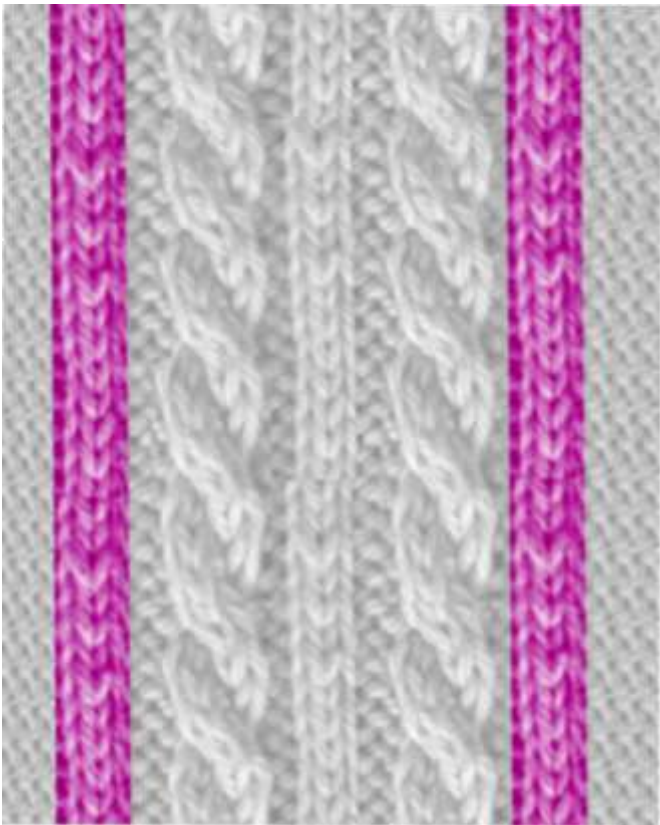
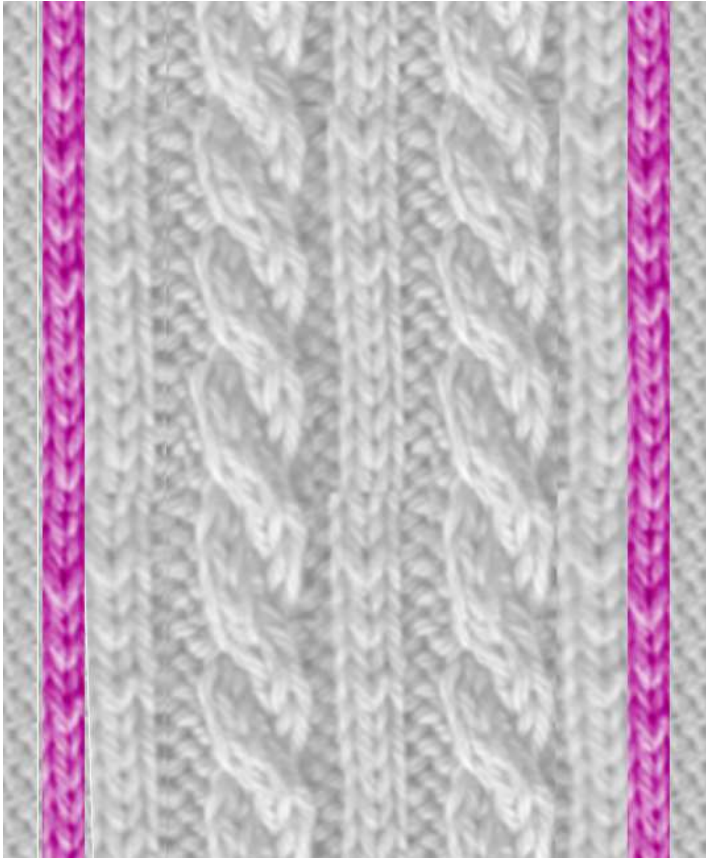


Strip Edge Cable Ear Warmer



Size:

- 5" wide by 20-21" long

Gauge:

- 16 cables = 10"
- 32 cables = 20" appx.
- 2 cables = 1 1/2" appx
- 6 rows = 1"
- [ear warmer stretches width and length] 5 sts=1" appx

Materials:

- 4.0 mm straight needles or needle size that gives you width
- Tapestry needle to sew ends together and hide ends
- Crochet hook 4.0 mm for cast on
- Worsted weight yarn [category 4] – use a soft yarn [less than 4 oz] [I used Carron Simply Soft or Premier Everyday Anti-Piling yarn]

Abbreviations: [research on internet how to do any stitch you don't know]

- CO = cast on
- BO = bind off
- K = knit
- P = purl
- Crochet-cast-on = use the crochet hook and do a crochet cast on.
- RS = right side of ear warmer
- WS = wrong side of ear warmer

Body of Ear Warmer:

CO 26 using crochet method and 4.0 mm crochet hook.

