



PATTERN COLLECTION

Socks



Forager Socks

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DIFFICULTY

Intermediate

SIZES

Adult Medium

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Foot Circumference: 8"

Length: Adjustable

MATERIALS

[Universal Yarn Filly](#) (46% cotton, 33% fine superwash merino wool, 12% polyamide, 9% PBT; 100g/492 yds)

- 106 Robin - 1 skein

Needle: US Size 1 (2.25 mm) set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch marker, waste yarn

GAUGE

32 sts x 40 rnds = 4" in Cable patt

32 sts x 40 rnds = 4" in Stockinette stitch (St st)

Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

Indulge in a rhythmic cable and lace motif in the decorative Forager Socks! These sweet springtime accessories are a joy to knit and to wear, thanks to the gorgeous color shifts and soft fabric made by our yarn, Filly. This yarn is wonderful for warmer weather thanks to its luscious blend of fibers. Soft merino wool, summery cotton, a touch of polyamide, and a kiss of PBT creates a fabric that is smooth, sturdy, and features just the right amount of elasticity.

These socks are knit seamlessly from the cuff down with an afterthought heel.

STITCH GUIDE

Right Twist (RT): K2tog but do not slip st from ndl, knit the first st again, slip both sts from ndl.

Left Twist (LT): Knit the second st on the left ndl through the back loop, knit the first st through the front loop, slip both sts from ndl.

3x3 Left Lace Cross (LLC): Slip 3 sts to cn and hold in front, k1, yo, k2tog from left ndl, ssk, yo, k1 from cn.

3x3 Right Lace Cross (RLC): Slip 3 sts to cn and hold in back, k1, yo, k2tog from left ndl, ssk, yo, k1 from cn.

Rib

(multiple of 32 sts)

Rnd 1: * [P1, k1] 3 times, p2, k1, p1, k2, [p2, k1] 2 times, p2, k2, p1, k1, p2, [k1, p1] 3 times; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

Cable

(multiple of 32 sts)

Set-up Rnd: * P1, k3, p1, k4, p1, k12, p1, k4, p1, k3, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 1: * P1, k1, k2tog, yo, p1, k4, p1, [k1, yo, k2tog, ssk, yo, k1] 2 times, p1, k4, p1, yo, ssk, k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Even Rnds 2-12: * P1, k3, p1, k4, p1, k12, p1, k4, p1, k3, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 3: * P1, k2tog, yo, k1, p1, LT, RT, p1, [k1, yo, k2tog, ssk, yo, k1] 2 times, p1, LT, RT, p1, k1, yo, ssk, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 5: * P1, k1, k2tog, yo, p1, k4, p1, 3x3 LLC, 3x3 RLC, p1, k4, p1, yo, ssk, k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 7: Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 9: Rep Rnd 1.

Rnd 11: Rep Rnd 3.

Rep Rnds 1-12 for patt.



PATTERN BEGINS

SOCK

(make two alike)

Cuff

Cast on 64 sts. PM and join to knit in the rnd, being careful not to twist.

Rnd 1: Work Rnd 1 of Rib patt to end. Patt will be repeated 2 times across each rnd.

Rep Rnd 1 until piece meas 1½" from cast-on edge.

Leg

Rnds 1-12: Work Rnds 1-12 of Cable patt. Patt will be repeated 2 times across each rnd.

Rep Rnds 1-12 until piece meas approx. 6" from cast-on edge, ending with an odd-numbered rnd.

Heel Stitches: Work next Rnd of Cable patt over 32 Instep sts, pm, join waste yarn and k32 Heel sts, slide these 32 Heel sts back to left ndl, k32 sts with working yarn – 64 sts on ndl.

Foot

Next Rnd: Work next rnd of Cable patt over Instep sts to m, sl m, knit to end.

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Cont in patt as est'd until Foot meas approx. 5", or 4" less than desired length, measuring from Heel sts.

