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# Simple Crochet Handwarmers

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## Pattern Introduction

Beauty in simplicity is the main feature of these fingerless handwarmers!

Crocheted all in one piece, with no seams, double crochets and a few half-doubles make these an easy evening project.

Multiple sizes to fit hands from child to adult.



## What you need

1 skein of Worsted Weight Yarn.  
ie. Gina Worsted (pictured), Noro Kureyon.

Size G hook (or size needed for gauge)

Yarn Needle

## Stitches you need to know

Chain  
Slip Stitch  
Half-Double Crochet  
Double Crochet

## Techniques you need to know

Crochet in rounds.

**Gauge** 4 dc = 1 inch

\*It is important to get gauge for these handwarmers. If you don't do a gauge swatch first, you run the risk of making them too small or too large.

\*\*Work a gauge swatch using double crochet stitches.

### **Measurements**

Big Kid/Adult Sizes S, M, L

Hand Circumference approx. S = 6 ½" M = 7" L = 7 ½"

Sizes are indicated thus: S (M, L)

### **Abbreviations you need to know**

Beg = beginning

Ch = chain

Dc = double crochet

Hdc = half double crochet

Lp = loop

Sl st = slip stitch

Sp = space

Rem = remaining

Rep = repeat

Rnd = round

### **Memory Refreshers**

1. "Fasten off" means to draw your yarn through the loop you have on your hook, then cut or break your yarn 3-4 inches away from loop. Now pull the yarn out of the securing loop you made. Give the end on your work a tug for good measure.

2. When working in **rounds**, you do NOT turn your work after each round unless told to do so!

### **Pattern Notes**

\*I chose a size G hook so that my double crochet stitches would not allow for too much "air" in between the stitches. This will create a warmer handwarmer. Adjust your hook size to achieve as close to the gauge as you can.

\*\*You will begin working at the Cuff, then up through the thumb gusset and ending at the hand. Adjust the length of the Cuff and/or Hand sections as you desire by either adding or subtracting a row or two.

\*\*\*In this pattern you are NOT making a chain 3 at the beginning of a round that acts as a double crochet stitch. You will make a ch 2 and then work a dc into the same stitch that the ch 2 comes out of (the join).

### **Walkthrough**

#### **Cuff**

LOOSELY chain 24 (26, 28).

Being careful not to twist, slip stitch to the first ch to join into a circle.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 2, dc in same ch as join, dc in ea. ch around. Join with a sl st to top of first dc of this round. [24 (26, 28) dc]

\*\*Work the end of every round in this manner when pattern says "join".

**Rnds 2-8:** Ch 2, dc in same st as join, dc in ea. dc around. Join.

You should have approx. 4". \*Adjust length here if desired.

## **Thumb Gusset**

**Rnd 1:** Ch 2, dc in same stitch as join, dc in next 11 (12, 13) dc, 2 dc in next 2 dc sts, dc to end. Join. [26 (28, 30) dc]

**Rnd 2:** Ch 2, dc in same stitch as join, dc in next 11 (12, 13) dc, 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc to end. Join. [28 (30, 32) dc]

**Rnd 3:** Ch 2, dc in same stitch as join, dc in next 11 (12, 13) dc, 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next 4 dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc to end. Join. [30 (32, 34) dc]

**Rnd 4:** Ch 2, dc in same stitch as join, dc in next 11 (12, 13) dc, 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next 6 dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc to end. Join. [32 (34, 36) dc]

**Rnd 5:** Ch 2, dc in same stitch as join, dc in next 11 (12, 13) dc, 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next 8 dc, 1 dc in next dc, sl st back to the 2<sup>nd</sup> dc made prior to the 8 individual dc sts, then work 2<sup>nd</sup> dc into the same st as the last dc made before the sl st, dc to end. Join. [34 (36, 38) dc]

**\*\*If you fold the handwarmer so that the thumb sts line up, you are connecting the dc sts across the thumb with this sl st. Then you continue to work the remainder of this row as indicated in Rnd 5.**

**Rnd 6:** Ch 2, dc in same stitch as join, dc in next 11 (12, 13) dc, work dc2tog thus: one from the joining sl st and one from the next dc, dc to end. Join. [24 (26, 28) dc]

## **Hand**

Work 4 rnds of dc as Rnd 2 of Cuff. \*Adjust length of hand here.

**Final Rnd:** Ch 2, hdc in same as join, hdc in each dc around. Join with a sl st to beg hdc.

Fasten Off.

Weave in Ends.

**\*\*Make second Handwarmer the same way.**

Wear and Enjoy!

## **Variations on a Theme**

**\*Choose solid or variegated yarns. Or work each round with a different yarn, mixing and matching your leftover bits to create unique handwarmers!**

**\*To add an extra bit of whimsy: embroider and embellish them! Use buttons, crocheted flowers, embroidered flowers and vines to create works of art.**

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