

Halloween Skeleton Gloves



2.75 mm needles

Fingering weight yarn- 2 colors

My gauge is 7.5 stitches/inch and 7.5 rows/inch. This makes a women's medium size, but with long fingers. Feel free to make it fit YOUR hands!

Cast on 56 stitches in black. (I used the long tail cast on.) Join in a circle. Then work in knit 2, purl 2 rib: 12 rows black, 1 row white, 1 row black, 1 row white.

4 rows black, 1 row white, 1 row black, 3 rows white, 1 row black.

1 row white, 4 rows black, 1 row white, 1 row black, 1 row white, 2 rows black.

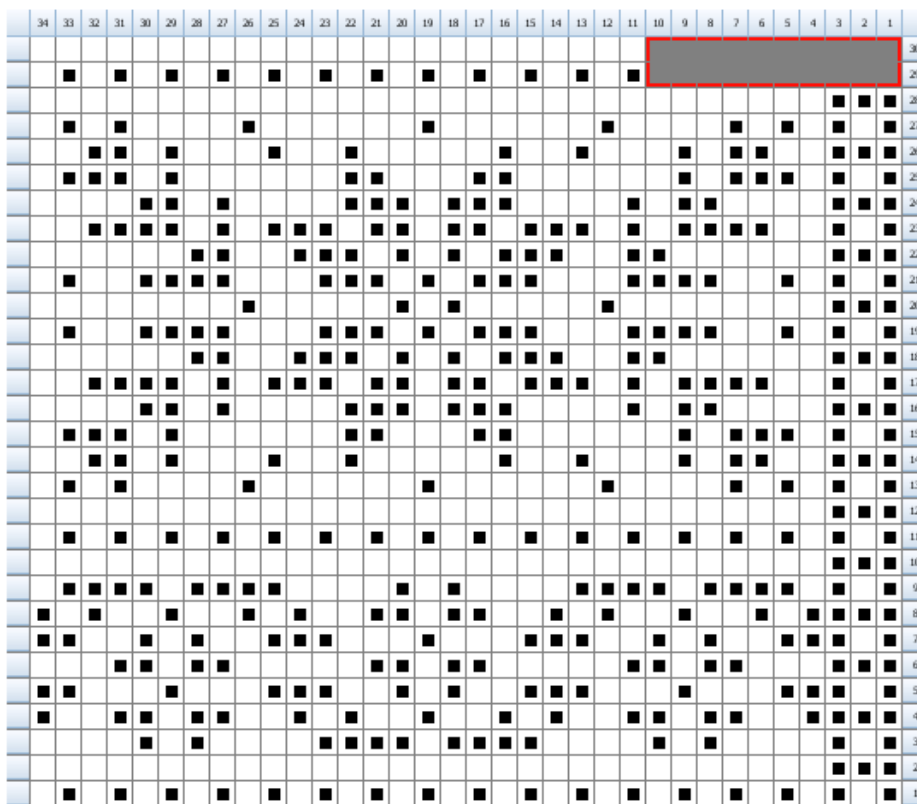
In black, increase to 65 stitches (*k5, kfb* around). Knit pattern- the white stitches are marked with black squares on the charts. I used 2.5 mm needles for the fingers. I start the little finger 2 rows before the other fingers for a better fit. Don't forget to

cast on the extra stitches at the base of each finger! The fingers are finished by drawing the yarn through the remaining stitches (so they don't get too pointy).

At row 21, knit 3, put 13 stitches on a holder for thumb, cast on 10 stitches to continue palm. After you knit 2 more rows of the hand, decrease 2 times above thumb and then decrease 2 times 2 rows later (68 stitches for hand). When you pick up for thumb: 13 stitches from holder, 2 stitches in the corner, 10 stitches from the cast on, and 2 from the corner (27 stitches).

