

Knit Abbreviations

alt · alternate

approx · approximately

beg · beginning

bet · between

BO · bind off

CC · contrast color

CO · cast on

cont · continue

dec · decrease

foll · follow

inc · increase

k · knit

k1below · knit stitch in row below

k1tbl · knit stitch through back loop

k2tog · knit 2 stitches together

kfb · knit into front and back loop of a stitch

kwise · knit-wise

LH · left hand

lp · loop

m · marker

m1 or **m1k** · make 1 stitch knit-wise by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop

m1p · make 1 stitch purl-wise by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and purling into back of loop

MC · main color

p · purl

p2tog · purl 2 stitches together

pat · pattern

pfb · purl into front and back loop of a stitch

pm · place marker

prev · previous

pssso · pass slipped stitch over

pwise · purl-wise

rem · remaining

rep · repeat

rnd · round

RH · right hand

RS · right side

sl · slip

sl1k · slip 1 stitch knit-wise

sl1p · slip 1 stitch purl-wise

sl st · slip stitch

sm · slip marker

ssk · slip 2 stitches knit-wise, knit these 2 stitches together through back loops

ssp · slip 2 stitches knit-wise, return these 2 stitches to left needle and purl them together through back loops

st · stitch

tbl · through back loop

tfl · through front loop

tog · together

WS · wrong side

wyib · with yarn in back

wyif · with yarn in front

yb · yarn back

yf or **yfwd** · yarn forward

yo · yarn over

yon · yarn over needle

yarn · yarn round needle

