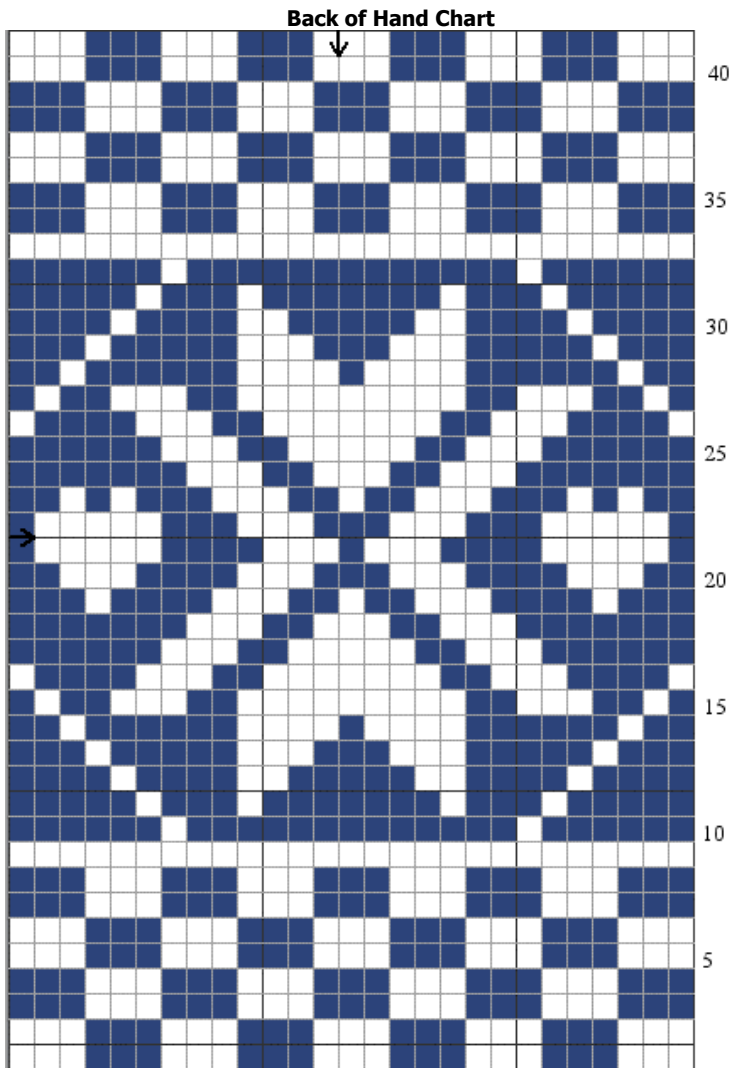
### **Yarn:**

MC Blue worsted weight yarn 50 grams (shown in photo using Paton's Merino wool)

CC White worsted weight yarn 50 grams (shown in photo using Paton's Merino wool)

### **Additional Materials:**

stitch markers  
tapestry needle  
waste yarn



*Special Notes: Slip all stitches as if to purl. We carried the Main Color through the mittenz and used scraps of other yarns breaking off each color when we were done. Use any color sequence or number of colors throughout your mittens, just follow the same basic pattern.*

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