

NURTURING FIBRES

Granny Square Fingerless Gloves



Colour used: Eco-Cotton Various

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PATTERN DIFFICULTY

Easy

MEASUREMENTS

Pattern Sizes:

Any (pattern can be custom changed for any size)

MATERIALS

Nurturing Fibres 125m/50g
Eco-Cotton

Approx 50g in any combination of colours

Hook: 4.00mm

Tapestry Needle

Scissors

ABBREVIATIONS

beg – begin/ing

ch – chain

htr – half treble

slst – slip stitch

st-sp/s – stitch space/s

tr – treble

IMPORTANT!

PATTERN NOTES

- Pattern is written in UK terminology
- Work ch3 at the beginning of tr rounds. This counts as a stitch.
- For a neater start to each round, replace the ch3 of each round with a standing treble. Tutorials are available on YouTube.
- The post of the stitch, refer to the actual body of the stitch.



INSTRUCTIONS

Using a 4.00mm hook, ch 4, close with a slst OR use a magic circle.

Round 1: Ch3, 2tr in ring, (ch2, 3tr in ring) 3 times, close with a htr in the 3rd ch.

Round 2: Ch3, 2tr around post of htr of prev round, *(3tr, ch2, 3tr) in next 2chsp*, rep from * all around to starting corner, work 3tr in starting corner, close with a htr in the 3rd ch.

Round 3: Ch3, 2tr around post of htr of prev round, *3tr between next two 3tr-groupings, (3tr, ch2, 3tr) in next corner space*, rep from * a total of three times, 3tr between next 2 3tr-groupings, 3tr in beg corner, close with a htr in 3rd ch.

Round 4: Ch3, 2tr around post of htr of prev round, *3tr between each 3tr-grouping to corner, (3tr, ch2, 3tr) in corner sp*, rep from * a total of three times, 3tr between each 3tr-grouping to beg corner, 3tr in beg

corner, close with a htr in the 3rd ch.

Next rounds: Rep prev round.

The recommended amount of rounds for a child's size glove is approx. 6 - 8 and an adult's size is approx. 10 rounds. Keep working rounds until the square forms a snug fit around your hand, keeping in mind that a last joining round will be worked.

For the next round, work the slst's when joining in the space between groups of 3tr's of the previous round. These spaces will be referred to as st-sp/s.

Joining round: To make this round easier to understand, the block has been 'divided' in four sides, although it forms part of a single round.

First side: (Ch3, 2tr, ch2, 3tr) around post of htr of prev round, 3tr between each 3tr-grouping to next corner,

Second side: (3tr, ch2, 3tr) in next corner space, 1tr in each tr to next corner space,

Third side: 3tr in next corner space, fold the block in half, ch1, slst in corner of the folded (back half) of the square, ch1, 3tr in the current corner of the front half, ch1, slst in the next st-sp of the back half, ch1, 3tr in the next st-sp of the front

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half, ch1, slst in the next st-sp of the back half, ch1, (if making a kid-size glove, immediately make the thumb-opening after the corner space) (3tr between the next st-sp of the front half) twice, *(thumb opening created)*, ch1, sk next two 3tr groupings of the back half, slst between the next st-sp of the back, ch1, *3tr between the next st-sp of the front, ch1, slst between the next st-sp of the back, ch1*, rep from * to corner space,

Fourth (last) side: 3tr in the next corner space, ch1, slst in the corner space of the back corner, ch1, 3tr in the front corner space, work 1tr in each st across the side and close with a slst in the 3rd ch. Fasten off.

THUMB OPENING

Join yarn in any st, ch3, and work 1tr in each st all around. Close with a slst in the 3rd ch. Fasten off.

FINISH UP

Weave in all loose ends



ABOUT THE YARNS

Eco-Cotton is a softly spun yarn with 125 meters to a ball. It is 100% cotton and lovingly hand-dyed in South Africa.

Stockists of our yarn are listed on our webpage

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