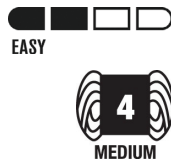


looped cuffs

A luxurious pair of looped cuffs
is a creative embellishment for
ordinary sweater sleeves.



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FINISHED SIZE: 3 1/2" x 7"

YARN: 6 oz. worsted weight yarn,
A black

TOOL TENSION: With the easyloop® tool, PULL NEEDLE BACK 1 inch and PUSH NEEDLE INTO LOOP 1 inch.

GAUGE: (Base fabric) 14 sts and 13 rows = 4 inches

STITCHES USED: DOUBLE SLIP STITCH (push tool through BOTH FRONT and BACK LOOPS).

SPECIAL TECHNIQUES USED: SEAMING; LOOP STITCH TOP-STITCHING.

LOOPEd CUFFS (Base Fabric) (Make 2)

FOUNDATION CHAIN: Using color A, chain 10 plus 1 turning stitch. Turn work.

ROW 1: With color A, slip stitch across row, making 1 turning stitch at the end of row. Turn work.

ROWS 2-19: With color A double slip stitch across rows, making a turning stitch at the end of each row before turning work.

FINISHING: Cut yarn and weave ends in.

LOOP STITCH (Top-Stitching)

For both pieces of base fabric: Secure Yarn A to the edge of the SHORTER SIDE of the RECTANGULAR BASE FABRIC with a SLIP STITCH (insert needle into front and back loops of stitch at edge).

ROWS 1-END: With yarn A secured to the edge of base fabric, loop stitch across the ridges of each row making 2 rows of loop stitch per ridge per row. Following the LOOP STITCH TECHNIQUE section as a guide, work back and forth (left to right/right to left) across each row. DO NOT TURN WORK at the end of each row.

FINISHING: Cut yarn and weave ends in.

SEAMING: Using SEAMING TECHNIQUE and the easyloop® tool, with RIGHT SIDES TOGETHER, sew both CUFF SEAMS CLOSED. ❖

APPLICATION IDEA: Cuffs can be sewn to bottom of sweater sleeves.