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Knit Travel Mug Sweater Pattern

I just love this thing. I get so many compliments on one that came with a travel mug ages ago and I decided to make a couple for my loved ones. If you use a washable yarn, any coffee that happens to drip out lands on the mug sweater rather than your own... and you can toss in the washer easy. It also really does insulate well so your coffee or tea stays warm and ready to cozy you up! They can also double as wrist warmers if you ever need extra warm wrists.

I used a chunky yarn and 6mm (10US) needles. The height can be adjusted to how tall your mug is.



Cast on 30 stitches.
K1P1 for 4 rows for bottom ribbing.

For the body:
K2P2K4P2. Turn work.
K2P4K2P2.
Repeat this for 5 rows, and on your 5th row get a good cable going:
K2P2. Place the next 2 stitches on a holder (pencaps work great... so do paper clips...) and place at back of work. K2. Place stitches on the holder back on your left needle. K2P2.
Continue this pattern until the end of the row.
Repeat this process for the body until you have the height you want minus about 1 inch.

Top ribbing:
K1P1 to rib to the top, about 4 rows.
Cast off.

Use some extra yarn and a yarn needle to take in the ends and stitch the ends together to form a tube.

Enjoy your toasty beverage on the go!