

Gnome Mittens



Materials: fingering weight yarn, approx. 15 g [0.5 oz] blue; 5g [0.2 oz] white; 10g [0.4 oz] skin color; 5g [0.2 oz] orange; 5g [0.2 oz] dark navy ; 10g [0.4 oz] red and 5g [0.2 oz] yellow Trekking XXL by Atelier Zitron (order # 2010, yardage 420 m/100g [460 yds/3.5 oz]), color pink 35 g [1.2 oz], and DPN set 2.5 mm [US1.5] and 3,0mm [US2.5].

Finished size: **Size 1-2:** Hand circumference above thumb: 14cm/5,5in, Length: 15cm/6in. **Size 3-4:** Hand circumference above thumb: 16cm/6,3in, Length: 17cm/6,7in. (if numbers are different, you will find them in parenthesis) Gauge per 10 x 10 cm [4 x 4 in] in colorwork pattern: 34sts x 40rows. By changing the needle size, the size can be varied.

Abbreviations

st(s) =stitch(es) rnd(s) =round(s) k =knit p =purl

Instructions

Right Hand:

With 2,5mm needles cast 44(52) sts with **blue** color. Continue to work in the round, be careful not to twist. Dividing these as following: 11-11-11-11 (13-13.13-13). Continue from **Chart**: *K2, P2 Rip* Repeat from * to * to the end of the round for 15(22) rnds. 16(23).Rnd: *K2tog, yarn over; rep from * In rnd 20 (28) change to 3,0mm needles. In rnd 27 (37), using a piece of contrasting auxiliary yarn, work begin of thumb over the area marked with **yellow lines** (Needle #3 for the right thumb and Needle #4 for the left one). Continue to Round 47 (58), then work fingertip decreases according to chart. With tapestry needle, thread the yarn tail through the remaining 8 sts and secure end.

Thumb: Carefully remove the auxiliary yarn, place freed sts on needle, before using the first and third needle pick up and knit 2 stitches in the gap between = 22(24) sts, in the second rnd = 20(22) sts. Work rnds 1–11 (1-12) from **Thumb Chart**, then work out the tip decreases according to chart. With tapestry needle, thread the yarn tail through the remaining 8 sts and secure end.

Work the Body of the **left hand** in the same way, but shift thumb placement with a second **green line** marking.

I-Cords: You need two DPN's. Cast on 3sts with the yellow color. I used to cast on the longtail. Do not turn. Push sts to the right end of the needle. The working yarn tail will now be on the left side of your sts, * K3. Be sure to pull the first stitch tight (on this row and all rows) to close the gap behind the sts. rep from *

Continue this way until you have 26cm/10in length of I-cord.

To bind off pull the yarn through the stitches. Cut yarn and weave in ends. Work a second I-cord just like that. Carefully hide all ends.

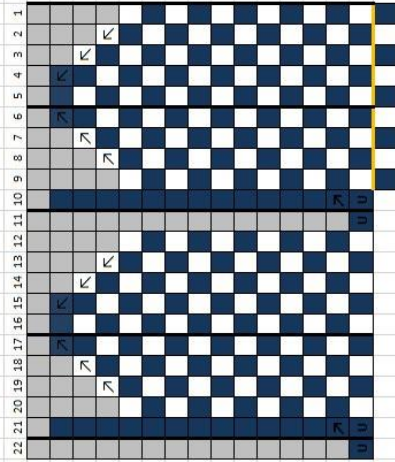
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	1st blue
	k2tog
	slip 1, k 1, psso
	purl 1
	yarn over
	make 1

