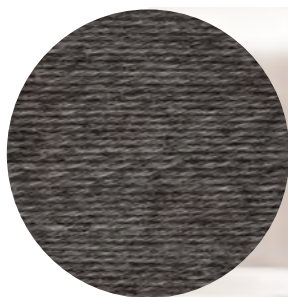


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THE BASIC KNIT SOCKS



Flax



 **KNIT** | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

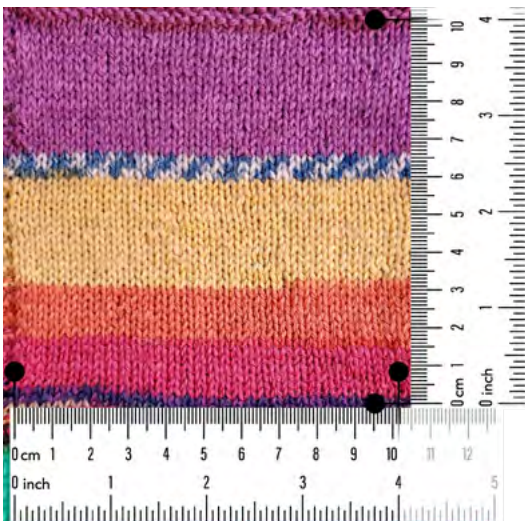
WHAT YOU'LL NEED



SHOP KIT

GAUGE

32 stitches (sts) and 40 rows =
4" [10 cm] in stocking st.



YARN

- **Patons® Kroy Socks™**
(1.75 oz/50 g; 166 yds/152 m)

COLORS

Quantity

- **Flax (55011)**

5/6	7/8	9/10	
2	2	2	balls

TOOLS

- Set of four size U.S. 2 (2.75 mm) Susan Bates® double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.**
- Susan Bates® steel yarn needle.
- Tape measure.

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INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for **5/6 size**. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written **5/6 (7/8-9/10)**. Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

SIZES

To fit Woman's shoe size: **5/6 (7/8-9/10)**.

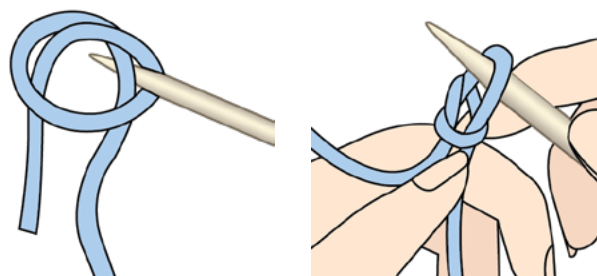
MEASUREMENTS

SIZES	5/6	7/8	9/10
FINISHED FOOT LENGTH	9" [23 cm]	9½" [24 cm]	10½" [26.5 cm]

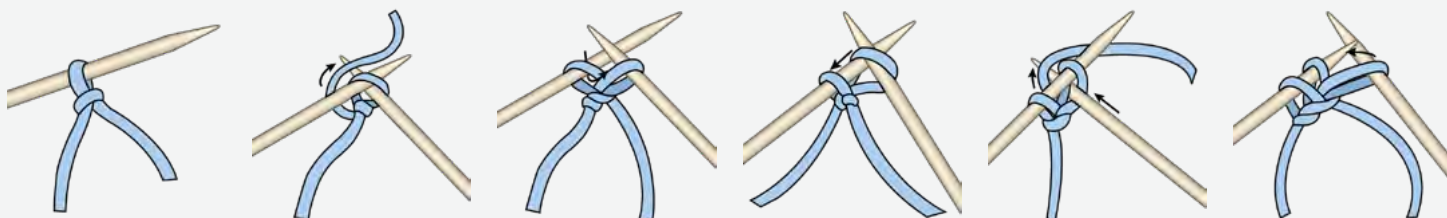
USING THIS GUIDE

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Make slip knot



With set of 4 smaller double-pointed needles, cast on **60 (64-68)** sts.



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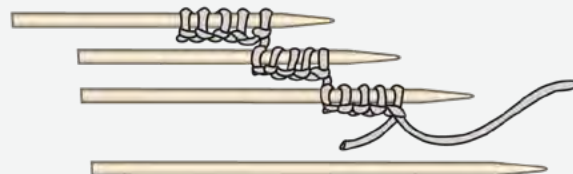
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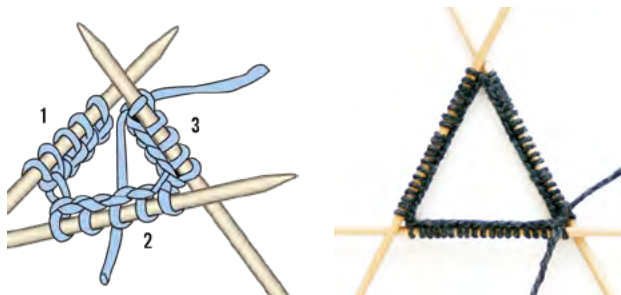
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Divide sts onto 3 needles, having **20 (21-22)** sts on 1st and 3rd needles and **20 (22-24)** sts on 2nd needle.

