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Shop Hop 2013 A River Runs Through Mitt

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Grab your knitting and a cup o' joe and meet us at the St. Croix River.



Instructions

Cast on 37 stitches, place start of round marker and join to work in round.

Rounds 1 – 16: Work 18 stitches of chart (WC), P1, *K1tbl, P1 repeat from * to end of round.

Rounds 17 – 32: Repeat rounds 1-16.

Rounds 33 – 37: WC, knit to end of round.

Round 38 (Right Hand Only): WC, K2, PM, K1, PM, K2, M1L, K6, M1L, K6, M1L, K2. (40 stitches)

Round 38 (Left Hand Only): WC, K2, M1L, K6, M1L, K6, M1L, K2, PM, K1, PM, K2. (40 stitches)

Round 39: WC, knit to marker, SM, M1L, knit to 1 stitch before marker, M1R, SM, knit to end of round.

Round 40: WC, knit to marker, SM, knit all stitches between markers, SM, knit to end of round.

Rounds 41 – 49: Repeat 2 previous rows until you have 13 stitches between the markers. (52 stitches)

Round 50: WC, knit to first marker, remove thumb markers and put 13 stitches on holder, knit to end of round. (39 stitches)

Rounds 51 – 56: WC, knit to end of round.

Round 57: WC, K2, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K2 (35 stitches)

Rounds 58 – 64: WC, P1, *K1tbl, P1 Repeat from * to end of round.

Rounds 65 & 66: WC Rows 1 and 2, P1, *K1tbl, P1 repeat from * to end of round.

Bind off all stitches in pattern.

Materials

US7 needles; double point or magic loop. Pick your pleasure Cable Needle (or not...)

Tapestry needle

Yarn: Sweet Georgia Superwash Worsted (200yds/115g)

Color: DKA Exclusive Color River

Size Average adult (change size easily by adding or removing stitches in multiples of 2) or decrease needle size.

Gauge 20 stitches x 28 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch

Abbreviations/Definitions

K=Knit

P = Purl

WC = Work 18 stitches of chart

K1tbl = Knit 1 stitch through the back loop

PM = Place marker

SM = Slip marker

M1L = Make one stitch left leaning, lift bar between stitches from front to back and knit through the back loop

M1R = Make one stitch right leaning, lift bar between stitches from back to front and knit through the front loop

CN = Cable needle



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Thumb

Put held off stitches back onto needles, knit 1 round picking up 3 stitches.

Knit 1 more round and bind off.

Left Hand Chart

| 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | | |
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| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | • | Q | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | 16 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | —/• | —/• | —/• | —/• | • | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | 15 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | 14 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —/• | —/• | —/• | —/• | • | • | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | 13 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | 12 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | —/• | —/• | —/• | —/• | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | Q | • | Q | 11 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 10 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 9 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 8 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —\ | —\ | —\ | —\ | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 7 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 6 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —\ | —\ | —\ | —\ | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 5 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 4 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | —\ | —\ | —\ | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 3 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 2 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 1 |

Right Hand Chart

| 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 16 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | —\ | —\ | —\ | —\ | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 15 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 14 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —\ | —\ | —\ | —\ | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 13 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 12 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —\ | —\ | —\ | —\ | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 11 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 10 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 9 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 8 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —/• | —/• | —/• | —/• | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 7 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 6 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | —/• | —/• | —/• | —/• | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 5 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 4 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | —/• | —/• | —/• | —/• | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 3 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 2 |
| Q | • | Q | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | 1 |

Chart Key

(read chart from right to left starting with row 1)

- Purl
- Q Knit 1 stitch through back loop
- /• Cable 1 over 1 right...slip 1 to CN, hold in back, K1tbl, P1 from CN
- \ Cable 1 over 1 left...slip 1 to CN, hold in front, P1, K1tbl from CN.



Pattern tips & notes

This is the perfect pattern to learn how to cable without a cable needle.

Here's how...



- Slip the next two stitches to the right hand needle.
- Put the left needle into the 2nd stitch from the tip of the right needle through the back loop.
- While holding the base of those 2 stitches with your fingertips, slip both off of the right needle. The 2nd stitch will be safe on the left needle, but the 1st stitch (the knit stitch) will not.
- Calmly, put the right needle into the free knit stitch then slip it on the left needle. You now have both stitches on the left needle in the correct order to knit the 1st stitch through the back loop and then purl the next.



- Insert the needle into the 2nd stitch on the left needle through the back loop.
- While holding the base of the first two stitches, slip the stitches off of the left needle. The 2nd stitch will be safe on the right needle, but the 1st stitch will not. Your fingers should keep it safe if you are pinching the base of the stitches.
- Calmly, put the left needle into that knit stitch and slip the stitch on the right needle back to the left. You now have both stitches in the correct order to purl the 1st stitch and knit the 2nd stitch through the back loop.