Shape Toe

Note: Maintain Cable patt as established throughout Toe shaping. If there are not enough stitches to complete a yarnover with its corresponding decrease, work these sts in Stockinette stitch instead. If there are not enough stitches to complete a cable cross, work these stitches in Stockinette stitch instead.

Rnd 1 (Even Rnd): Cont even as est'd to end.

Rnd 2 (Dec Rnd): K1, ssk, cont as est'd to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, sl m, k1, ssk, knit to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, k1 - 4 sts dec'd, 60 sts rem.

Rep Rnds 1-2, 9 more times - 36 sts dec'd, 24 sts rem.

Place first 12 sts on one ndl and last 12 sts on separate ndl. Holding the two ndls parallel to one another, graft the two sets of sts together using the Kitchener method.

Heel

Place 32 sts on each side of waste yarn onto dpns or your preferred ndl for knitting small circumferences - 64 sts total. Carefully remove waste yarn. Join yarn.

Rnd 1: Knit.

Rnd 2 (Dec Rnd): * K1, ssk, knit to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, k1; rep from *, 1 more time - 4 sts dec'd, 60 sts rem.

Rep Rnds 1-2, 9 more times - 36 sts dec'd, 24 sts rem.

Place first 12 sts on one ndl and last 12 sts on separate ndl. Holding the two ndls parallel to one another, graft the two sets of sts together using the Kitchener method.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

approx	approximately
bor	beginning of round
cn	cable needle
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)
est'd	established
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
m	marker
meas	measures
ndl	needle
p	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
sl	slip
St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
yo	yarn over

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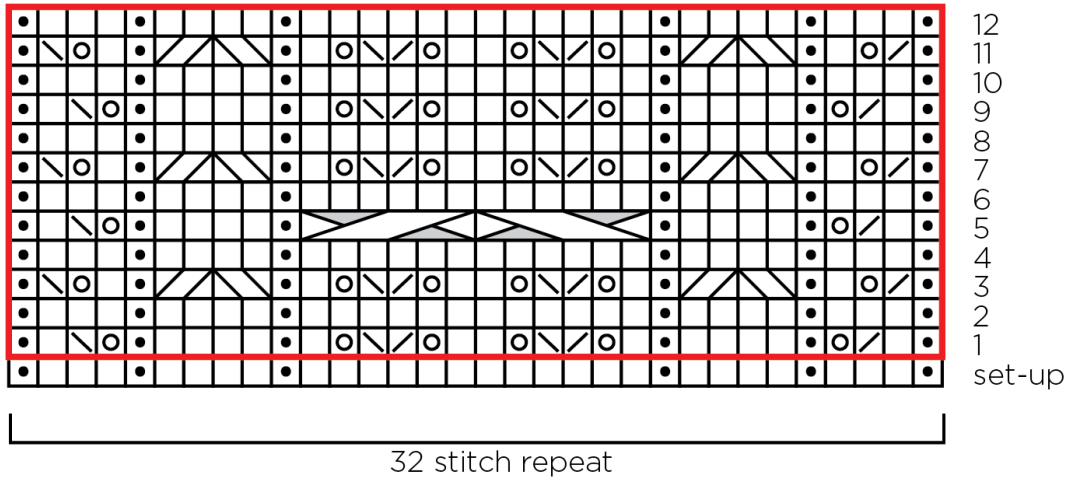
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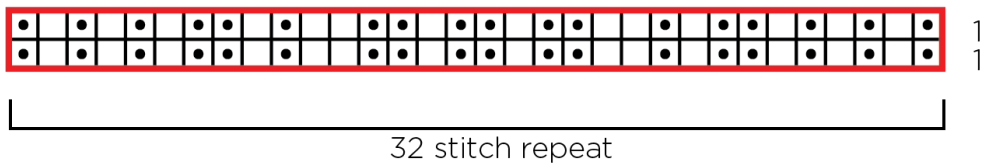
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Cable



Rib



Key

 pattern repeat

 knit

 purl

 yo

 ssk

 k2tog

 LT

 RT

 3x3 LLC

 3x3 RLC

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