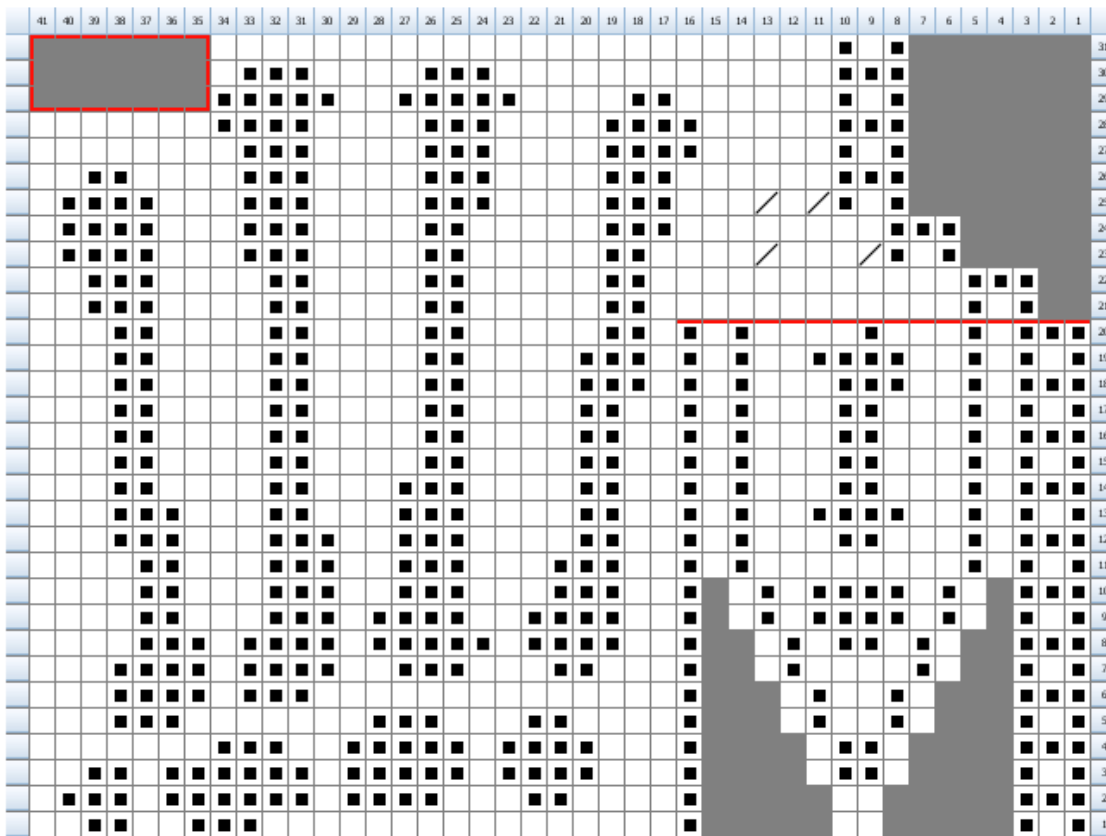
The second glove reverses the shaping of the first.

Figure 1 Back of Hand



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Figure 2 Palm of Hand



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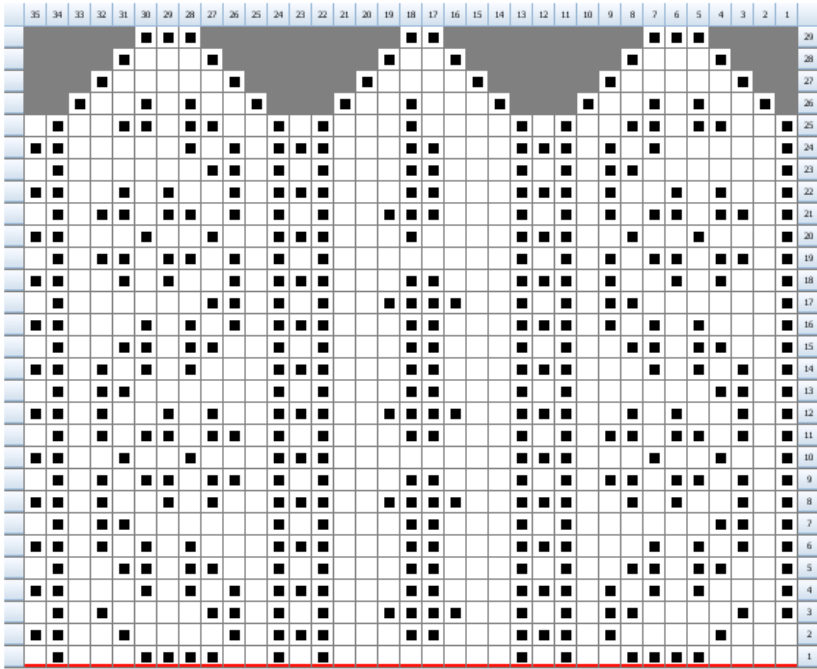
Divide stitches for fingers- index finger- 3 stitches from band, 8 from back of hand, cast on 4, 8 from palm (23 stitches).

Middle finger- 8 from BOH, cast on 3, 8 from palm, pick up 4 from base of index finger (23 stitches).

Ring finger- 8 from BOH, cast on 4, 8 from palm, pick up 3 from base of middle finger (23 stitches).