Pattern:

- RS -- Row 1: (K2), K2, P2, K4, P2, K2, P2, K4, P2, K2, (K2) [There are 30 loops on needle.]
- WS – Row 2: (K2), P2, K2, P4, K2, P2, K2, P4, K2, P2, (K2)
- **RS – Row 3:** (K2), K2, P2, put 2 loops on cable holder, K2, knit the two loops from the cable holder, P2, K2, P2, put 2 loops on cable holder, K2, knit the two loops from the cable holder, P2, K2, (K2)
- WS – Row 4: (K2), P2, K2, P4, K2, P2, K2, P4, K2, P2, (K2)

Repeat rows 1-4 of pattern until 19-21" long. [Length depends on how large head is.]

Finishing:

- BO
- Sew ends together on wrong side. Hide ends.
- Block

Trim:

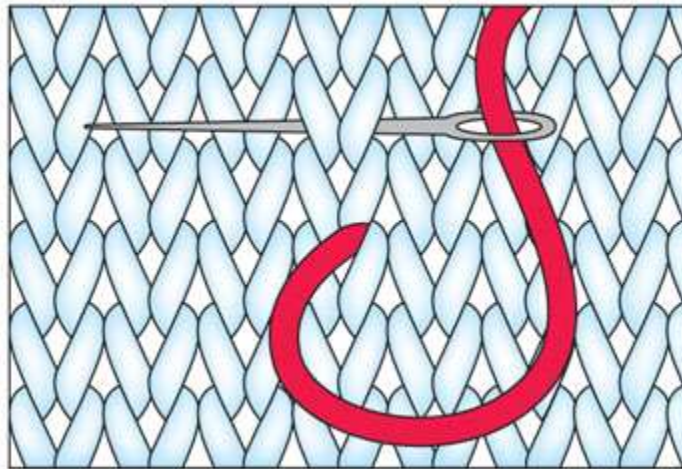
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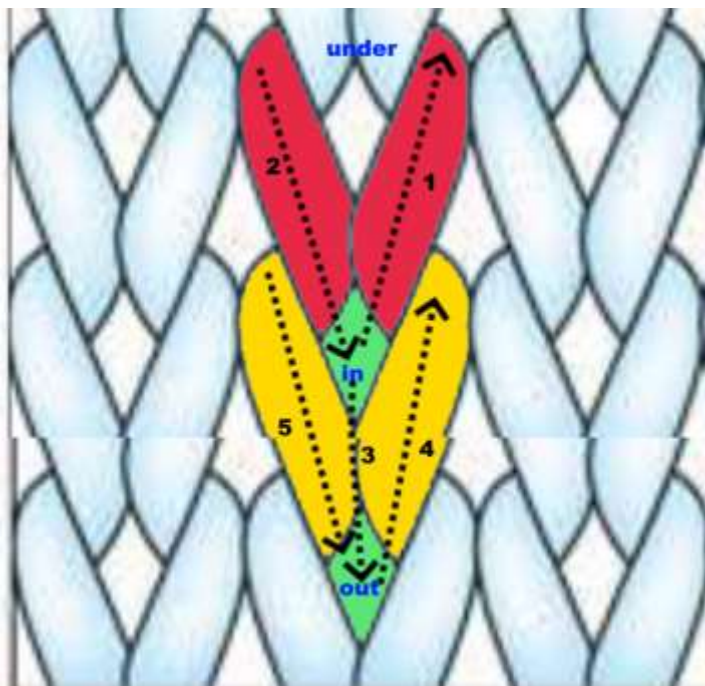
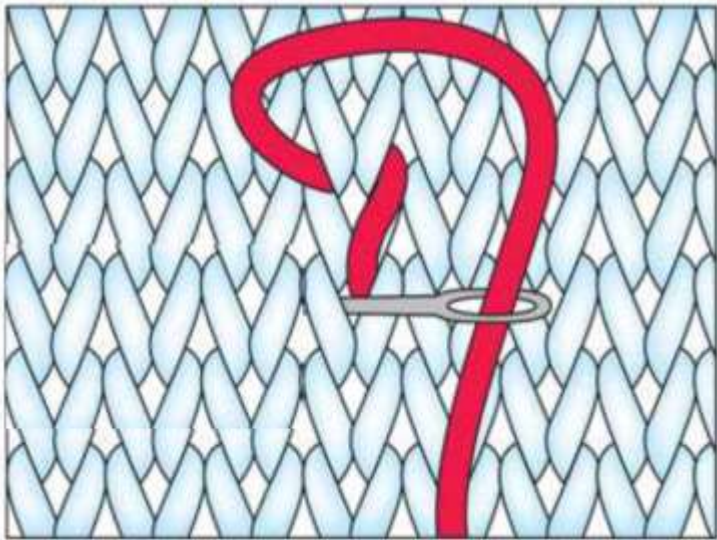
TRIM IDEAS

