

PLUM DANDI *Knits*

SIMPLE DESIGNS FOR LUXURY YARNS

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In the minutes before the day begins you find stolen moments that are yours, and yours alone. With a flared bottom edge and button detail, these bulky cabled leg warmers transition effortlessly from bare legs to over your favorite pair of short boots. They are worked in the round from the top down.

FINISHED SIZE

10" (25.5 cm) circumference and 14" (35.5 cm) long.

YARN

Bulky weight [#6 Super Bulky].

Shown here: Dragonfly Fibers Super Traveller (100% superwash merino wool; 107 yd [98 m]/4 oz [113 g]: Birch, 3 skeins.

NEEDLES

Size U.S. 9 (5.5 mm): set of 4 double-pointed (dnp) or 32" (80 cm) or longer circular (cir) for Magic Loop method.

Size U.S. 11 (8 mm): set of 4 dnp or 32" (80 cm) or longer cir for Magic Loop method.

Adjust needle sizes if necessary to obtain the correct gauge.

NOTIONS

Stitch marker (m); cable needle (cn); tapestry needle; four 1" (25 mm) buttons; needle and thread for sewing on buttons.

GAUGE

Approximately 19 sts and 17½ rnds = 4" (10 cm) in patt with larger needles.

NOTES

These legwarmers are worked in the round from the top down on double-pointed needles, and button at the ankles. A long circular needle may be used to work using the Magic Loop method (see Glossary) if desired.



STITCH GUIDE

2/2 LC (2 over 2 left cross): Sl 2 sts to cn and hold in front of work, k2, k2 from cn.

2/2 RC (2 over 2 right cross): Sl 2 sts to cn and hold in back of work, k2, k2 from cn.

Cable Pattern (see chart)

(multiple of 8 sts)

Rnd 1: [P1, k2, 2/2 LC, p1] to end.

Rnds 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, and 10: [P1, k6, p1] to end.

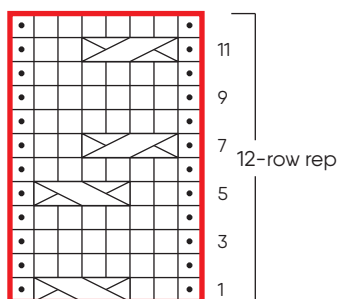
Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 1.

Rnd 7: [P1, 2/2 RC, k2, p1] to end.

Rnd 11: Rep Rnd 7.

Rnd 12: Rep Rnd 2.

Rep Rnds 1–12 for patt.



□ knit

• purl

⧏ 2/2 RC (see Stitch Guide)

⧏ 2/2 LC (see Stitch Guide)

□ pattern repeat

Legwarmers

(Make 2)

With smaller needles, CO 44 sts. Place marker (pm) and join for working in rnds, being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1: [K1, p1] to end of rnd.

Rep last rnd 8 more times.

Change to larger needles.

Next rnd: (inc) [K10, m1, k1] 4 times—48 sts.

Work Rnds 1–12 of Cable Patt 3 times (see Stitch Guide or chart). Piece should measure approximately 10½" (26.5 cm) from beg.

RIGHT CUFF (WORKED FLAT)

Beg working back and forth.

Row 1: (WS) K1, [p6, k2] to last 7 sts, p6, k1, CO 6 sts using Backward Loop method (see Glossary)—54 sts.

Rows 2, 6, 8, and 12: (RS) K6, p1, [k6, p2] to last 7 sts, k6, p1.

Rows 3, 5, 7, 9, and 11: K1, [p6, k2] to last 13 sts, p6, k1, p6.

Rows 4 and 10: (buttonhole) K3, yo, k2tog, k1, p1, [k6, p2] to last 7 sts, k6, p1.

Row 13: Rep Row 3.

BO all sts loosely in patt.

LEFT CUFF (WORKED FLAT)

At end of last rnd, CO 6 sts using Backward Loop method—54 sts.

Beg working back and forth.

Row 1: (WS) P6, k1, [p6, k2] to last 7 sts, p6, k1.

Rows 2, 6, 8, and 12: (RS) P1, [k6, p2] to last 13 sts, k6, p1, k6.

Rows 3, 5, 7, 9, and 11: Rep Row 1.

Rows 4 and 10: (buttonhole) P1, [k6, p2] to last 13 sts, k6, p1, k2, yo, k2tog k2.

Row 13: Rep Row 1.

BO all sts loosely in patt.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Block lightly to measurements. Sew buttons to cuffs opposite buttonholes.





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