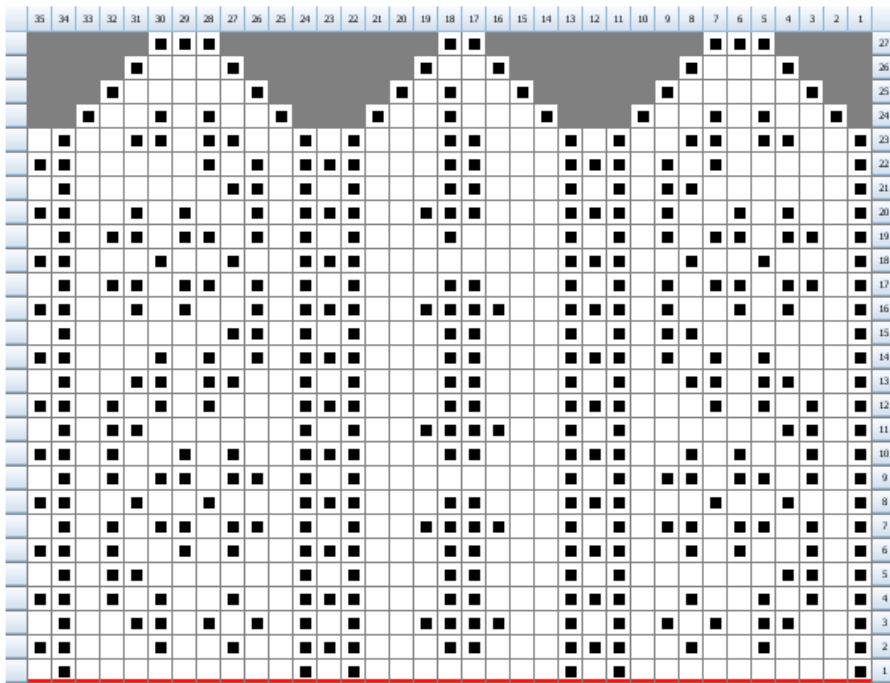
Little finger- 7 from BOH, 3 from band, 7 from palm, pick up 5 from base of ring finger (22 stitches).

Figure 3 Index and Ring Fingers



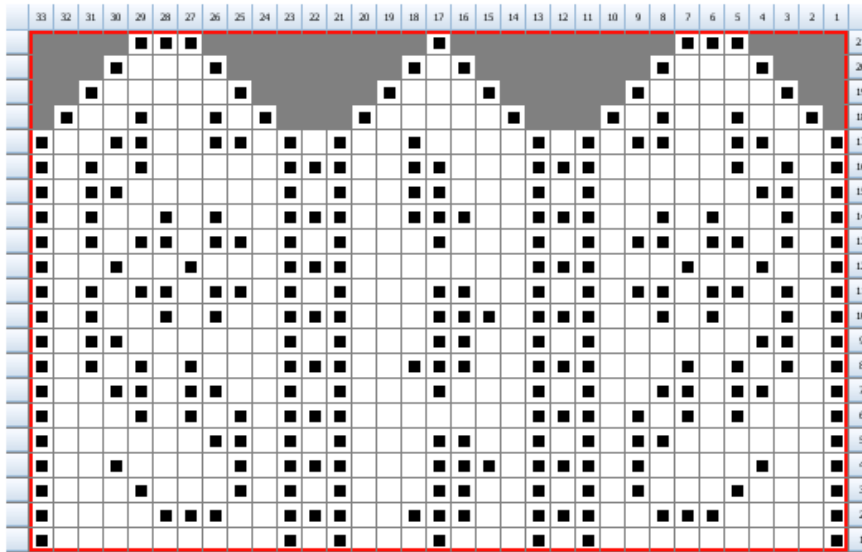
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Figure 4 Middle Finger



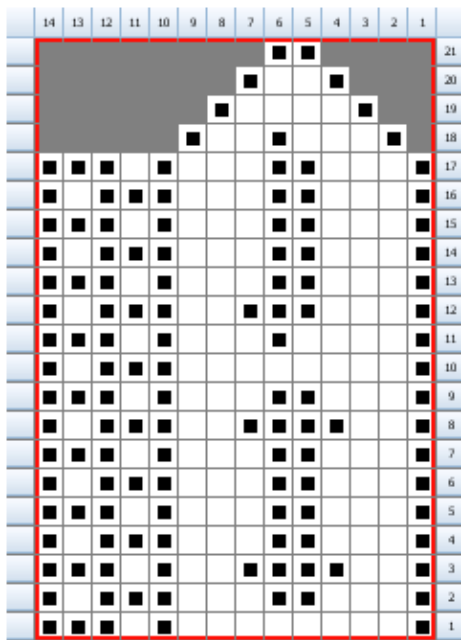
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Figure 5 Little Finger



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Figure 6 Thumb



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These are the charts. I show the back of finger designs both ways (choose whichever you like) and the skeleton fingers one way only (they are for the right hand- reverse them if you like for the left hand). The thumb design gets knitted twice for each round- I show the bones on both sides.

As it's a free pattern, I don't offer pattern support,

Have fun knitting!

