



hooplayarn

knitted PATTERN

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Easy Tea Cosy

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Materials needed:

12mm knitting needles
1 bobbin of Hooplayarn of your choice of colour
1 medium sized tea pot

Abbreviations used:

k: knit, p: purl, k2tog: knit 2 stitches together, p2tog: purl 2 stitches together

Tension:

8 stitches to 12 rows for a 10*10 cm square (approximately, remember, Hooplayarn can be very stretchy!)

To Make:

Sides of tea cosy (make 2)

Cast on 21 stitches

Row 1: K1,*p1 k1*. Rep between *-*, this is the moss stitch pattern.

Row 2-4: rep row 1.

Row 5: Knit

Row 6: Purl. These two rows give you a stocking stitch pattern.

Rows 7,9,11,13,15: knit

Rows 8,10,12,14,16: purl

Row 17: k2tog, knit to last 2 stitches on needle, k2tog.

Row 18: p2tog, purl to last 2 stitches on needle, p2tog.

Rep rows 17 and 18 until there are 9 stitches left on your needle.

Cast off all 9 stitches.

To finish:

When you have made 2 sides for your tea cosy, put their wrong sides of towards each other and sew together with mattress stitch, leaving an opening in each side for handle and spout (for my tea pot it worked out that I stitched the moss stitch rows together and then left openings between rows 5-16, then I sewed up the decreasing rows).The seam will be on the right side of the tea cosy but will not be visible. Weave in loose ends.