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## Beaded Wristlets

with

# SIMPLY SOFT PARTY



designed by Marilyn Losee

TECHNIQUE USED: Knit



EASY

### KNITTED MEASUREMENTS

Approximately 7"/18cm

circumference x 8"/20.5cm long

Note: Wristlets stretch to fit a

range of sizes



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### MATERIALS

[Caron International's Simply Soft](#)

[Party](#) (99% acrylic, 1% polyester;

3oz/85g, 171yds/156m): 2 oz/34g

**Shown in:** #0007 Black Sparkle

One pair each U.S. sizes 6 (4mm)

and 7 (4.5mm) straight needles or

size to obtain gauge

4 stitch markers

32 beads (#3 seed beads)

Dental floss threader for threading

beads

### GAUGE

In St st, using U.S. size 7 (4.5mm) needles, 20 sts and 28 rows =

4"/10cm

### STITCHES USED

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K1, p1 rib

Stockinette stitch (St st)

**Bead Stitch:** Bring yarn to front, slide bead up to needle, slip next stitch purlwise, bring yarn to back, tighten yarn before working next stitch.

#### **PATTERN STITCH**

**Bead Pattern (worked over 5 sts):**

**Row 1 (RS):** K2, bead st, k2.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6 (WS):** Purl.

**Row 3:** K1, bead st, k1, bead st, k1.

**Row 5:** Rep Row 1.

**Row 7:** Knit.

**Row 8:** Purl.

Rep Rows 1–8 for patt.

#### **SPECIAL TERM**

**k1-f/b:** Knit 1 front and back – Knit next st, then knit it through the back loop. (1 st increased)

#### **NOTES**

Wristlets are worked on two needles. The thumb stitches are added to each side and joined by a seam.

The bead pattern is worked over five marked stitches.

The beads must be large enough to thread the yarn through.

Thread the beads before starting project using a dental floss threader or any beading needle.

#### **LEFT GLOVELET**

Thread 16 beads onto yarn.

With larger needles, CO 34 sts.

Change to smaller needles Work in k1, p1 rib for 12 rows. Change to larger needles.

**Next row (RS):** K across inc 4 sts evenly spaced—38 sts.

**Next row:** Purl.

#### **Beginning patt:**

**Row 1 (RS):** K7, pm (place marker), work Row 1 of bead patt on next 5 sts, pm, k to end of row.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6 (WS):** Purl.

**Row 3:** K7, sm (slip marker), work Row 3 of bead patt on next 5 sts, sm, k to end.

**Row 5:** Rep Row 1.

**Row 7:** Knit.

**Row 8:** Purl.

#### **Thumb Gusset:**

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, k1-f/b, k1, pm, k4, work Row 1 of bead patt on next 5 sts, k to last 3 sts, pm, k1, k1-f/b, k1—40 sts.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6:** Purl.

**Row 3:** K2, k1-f/b, k1, sm, k4, work Row 3 of bead patt on next 5 sts, k to next marker, sm, k1, k1-f/b, k2—42 sts.

**Row 5:** K3, k1-f/b, k1, sm, k4, work Row 5 of bead patt on next 5 sts, k to next marker, sm, k1, k1-f/b, k3—44 sts.

**Row 7:** K across row, k1-f/b in st 2 sts before first marker and in 2nd st after second marker—46 sts.

**Row 8:** Purl across row.

Continue in est patt repeating incs and bead patt until there are 52 sts.

BO 7 sts at beg of next 2 rows to end thumb—38 sts.

Rep Beginning Patt Rows 1–8 once more.

Change to smaller needles. Work in k1, p1 rib for 4 more rows. BO in rib.

**RIGHT GLOVELET**

Work as for Left Glovelet, reversing for thumb placement.

**FINISHING**

Using yarn needle, weave in ends. Sew side seam.

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