

Crocheted Mittens

Use 3-4 ply worsted weight yarn. Extra Small size C hook (3 ply), Small E hook (3 ply), Medium G hook (4 ply), and Large H hook (4 ply).

Directions:

Cuff:

Chain 11 to begin.

Row 1: 1 sc in second chain from hook, sc in remaining Ch, Ch 1 turn (10 stitches)

Row 2-24: Working in back loop sc in each sc to end of row, Ch 1, turn.

Row 25: (Joining row) slip stitch corresponding chains in row 1. Ch.1 Turn inside out; this will become the right side.

Body of Mitten:

Row 1: Sc at joining of Ch 1. Evenly space 27 sc around the base of the cuff. (28 sc) Slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn.

Row 2-4: Sc in each sc around joining with a slip stitch to join. Ch 1, turn. (28 sc)

Row 5: 1 sc in first sc, chain 4 (thumb opening), skip next 4 stitches, 1 sc in each sc until the end of round, slip stitch to join, ch1, turn. (24 sc)

Row 6: Working around sc in each sc and chain stitch around, slip stitch to join, Ch.1 and turn. (28 sc)

Row 7-16: Sc in each sc around joining with a slip stitch to join. Ch 1, turn. (28 sc)

Row 17: 1 sc in next 3 sc, *2 sc together, 1 sc in next 5 sc* Repeat from * to* 2 more times. 2 sc tog, 1 sc in next 2 sc, slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn (24 sc)

Row 18: Sc in each sc. Slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Row 19: 1 sc in next 2 sc. *2 sc together, 1 sc in next 4 sc*, repeat from *to* 2 more times, 2 sc together, 1 sc in next 2 sc, slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn (20 sc)

Row 20: Sc in each sc around. Slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn.

Row 21: 1 sc in next 2 sc, *2 sc together, 1 sc in next 3 sc*, repeat from * to* 2 more times, 2 sc together , 1 sc in last stitch, slip stitch to join. Ch 1, turn.

Row 22: 1 sc in next two sc, *2 sc together, 1 sc*, repeat from *to* 3 more times, 2 sc together, slip stitch to join, Ch 1. (12 sc) Cut yarn leaving about an 8 to 10 inch tail, pull yarn through the last Ch 1. Using a darning needle, weave yarn through the 12 sc of last Row, pull tight to close up the end of the mitten, weave yarn to secure closing and fasten off.

Thumb:

Row 1: Join yarn, Ch 1 and 1sc in the first sc of thumb opening, 1 sc in the next 3 sc. Pick up 6 sc around the remaining thumb opening, slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn. (10 sc)

Row 2-6: Sc in each sc around joining with a slip stitch. Ch 1, turn. (10 sc)

Row 7: 1 sc in first sc, 2 sc together, 1 sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc together, 1 sc in next 2 sc, slip stitch to join, Ch 1, turn.

Row 8: 1 sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc together, 1 sc in next sc, 2 sc together, 1 sc in next sc, slip stitch to join, chain 1, end off (6 sc)

Cut yarn leaving about an 8 to 10 inch tail, pull yarn through the last Ch 1. Using a darning needle, weave yarn through the 6 sc of the last row, pull tight to close up the end of the thumb, weave in yarn to secure closing and fasten off.

Note:

Do the cuffs first before you complete the rest of the pattern. Try the cuff around the child's wrist to make sure it fits. If it fits, the rest of the pattern will be fine.