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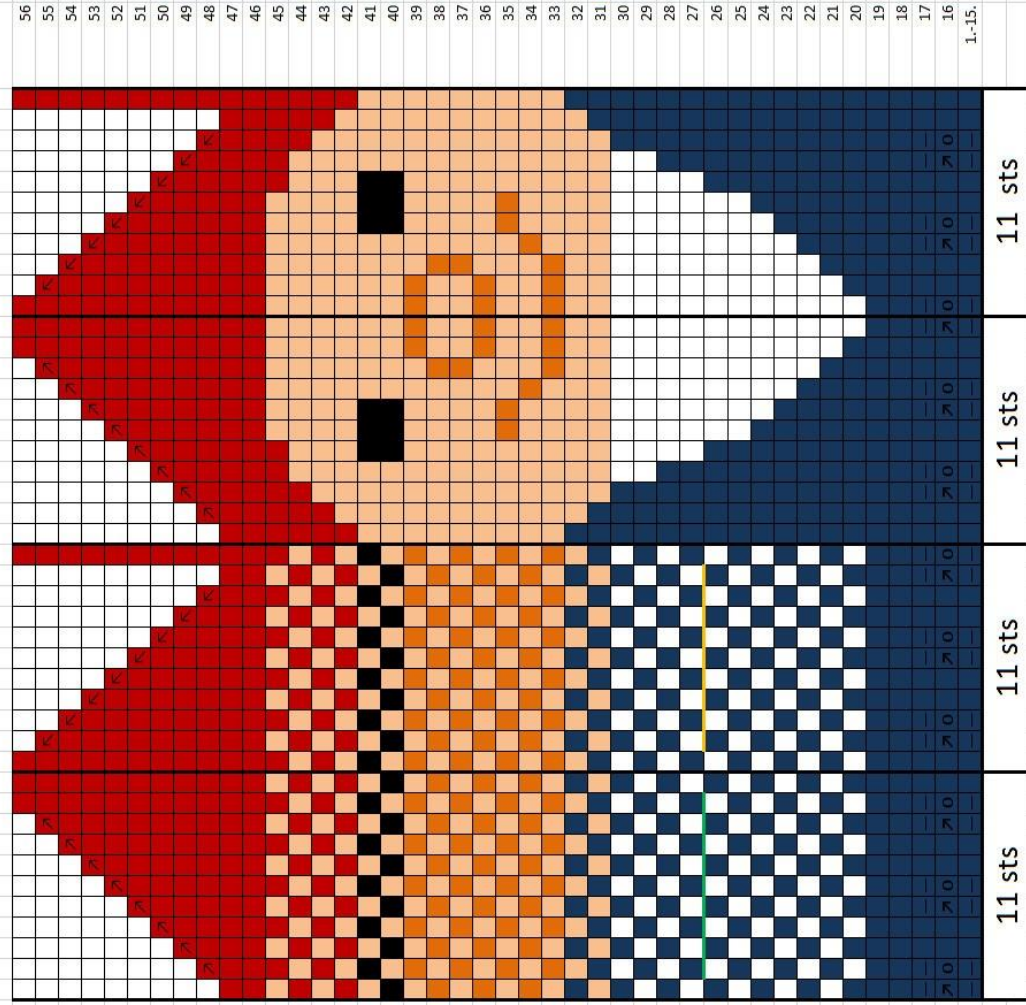
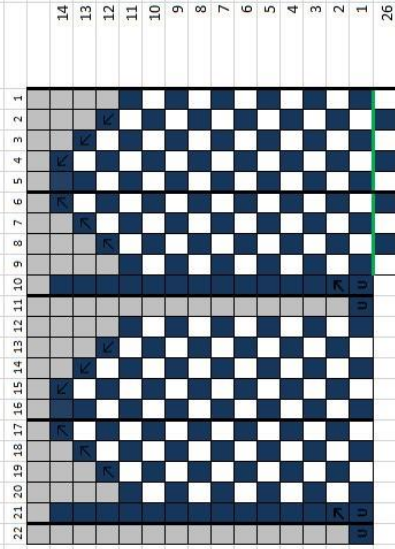
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Right Thumb



Left Thumb



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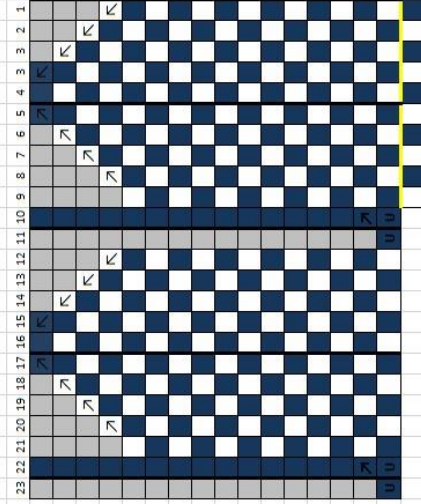
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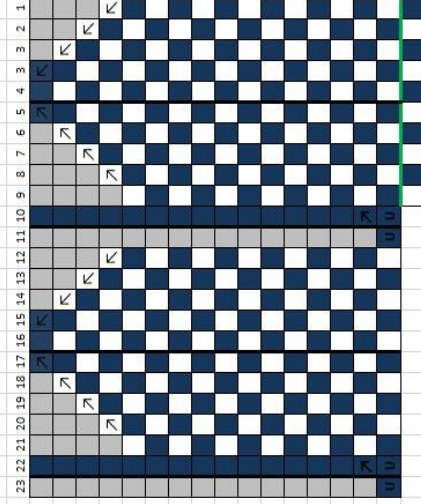
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Right Thumb



Left Thumb







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