CROCHET 1  SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

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MATERIALS

Caron® x Pantone™ (3.5 oz /100 g; 127 yds/116 m)
Ocean Surf (01008)  2 braids

Sizes U.S. J/10 (6 mm) and U.S. L/11 (8 mm) crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge. Stitch markers.

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• Due to finite amount of yarn in each shade, pattern gauge must be matched to ensure successful results.

MITTENS (make 2 alike)
1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 12 sc.
2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc cl each in sc to end of row. Turn.
Rep 2nd row until work from beg measures 7” [18 cm], ending on a WS row. Do not fasten off.

Join Seam: Working in back loops only, sl st last row and rem loops of foundation ch tog. Fasten off. Join B with sl st at seam and proceed as follows:

Note: Do not join at ends of rnds. Cont working in spiral placing marker on first st of rnd for easier counting.

Change to larger hook and beg working in rnds:
1st rnd: With B, ch 1. Work 24 sc evenly around.
2nd rnd: Skip next ch. 1 splsc in each st around.

3rd to 6th rnds: 1 splsc in each st around.

Shape thumb gusset: 1st rnd: 1 splsc in each of next 11 sts. 2 splsc in each of next 2 sts. 1 splsc in each st to end of rnd. 26 sts.
2nd rnd: 1 splsc in each st around.
3rd rnd: 1 splsc in each of next 12 sts. 2 splsc in each of next 2 sts. 1 splsc in each st to end of rnd. 28 sts.
4th rnd: 1 splsc in each st around.
5th rnd: 1 splsc in each of next 13 sts. 2 splsc in each of next 2 sts. 1 splsc in each st to end of rnd. 30 sts. Join C. Break B.
6th rnd: With C, 1 splsc in each st around.
7th rnd: 1 splsc in each of next 11 sts. Ch 2. Place marker on 2nd ch. Skip next 8 sts. 1 splsc in each st to end of rnd.
8th rnd: 1 splsc in each of next 11 sts. 1 sc in each of next 2 ch. 1 splsc in each st to end of rnd. Join D. Break B. Then proceed as follows:

Note: When changing colors in chart, work to last 2 loops on hook of first color. Draw new color through last 2 loops and proceed in next color. Carry color when not in use loosely across top of row and work sts around it being sure to maintain gauge.

1st to 15th rnds: Work rows 1 to 15 of Chart, noting each square represents 1 splsc, reading all rnds from right to left, noting 12-st rep will be worked twice. Join C. Break D and E.

16th rnd: With C, 1 splsc in each st around, then proceed as follows:

Shape top: 1st rnd: (1 splsc in each of next 2 sts. Splsc2tog) 6 times. 18 sts.
2nd rnd: (Splsc2tog. 1 splsc in next st) 6 times. 12 sts.
Fasten off, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts and fasten securely.

Thumb: Join C with sl st at marker. Ch 1. 1 sc in each loop of ch-2 sp. 1 splsc in each of next 8 sts.

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Next rnd: Skip ch-1. 1 splsc in each st around. 10 sts. Join E. Break C.

Next rnd: With E, 1 splsc in each st around. Rep last rnd until Thumb from marker measures 2" [5 cm].

Next rnd: (Splsc2tog) 5 times. Fasten off, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts and fasten securely.
Fold Cuff in half towards RS.