To Create pink strip on both sides:

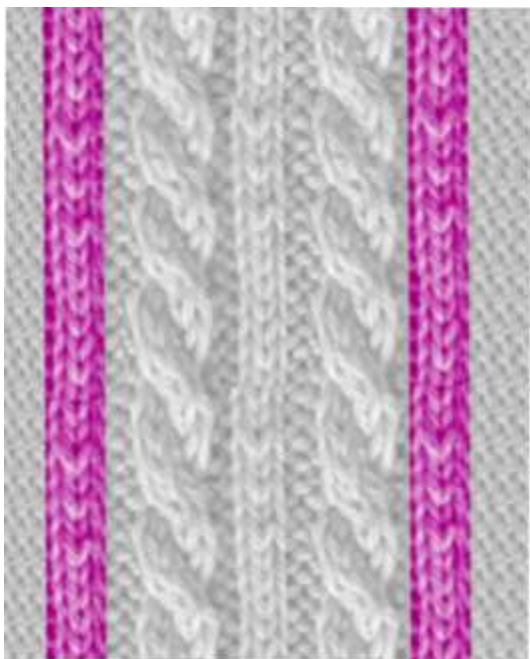
Duplicate Stitch

With a tapestry needle, bring the yarn from the back to the front of the fabric at the base of the stitch that is to be duplicated. Insert the tapestry needle from right to left behind both sides of the stitch above the one being duplicated. Complete the stitch by inserting the needle into point at which the yarn first came through to the front and pull it back to the wrong side. Repeat as necessary to work additional duplicate stitches in desired locations.





How to Work the Duplicate Stitch Chain Gang



Beginning at the top of a column of stitches upon which stitches are to be worked:

1. Insert yarn needle into the first st (same step as for the first stitch of a regular duplicate st).

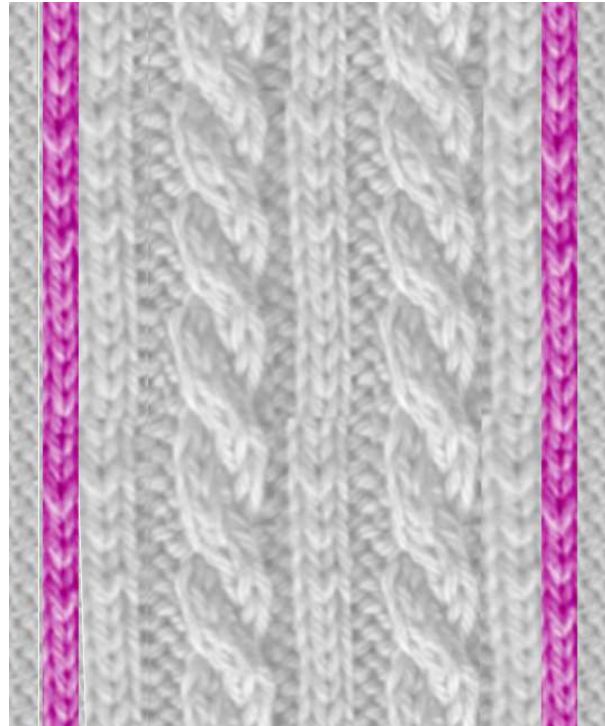
2. To work a vertical column of stitches: Next, under this st, insert needle up through the bottom of the next stitch (again, same as for the regular duplicate st). NOW here is where things will be different:
3. Insert needle under the 2 lps of the stitch just made – NOT AT ALL in any part of the stockinette stitch underneath, pull thru, the



1. complete by inserting needle into same sp where yarn was brought up and pull thru. Rep steps 1-4.

Tip: If working rows left to right be sure not to let the st become crossed when doing step #4 (said another way, be sure to insert the needle left of the first half of the st when going back into the same sp). If working rows right to left, insert needle right of the first half of the st, etc.).

ANOTHER IDEA FOR STRIPES -- *Crochet Chain on knitted item*



Pulling up from under neath for slip stitch

EDGE TRIM

– PICK UP STITCHES AND ADD NEW COLOR FOR TRIM ON BOTH SIDES OF EAR WARMER



Right side facing: Using a 4.5 mm or 5.0 mm needles, pick up loops for adding on edge trim. [You will be picking up the purl loop on the edge on every purl row only.]

Wrong Side: Once edge row stitches created, **increase knit** in each loop to last stitch at end of row -- knit in last stitch. Turn. [You want the ear warmer edging to be able to stretch.]

Knit row, **if desired**. [knit as many rows are required]. [I only did the increase row above.]

Right Side: End Off using purl method.

