

Now you see them....Now you *feel* them!

## Custom knitted pet frames



Left: **Cocker Spaniel**, 3x5 picture, 10 wpi  
 Center: **Akita**, 2x3 picture, ½oz. raw fiber spun 2-ply, 14 wpi  
 Right: **Chow Chow**, 4x6 picture, ½oz raw fiber spun 2-ply 13 wpi

**Materials:** Approximately 1 oz of raw fiber spun any thickness. Knitting needles sized to match your yarn. Fabric glue. Store bought or homemade frame and/or mat board.

*Note: raw quantity depends on the size of your frame.*

Cast on 20 sts, knit each row until you have 1-2"

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Determine the number of sts per inch in your gauge. Select either 1" or 2" border table. Write in the Sts/per inch in the column below.

### APPROXIMATELY 1" FRAME BORDER

	Picture Size	+		Frame Size		Sts/inch		Cast On	Bind Off
<b>W</b>		2	=		x		=		
<b>H</b>		2	=		x		=		

### APPROXIMATELY 2" FRAME BORDER

	Picture Size	+		Frame Size		Sts/inch		Cast On	Bind Off
<b>W</b>		4	=		x		=		
<b>H</b>		4	=		x		=		

Fill in the **Width** & **Height** of the actual picture. Add the number in the **+** column for the finished frame size. Fill in the **Sts/inch** and multiply it by the **Frame Size**. **Cast on** the total number of sts required for the width of your frame. Knit 1 K2 tog, k to last 3 sts, k2 tog, k1. Repeat until the row just below your needles measure the picture width size. Count how many sts remain on your needle and fill in the **Bind Off** column. Bind off loosely, leaving a tail for stitching. Make 2 of the Width. *Note: on the second width piece you need not measure, follow the pattern above until you have the number of **Bind Off** sts remaining on your needle.*

Follow the same directions for the Height.

Lay the 4 pieces on a flat surface and stitch the angled corners together with the tails.

Using fabric glue, attach the knitted frame to a store bought frame or mat, blocking the knitted piece as you do so. Use pins to hold knitted frame in place until glue has dried. Embellish with buttons, pet tags, dog bones, etc.