

## #351 Knit Turkey

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### Finished Size:

About 4" tall

### Materials:

1 sk each of Valley Yarns Northampton (100% wool, 247 yds/100g) colors Chocolate, Garnet and Gold  
US size 5 (3.75 mm) double pointed needles

### Gauge:

about 5 sts = 1" in stockinette stitch

### Abbreviations:

W&T: wrap and turn: slip 1 st with yarn in back, move yarn to front, slip stitch back to left needle, turn work around

### Body:

For stuffing, with brown, loosely wind a ball of yarn about 8" around. Cut yarn.

With brown yarn, cast on 8 sts and join in the round.  
Work in stockinette stitch, increasing 8 sts evenly every other round until you have 40 sts.  
Work even in stockinette stitch for 1.5"  
Insert ball of yarn into the body.  
Continuing in stockinette stitch, decrease 8 sts evenly every other round until you have 8 sts. Cut yarn and draw through remaining stitches.

### Tail Feathers:

With red yarn, cast on 16 sts.  
Row 1: With red, knit.  
Row 2: With red, k12, W&T.  
Row 3: With red, knit.  
Row 4: With red, k8, W&T.  
Row 5: With red, knit.  
Row 6: With red, knit.  
Rows 7-12: With gold yarn, repeat Rows 1-6.  
Repeat Rows 1-12 two times more.  
Work Rows 1-6 once more.  
With red, knit 1 row and bind off.

### Finishing:

Sew tail feathers to back of body. Embroider beak with gold yarn, wattle with red yarn and eyes with black yarn. Bury all ends within the body.