CUP CAKE PATTERN

This is a simple pattern to make your own iced cakes that will cause no grief to the waistline.

Materials

Double knitting wool in your choice of colours

Aran wool can be used for the icing or double knitting doubled

4mm needles

Double pointed needles 4.00-4.5mm

Cake Case Base

Cast on 6 sts.

Knit 1 row

Cast on 2 sts at start of next row and purl to the end

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Row 4: Purl 1, increase 1, Purl 8 increase 1, Purl 1 (12 sts).

Row 5: Knit 1, increase 1, Knit 10 increase 1, Knit 1 (14sts).

Row 6: Purl

Row 7: Knit

Row 8: Purl

Row 9: Knit 1, Knit 2 together, Knit 8, Knit 2 together, Knit 1(12sts)

Row 10: : Purl 1, Purl 2 together, Purl 6, Purl 2 together, Purl 1(10sts)

Cast off 2 stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows.

Cast off 6 sts left on needle.

Cake Case

Using chosen colour, cast on 31stitches.

Work 6 rows in stocking stitch (one row knit, one row purl)

Row 5: Knit 3, *increase 1, knit 5*. Repeat to last 2 sts, increase 1.

Row 6: Purl

Row 7: Knit

Row 8: Purl

Cast off using this technique: Knit 2 sts, *lift the 1st stitch over the second and off the needle, return the remaining stitch on the right hand needle to the left hand needle and knit it again. Knit 1, repeat from* until 1 stitch remains.

Join up sides of cup cake and sew onto the base. Fill your cupcake with stuffing.

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Using colour of choice: Using double pointed 4mm or 4.5mmneedles. Cast on 4 stitches.K4* without turning slip these 4sts to opposite end of needle and bring yarn to opposite end of work pulling it quite tightly across wrong side of work continue in this way until the cord is sufficiently long to fit the circle at the top of the cup cake case.(winding it round in a spiral and sewing it together) Cast off and sew your icing in place.

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