



# WHISPER

## FINGERLESS GLOVES

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1 x 50g Rowan 4 ply Soft (Whisper)  
 1 x 25g Rowan Kid Silk Haze (Pearl)  
 1 pair 2.75mm knitting needles  
 1crochet hook 2.5mm

### Right Hand:

With the 4 ply Soft and the 2.75mm needles, cast on 54 sts.  
 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> row: knit.  
 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> row: (k1, p1) to end.  
 Repeat those 4 rows 7 more times.  
 Starting with a knit row, continue in st st for 6 rows ending with WS facing.

### Thumb increase:

K28, inc by knitting at the front of back of next st, k2, inc in next st, K to end (56 sts).  
 Work 3 rows.  
 Next row: K28, inc in next st, K4, inc in next st, K to end (58 sts)  
 Work 3 rows.  
 Continue in this way until you reach 68 sts.  
 Work 3 rows.  
 K46 sts, turn and cast on 2 st.  
 P20, turn and cast on 2 st.  
 Work on those 22 sts for 12 rows. Cast off.  
 Sew thumb seam.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn and pick up 6 sts at the base of the thumb. K to end (56 sts).

Work straight for 12 rows ending with RS facing  
 K 3 rows. Cast off.

### Left Hand:

Work in the same way as for the Right Hand until thumb increase.  
 K22, inc by knitting at the front and back of next st, K2, inc in next st, K to end (56 sts)..  
 Work 3 rows.  
 K22, inc in next st, K4, inc in next st, K to end (58 sts).  
 Work 3 rows.  
 Continue shaping thumb until 68 sts on needle.  
 Work 3 rows.  
 K40 sts, turn and cast on 2 sts.  
 P20, turn and cast on 2 sts.  
 Work on those 22 sts for 12 rows. Cast off.  
 Sew thumb seam.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn and pick up 6 sts at base of thumb, K to end (56 sts).

Work straight for 12 rows.

Knit 3 rows. Cast off.

### **Crochet picot edging:**

With crochet hook and Kid Silk Haze, work a row of dc along the cast off edge (one dc in each cast off st).

Next row: 1ch, (1dc in first dc, 3ch, 1ss in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch from hook, 1dc in same place as last dc, 1dc in next 2 dc), repeat from ( to ) till end. Cast off.

### **Lace border:**

With Kid Silk Haze and 2.75mm, cast on 9st.

1<sup>st</sup> row: and every alternate row: Knit.  
2<sup>nd</sup> row : K3, k2tog, yf, K2tog, yf, K1, yf, K1

4<sup>th</sup> row: K2, (K2tog, yf) twice, K3, yf, K1

6<sup>th</sup> row: K1, (K2tog, yf) twice, K5, yf, K1

8<sup>th</sup> row: K3, (yf, K2tog) twice, K1, K2tog, yf, K2tog

10<sup>th</sup> row: K4, yf, K2tog, yf, K3tog, yf, K2tog

12<sup>th</sup> row: K5, yf, K3tog, yf, K2tog

Repeat those 12 rows 7 more times.

Cast off.

Slip stitch the lace border along cast off edge of glove.

Sew up side seams.

Sew up buttons on cuff.

**Note:** these gloves are knitted flat, but you can use dpn needles and markers to knit them in the round if preferred.