

Adeline Fingerless Mitts



Materials

1. Worsted weight size 4 medium yarn.
2. Hook H (5 mm).
3. Sewing needle to weave in the tails.

Gauge

14 dc st = 3 ½ inches

4 dc rows alternating with 3 sl st rows = 3 ½ inches

Switch to a bigger or smaller hook to attain gauge.

Size

Fits an average woman's hand. A finished glove is 8 ½ inches long and 3.5 inches wide.

Yardage

140 yards for a pair

Stitch Abbreviations

Pattern is in standard American terms.

dc- double crochet

sc- single crochet

hdc- half double crochet

tr- triple crochet

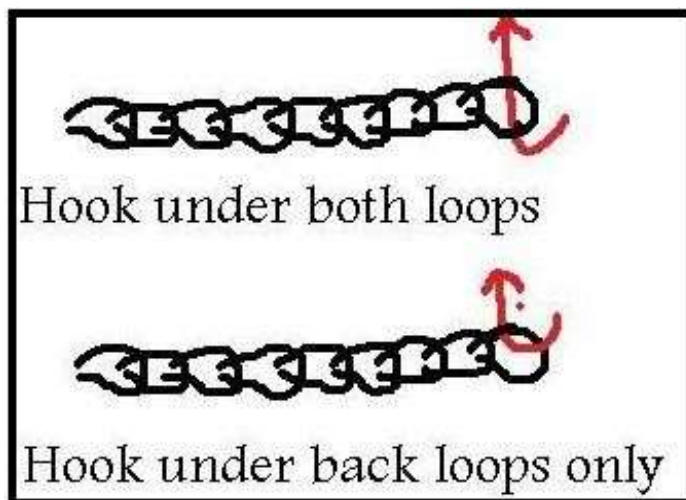
sl st- slip stitch

ch- chain

sk- skip

Stitch Explanation

1. **Work in Back Loops only** : When you are asked to work in back loops only, you work inserting your hook though only one of the loops of the stitch leaving one loop free as shown below.



1. How to insert your hook while working in back loops only

Pattern (please work from written pattern below)



2. Start slip stitching the two sides together in to a tube



3. When sl stitching insert hook in to loops as shown



4. Hole for thumb



5. Right side of glove before making cables

Pattern

Chain 32 + 3 for turning chain.

Row 1: 1 dc in to 4th chain from hook (counts as 1st dc), 1 dc in each chain across-----33 dc

Row 2: Ch 1 (counts as 1st sl st), 1 sl st in back loop of next st, 1 sl st in back loop of each st till end of the row-----33 sl st

Row 3: Ch 3(counts as 1st dc), 1 dc in the back loop of the next st, 1 dc in the back loop of each st across till the end of the row-----33 dc

Repeat **Rows 2 & 3** till you have a total of 16 rows and you have ended in a sl st Row (Row 2). Now your gloves should measure 7 inches in width. Do not fasten off.

Fold it with the right side inside and start slip stitching the long sides together to make a tube as shown in **pic 2** above. While making the joining sl stitches you will insert your hook through the free loop left on the foundation chain side and the back loop of the sl st on the other side as shown in **pic 3** above.

Sl st till 2 ½ inches is left open. Now stop joining the sides together and work sl stitches up along the foundation chain side only for 1 ½ inches, this will form the hole for your thumb as shown in **pic 4** above. Now sl st the rest of the 1 inch together till you reach the end. Do not fasten off, continue to work a round of sc around the opening of the gloves to even out the irregular edges. Work the sc stitches along the inside of the tube as that would be the right side of the glove. Try to distribute the sc as evenly as possible.

Make one more following the exact same pattern.

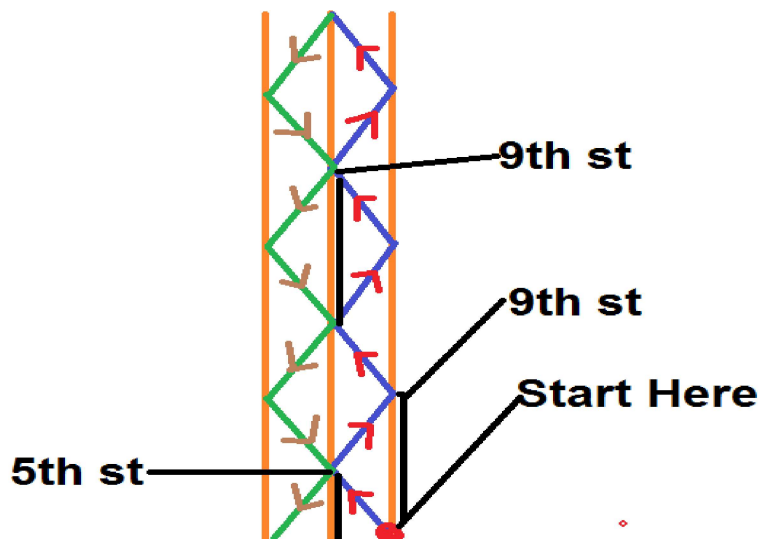
Cables



6. Try on your left and right hands and place markers for cables



7. Work cables on the right side and then work your way down making its mirror image



8. You start from the point shown by red dot and work upwards along the red arrow to complete one side of the cable. Once you reach the top you work down the brown arrow to complete the mirror image of the first half you made. The three orange vertical lines indicate the left, middle and right sl st ridges.

Pattern for Faux Cables- See the picture above to get a general idea first.

Try the glove on the left hand putting your thumb through the hole and place markers to show 2 tracks running through the middle of your hand as shown in **pic 6** above. Repeat with your right glove. Now you know where to work your faux cables for each side.

Keep the gloves down with the markers showing on top. Sl st to the base of the ridge on the right as shown by the red dot and follow the blue line as shown in **pic 8** above.

Ch 3, sl st to the 5th st on the middle ridge to the left, *(ch 4, sl st to the 9th st (counted from the previous sl st made on the same ridge) on the right ridge, Ch 4, sl sl to the 9th st on the middle ridge) Repeat from * 2 more times. Now you would have reached the top of your glove.

Now, you will work your way down and make the mirror image of the cable you already made following the green line in **pic 8** above.

*(Ch 4, sl st to the point opposite to the one made on the right ridge, ch 4, sl st to the middle ridge at the same point as the first cable you made). Repeat from * 2 more times, ch 3 and sl st to the end of the ridge. Do not fasten off. Work a round of sc around the glove opening to even out the edges. Weave in the remaining tails.

Follow the same steps to work cables between the markers for the right glove too. Your lovely fingerless mitts with faux cables is now ready to wear!

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