

# Abbreviations



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This is a list of common abbreviations used in Crafty Diversions patterns.

[ ], ( ), * *	work instructions within brackets/ parentheses / asterisks as many times as directed	p3tog	purl 3 stitches together
alt	alternate	patt	pattern(s)
approx	approximately	pm	place marker
beg	beginning	p/u	pick up
bet	between	prev	previous
BO	bind off	psso	pass slipped stitch over
CC	contrast(ing) color	pwise	purlwise
cm	centimeter(s)	rem	remain(ing)
cn	cable needle	rep	repeat(s)(ing)
CO	cast off	rev	reverse
cont	continue	rev St st	reverse St st
dec	decrease, decreasing	RS	right side
dpn	double-pointed needles	RH	right hand
foll	following	RN	right needle
inc	increase, increasing	rnd(s)	round(s)
k	knit	skp	slip, knit, pass slipped stitch over
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together	sl	slip
k2tog-b	knit 2 stitches together through the back loop	sl1-k2tog-ssso	slip, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over
k2togtbl	knit 2 stitches together through the back loop	sl2-k1-p2sso	slip 2 stitches together knitwise, knit 1, pass slipped stitches over the knit stitch
k3tog	knit 3 stitches together	ssk	slip, slip, knit
kfb	knit into the front and back of the same stitch	sssk	slip, slip, slip, knit
ktbl	knit through the back loop	ssp	slip, slip, purl
kwise	knitwise	st(s)	stitch(es)
LH	left hand	WS	wrong side
LN	left needle	wyib	with yarn in back
m	meter(s)	wyif	with yarn in front
MC	main color	yd(s)	yard(s)
mm	millimeter(s)	yo	yarn over
m1	make one stitch		beginner
m1L	make one stitch twisted to the left		intermediate
m1R	make one stitch twisted to the right		advanced
ndl	needle		
oz	ounce(s)		
p	purl		
p2tog	purl 2 stitches together		
p3tog	purl 3 stitches together		
p2tog-b	purl 2 stitches together through the back loop		
p2togtbl	purl 2 stitches together through the back loop		

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