

# RICO KNITTING IDEAS

**Creative Teddy** 



## **GLOVES**

## CREATIVE TEDDY







## SIZE

To fit an average adult medium (large) hand

Rico Design Creative Teddy: 1 x 100g ball in shade 001 (Cream) Set of Rico Design 4mm (UK 8) double pointed knitting

1 x split ring place marker 5m of hat elastic. 1mm wide



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#### **TENSION**

20 sts and 32 rounds to a 10 cm (4 in) square in Stocking Stitch with 4mm needles.

## INSTRUCTIONS

#### RIGHT MITT

\*\* Cast on 40 (44) sts. Distribute between 4 needles with 10 (11) sts on each needle. Join in the round, being careful not to twist. Place mark the join to indicate the start of the round, moving this as you knit.

Work in Stocking Stitch as follows:

Rnd 1: Knit.

Rep this rnd till work measures 6 cm (2 ½ in), ending at the end of a rnd.

Next rnd: \*K8 (9), k2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. 36

Leave the marker in its position. This is the place where the elastic will be sewn for the cuff.

Knit 3 rnds. \*\*

Work thumb gusset as follows:

Inc rnd 1: K2, M1, k1, M1, k to EoR. 38 (42) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 4: K2, M1, k3, M1, k to EoR. 40 (44) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 7: K2, M1, k5, M1, k to EoR. 42 (46) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 10: K2, M1, k7, M1, k to EoR. 44 (48) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 13: K2, M1, k9, M1, k to EoR. 46 (50) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 16: K2, M1, k11, M1, k to EoR. 48 (52) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Large size only

Inc rnd 19: K2, M1, k13, M1, k to EoR, 54 sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Next rnd: K2, slip the next 13 (15) sts onto waste yarn, turn and cast on 1 st using a knitted or cable cast on method and k to EoR. 36 (40) sts. 9 (10) sts on each needle. Cont in st st till mitts measure 16 (17) cm, measured from the base of the thumb and ending at the EoR.

#### SHAPE MITT TOP

Next rnd (dec): (K1, ssk, k to 3 sts before end of next needle, k2tog, k1) work twice. (dec of 4 sts)

Next rnd: Knit.

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Rep the last 2 rnds till 8 sts remain, ending with the plain knit rnd.

Cut varn leaving a long tail and thread this through the rem sts. Pull tight and weave in end.

#### THUMB

With RS facing, slip the 13 (15) sts onto four needles, pick up 1 st at the base of the thumb so that there are 3 (4) sts on needles 1 and 2, and 4 sts on needle 3 and 4, 14 (16) sts.

Join and work in the round in st st till thumb measures 6 (7) cm, ending at the end of the EoR.

Dec rnd 1: (K1 (2), k2tog) twice, (k2, k2tog) twice. 10 (12) sts.

Dec rnd 2: (K0 (1), k2tog) twice, (k1, k2tog) twice. 6 (8)

Cut yarn leaving a long tail and thread this through the rem sts. Pull tight and weave in end.

#### LEFT MITT

Work \*\* to \*\* as for the Right Mitt.

Work thumb gusset as follows:

Inc rnd 1: K33 (37), M1, k1, M1, k to EoR. 38 (42) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 4: K33 (37), M1, k3, M1, k to EoR. 40 (44) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 7: K33 (37), M1, k5, M1, k to EoR. 42 (46) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 10: K33 (37), M1, k7, M1, k to EoR. 44 (48) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 13: K33 (37), M1, k9, M1, k to EoR. 46 (50) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Inc rnd 16: K33 (37), M1, k11, M1, k to EoR. 48 (52) sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Large size only

Inc rnd 19: K37, M1, k13, M1, k to EoR. 54 sts. Work 2 rnds straight.

Next rnd: K33 (37), slip the next 13 (15) sts onto waste yarn, turn and cast on 1 st using a knitted or cable cast on method and k to EoR. 36 (40) sts. 9 (10) sts on each

Cont in st st till mitts measure 16 (17) cm, measured from the base of the thumb and ending at the EoR.

#### **SHAPE MITT TOP**

Work Mitt top as for the Right Mitt

Work thumb as for the Right Mitt.

#### FINISHING

Dampen the mitts by spraying with water, or place a clean damp cloth over them. Ease into shape and leave to dry.

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#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

Cont

EoR	=	end of round	
K/p	=	knit/purl	
K2tog	=	knit 2 stitches together	
M1	=	Make one stitch: use the bar	
		between the stitch you have just	
		knitted and the one you are just	
		about to knit. Pick it up with the	
		left needle from front to back.	
		Knit into the back of this stitch to	

Rnd(s)	=	round(s)	
RS/WS	=	right side/wrong side	
S1p	=	slip one stitch purlwise	
Ssk	=	slip, slip, knit: slip 2 sts knitwise	
		one at a time to the right needle.	
		Insert the left needle tip through	

uah these two slipped stitches and knit together

create a new stitch.

st/sts stitch/stitches

#### DIFFICULTY

★☆☆	=	easy
<b>★★☆</b>	=	intermediate
***	=	advanced
(easyl)	_	for beginner



for beginners