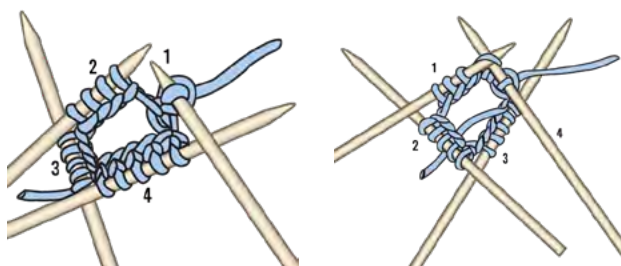


Join in rnd, placing marker on first st.



Hold needles so that they form a triangle. Be careful not to twist cast on ridges around the needle (all cast on ridges should lay inside of triangle). With working yarn at front of work, using last (4th) needle, slip first stitch purlwise. Bring working yarn between needles to back of work. Slip stitch back onto first needle. Place a slipping marker around first stitch to indicate beginning of round.

1st rnd: *K2. P2. Rep from * around.



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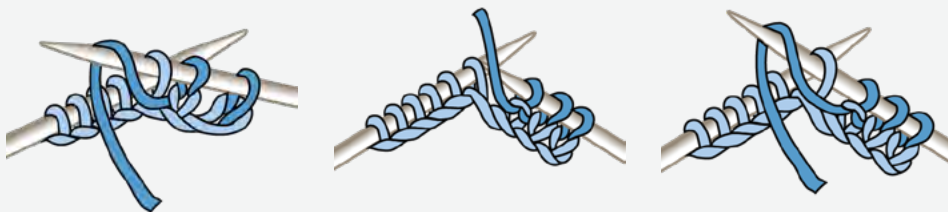
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Using spare (4th) needle, work in (K2, P2) ribbing across stitches on first needle.

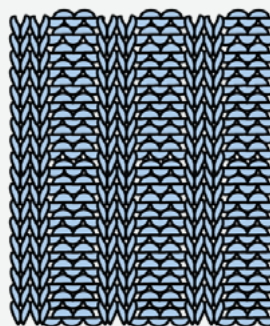


Now you have the first needle empty. With empty needle, work in (K2, P2) ribbing across stitches on second needle. Repeat for third needle.

One round of (K2, P2) ribbing is completed.



Rep last rnd of (K2, P2) ribbing for 4" [10 cm].



Knit in rnds until work from beginning (beg) measures 6½" [16.5 cm].



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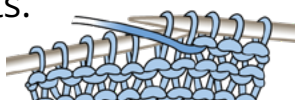
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MAKE HEEL

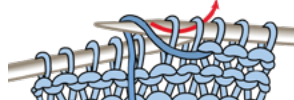
Notes:

- Remove marker indicating beg of rnd, you **do not** need it while working the Heel.
- Slip last **15** (**16-17**) sts of last rnd and knit first **15** (**16-17**) sts of next rnd onto one needle for Heel.
- Divide remaining (rem) **30** (**32-34**) sts onto 2 needles for INSTEP.
- INSTEP will be worked later.

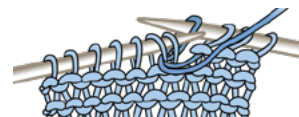
Next row: (WS). Slip first st purlwise (Sl1P). P**13** (**14-15**). Purl next 2 sts together (P2tog). P**14** (**15-16**). **29** (**31-33**) sts.



P2tog: Insert **right**-hand needle **right** to **left** through **front** of next 2 sts on left-hand needle.



Wrap working yarn counter-clockwise around **right**-hand needle.



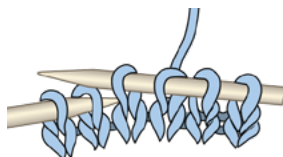
Pull up a loop through **back** of 2 st and drop st from **left**-hand needle. P2tog complete.

The first stitch of Heel always will be slipped purlwise. Slipped stitches at edge look like a chain.

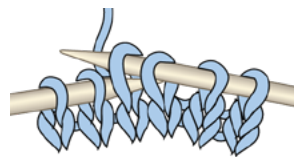
Next row: *Sl1P. K1. Rep from * to last st. K1.

