## MERINO TEXTURA
## Fingerless Mitts



**Approximate Measurements** *after blocking*
**6 ½" wide x 7 ½" long**

**Materials:**
**Merino Textura: 1—100g skein, color 7 Merlot Shadow**
**Gauge**: 18 sts, 28 rows = 4" in st st and Lacy Arrow on US Size 7 (4.5mm) needle *after blocking*.
**Needles/Notions:** US Size 7 (4.5mm) DPNs, 5 st marker (m)- 1 in a one color, 2 in a second color, and 2 in a third color, scrap yarn.

You can make 2 pairs (4 mitts) with one skein.

Follow either the written or charted directions for the Lacy Arrow stitch. If you are following the chart directions, work all rounds from right to left.

Rib Rnd: *K1, p1; rep from * around. Rep this rnd for pattern st.

Lacy Arrow (Worked over 9 sts)
Rnd 1 (RS): P1, yo, ssk, k3, k2tog, yo, p1.
Rnds 2 and 4: P1, k7, p1.
Rnd 3: P1, k1, yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k1, p1.
Rnd 5: P1, k2, yo, sl 1-k2tog-psso, yo, k2, p1.
Rnd 6: Same as row 2.
Rep these 6 rnds for pattern st.

**Begin**
CO 30 sts- distributing the sts evenly on DPNs. Join in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. PM that is a different color than the rest. Work Rib Rnd for 4 rnds, inc 1 st on last rnd. 31 sts on needle.
Rnd 1: K11, pm, work next 9 sts in Lacy Arrow, pm, k11.
Rnd 2: K to m, sl m, work next row in Lacy Arrow to m, sl m, k to end.
Cont as established, work progressing in Lacy Arrow st until you have worked 30 rnds (5 total rep) of the lace st.

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<u>Right Mitt</u> (You will now use the third color markers to mark thumb sts)
<u>Rnd 1:</u> Pattern across 23 sts, pm, m1, k1, m1, pm, pattern to end of rnd—2 sts inc'd.
33 sts on needles- 3 sts in between the third color m.
<u>Rnd 2:</u> Pattern across all sts- working in st st on the thumb sts.
<u>Rnd 3:</u> Pattern across to third color m, sl m, m1, k to m, m1, sl m, pattern to end of rnd—2 sts inc'd.
Rep rnds 2 and 3 three times more. 43 sts on needles- 11 sts in between the third color m.
<u>Next Rnd:</u> Pattern across to third color m, remove third color m, sl the next 11 sts onto scrap yarn, remove third color m, CO 1 st onto the left hand needle, pattern across to end of rnd. 31 sts on needle.

<u>Left Mitt</u> (You will now use the third color markers to mark thumb sts.)
<u>Rnd 1:</u> Pattern across 7 sts, pm, m1, k1, m1, pm, pattern to end of rnd—2 sts inc'd.
33 sts on needles—3 sts in between the third color m.
<u>Rnd 2:</u> Pattern across all sts- working in st st on the thumb sts.
<u>Rnd 3:</u> Pattern across to third color m, sl m, m1, k to m, m1, sl m, pattern to end of rnd—2 sts inc'd.
Rep rnds 2 and 3 three times more. 43 sts on needles- 11 sts in between the third color m.
<u>Next Rnd:</u> Pattern across to third color m, remove third color m, sl the next 11 sts onto scrap yarn, remove third color m, CO 1 st onto the left hand needle, pattern across to end of rnd. 31 sts on needle.
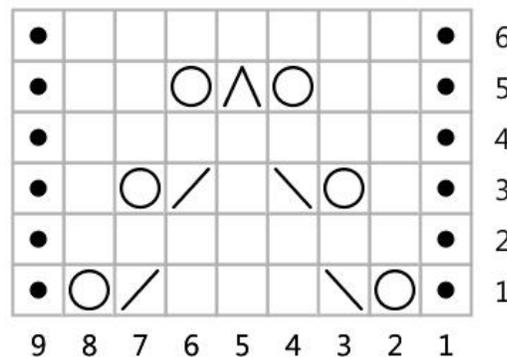
<u>Both Mitts</u>
Work 8 more rnds, dec 1 st across last rnd. 30 sts on needle. Work <u>Rib Rnd</u> for 4 rnds. BO all sts on next rnd in rib.

<u>Thumb</u>
With RS facing, unzip the scrap yarn from the 11 sts on the thumb. Distribute the sts onto 3 DPNs. Pick up 1 st from the CO edge of the thumb. 12 st on needle. Join in the rnd and pm. Work <u>Rib Rnd</u> for 2 rnds. BO all sts in rib on next rnd. Rep for the other thumb. Weave in all ends.

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### Lacy Arrow Chart



### Key



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