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knitting terms and abbreviations

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AC = Alternate Color

alt = alternate

altog = altogether

approx. = approximately

B = bobble

B = Back of stitch

b = in back of stitch

BC = Back Cross

beg M = beginning marker

bet = between

BO = Body Gauge

bl = block (solid mesh)

BO = bind off

bo = bobble

bo = binding off

but = buttonhole

cab = cable

cc = contrasting color

CC = Contrasting Color

ch = chain

cl = cluster

cont = continue

cms = centimeters

CN = Cable Needle

CO = cast on

co = casting off

col = color

Con = contrasting color

cont = continue

Cr = Cross

Cr L = Cross to the Left

Cr R = Cross to the Right

dbl dec = Double Decrease

dble = double

dec = decrease

diag = diagonal

diam = diameter

dir = directions

dk = dark

DK = double knitting

dpn = double-pointed needle

E = every

EOR = Every Other Row

ext = exterior

FC = Front Cross

fasten off = to end off.

fin = finished

fol = following

fr = front side (facing knitter)

g = grams

G = Gauge

g-st = garter stitch

GN = Gauge Needle

gp = group

gr = grams

GS = Gauge Stitch

inc = increase

incl = including

incl = inclusive

in(s) = inch(es)

inst = instructions

k = knit

kbl = knit from back of loop

kfb = knit from back of next stitch

kpk = knit, purl, knit

kssb = knit slip stitch through the

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

k2tog-b = knit 2 stitches together through the back loop

k up 1 = pick up and knit the stitch in the row below

L = left

LC = Left Cross

lg = large

LH = Left Hand

lhn = left hand needle

LN = Left Needle

lt = light

LT = Left Twist

m = meters

M = Make

M = marker

MB = Make Bobble

MC = Main (or background) color

med = medium

mm = millimeters

MI = Make One

m-st = moss stitch

mult = multiple(s)

MY = main yarn

ORL = or required length
 OZ = ounces
 p = picot
 p = purl
 Pat(s) = pattern (s)
 pfb = purl into front and back of next stitch
 pfl = purl from back of loop
 pns = pass next stitch over
 pr = pair
 PR = Previous Row or Round
 pss = pass slipped stitch over
 pwise = purlwise
 p2tog = purl 2 stitches together
 p2tog-b = purl 2 stitches together through the back loop
 PU = Pick Up stitches
 RC = Right Cross
 rem = remain(ing)
 rep = repeat
 rev st st = reverse stockinette stitch
 RGN = Ribbing Gauge Needle
 RH = Right Hand
 rhn = right hand needle
 rib = ribbing
 RN = Right Needle
 rpt = repeat
 RS = Right Side
 RT = Right Twist
 sk = skip
 skn(s) = skein(s)
 st(s) = stitch(es)
 st st = stockinette stitch
 tbl = through back of loop
 tog = together
 trn = turn
 tr tr = double treble
 w&t—wrap and turn
 wb = wool back
 WE = work even
 wf = wool forward
 wft = wool front
 wl = wool
 wl.bk = wool back
 wl.fwd = wool forward
 won = wool over needle
 wrh = wool round hook
 wrn = wool round needle
 WS = wrong side
 wu = wool under or weave under
 wyib = with the lead yarn in the back
 wyif = with the lead yarn in the front
 yarn = yarn around needle
 yaw = yarn around wool
 yb = yarn back
 ybk = yarn backward

yf = yarn forward
 yfd = yarn forward
 yfwd = yarn forward
 yfon = yarn forward and over needle
 yfrn = yarn forward and round needle
 yfwk = yarn front of work
 yo = yarn over
 yon = yarn over needle
 yo2 = a double yarn over
 yrh = yarn round hook
 yrn = yarn round needle
 ytb = yarn to back
 ytf = yarn to front
 zip = zipper



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