Next row: Sl1P. Purl to end of row.

Rep last 2 rows until heel measures 2½" [6 cm], ending on a RS row.



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Pass them back onto **left**-hand needle, then knit through **back** loops together

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1st row: Sl1P. P15 (16-17). P2tog. P1. Turn.

2nd row: Sl1P. K4. ssk. K1. Turn.

3rd row: Sl1P. P5. P2tog. P1. Turn.

4th row: Sl1P. K6. ssk. K1. Turn.

5th row: Sl1P. P7. P2tog. P1. Turn.

6th row: Sl1P. K8. ssk. K1. Turn.

7th row: Sl1P. P9. P2tog. P1. Turn.

8th row: Sl1P. K10. ssk. K1. Turn.

9th row: Sl1P. P11. P2tog. P1. Turn.

10th row: Sl1P. K12. ssk. K1. Turn.

11th row: Sl1P. P13. P2tog. P1. Turn.

12th row: Sl1P. K14. ssk. K1. Turn.



Size M only: 13th row: Sl1P. P15. P2tog. Turn.

14th row: Sl1P. K16. ssk. Turn. 18 sts.

Size L only: 13th row: Sl1P. P15. P2tog. P1. Turn.

14th row: Sl1P. K16. ssk. K1. 19 sts.

Note: Heel is complete when all unworked stitches are used for decreasing.

SHAPE INSTEP

It's time to use the INSTEP stitches that were set aside on 2 double-pointed needles and start working in rounds again.

With Right Side (RS) of work facing and 1st needle, **pick up and knit** 18 sts along left side of heel.



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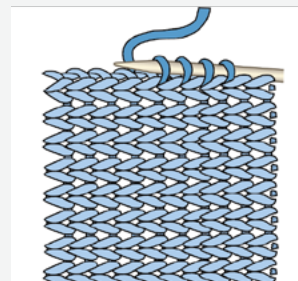
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The Sl1P "chains" at each side of Heel are very helpful to make your pick up easy. Pick up stitches at sides of Heel through both loops of "chains".



With **2nd needle**, K**30 (32-34)** across instep sts. With **3rd needle**, pick up and knit 18 sts along other side of heel. Knit first **8 (9-9)** sts from heel onto end of **3rd needle**.

83 (85-89) sts are now divided as: **27 (27-28)** sts on **1st needle**, **30 (32-34)** sts on **2nd needle** and **26 (27-27)** sts on **3rd needle**.

Place a slip-ring marker around first stitch to indicate beginning of round. Now you are back to ROUNDS.



INSTEP DECREASES

- The total number of stitches for foot should be equal to the total number of cast on stitches for Leg.
- You will work decreases at bottom corners of Heel Flap until required number of stitches is obtained.

1st rnd: 1st needle: Knit to last 4 sts. K2tog. K2.

2nd needle: Knit.

3rd needle: K2. ssk. Knit to end of needle.

2nd rnd: Knit.

Rep last 2 rnds until there are **61 (65-69)** sts divided as: **16 (16-18)** sts on 1st needle, **30 (32-34)** sts on 2nd needle and **15 (16-17)** sts on 3rd needle.



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Next rnd: Knit, dec **1** (**0-1**) st(s) at beg of round. **60** (**64-68**) sts.
 Knit even in rnds until foot from picked up sts measures **6** (**6½-7**)" [**15** (**16.5-18**) cm].

Instep shaping is complete and now you can carry on knitting even in rounds until desired length to beginning of toe shaping.

SHAPE TOE

You are almost done with your sock. A little detail is left:

1st rnd: 1st needle: Knit to last 3 sts. **K2tog. K1.**

2nd needle: K1. **Ssk.** Knit to last 3 sts. **K2tog. K1.**

3rd needle: K1. **Ssk.** Knit to end of needle.

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Rep last 2 rnds until there are 16 sts divided as 4 sts on 1st needle, 8 sts on 2nd needle and 4 sts on 3rd needle.



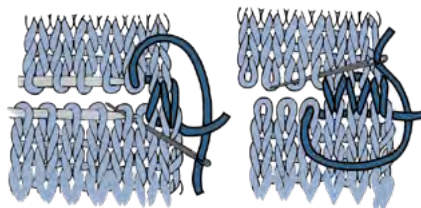
Notes:

- Grafting the very last stitches together will give a very professional finish for your sock.
- If you have difficulty with grafting, then cast off all stitches and sew seam.

Knit sts of 1st needle onto 3rd needle.

Graft 2 sets of 8 sts together (tog) for toe.

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Grafting

