

Summer 2010 Mystery Knitalong

Clue 4

Take a look at the hat you made and ask yourself if the fabric is dense enough for mittens, or if, honestly, it's a little on the thin side. If it's thin, drop down a needle size for the mittens.

Now, you have to make a choice and commit yourself to MITTEN COLORS.

Choice 1: Keep the same "Color A" and "Color B" you used for the hat.

Choice 2: Switch the colors. Old A becomes New B and Old B becomes New A.

Using Color A, cast on 40 stitches. Divide onto 3 double point needles and join, being careful not to twist stitches.

Work 22 rounds in K2, P2 ribbing.

Still using Color A, knit 2 rounds even.

Do not cut Color A.

Using Color B, knit 6 rounds even.

(Both right and left mittens are worked the same to this point, so go ahead and start the other mitten if you have enough needles!)