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TOASTY TOES GARTER KNIT SLIPPERS

Faded Denim   Hot Pink   Gray Heather   Brass

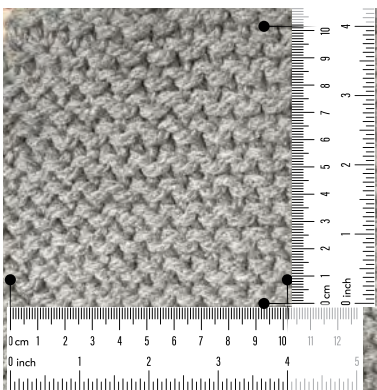KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

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WHAT YOU'LL NEED

GAUGE

10 sts and 20 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter stitch (knit every row).

YARN 🅖 SUPER BULKY 6

- **Bernat® Softee Chunky™** (3.5 oz/100 g; 108 yds/99 m)

COLORS
Quantity
Version 1

- **Contrast A** Faded Denim (28114)

	Small	Medium	Large	
	2	**2**	**2**	**balls**
	119/109	**128/115**	**162/145**	**yds/m**

- **Contrast B** Hot Pink (28416)
  1 ball or 16 yds/15 m

Version 2

- **Contrast A** Gray Heather (28046)

	Small	Medium	Large	
	2	**2**	**2**	**balls**
	119/109	**128/115**	**162/145**	**yds/m**

- **Contrast B** Brass (28807)
  1 ball or 16 yds/15 m

TOOLS

- Size U.S. 11 (8 mm) Susan Bates Silvalume knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

- Susan Bates® split stitch markers.

- Susan Bates® yarn needle.

- Tape measure.

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INSTRUCTIONS

*The instructions are written for **Small** size. If changes are necessary, the instructions will be written **Small** (**Medium**-**Large**). 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.*

USING THIS GUIDE

Click on the underlined words throughout the pattern to access our library of helpful tools.

SIZES

Adult **Small** (**Medium**-**Large**)
To fit U.S. Women's (Men's) Shoe Sizes
S   4-6½
M   7-9½ (Men's 6-8½)
L   10-12½ (Men's 9-11½)

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Gray Heather/
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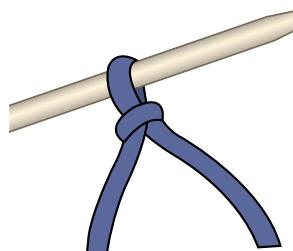**Slip knot:** *Make a loop with yarn and fold it on itself to make a pretzel shape.*

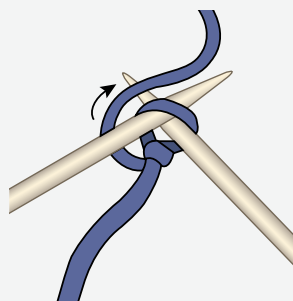*With tip of needle, pull working yarn through the pretzel to create loop and pull yarn to tighten.*
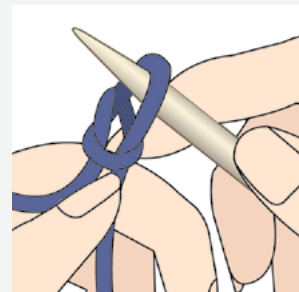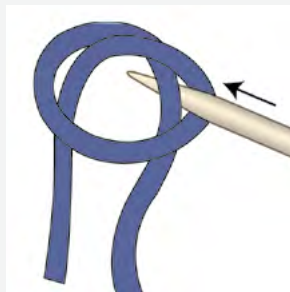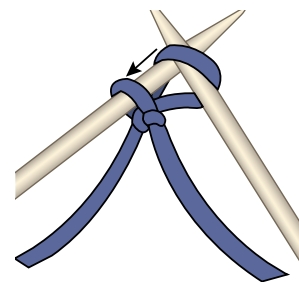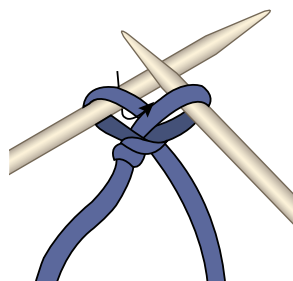
With A, cast on 2 stitches (sts).

Cast on:
Start with slip knot on left-hand needle.

Insert right-hand needle through loop as with knit stitch (yarn at back, from the bottom up).

Start knit stitch, then transfer loop from right-hand needle back onto left - 2 stitches on needle.

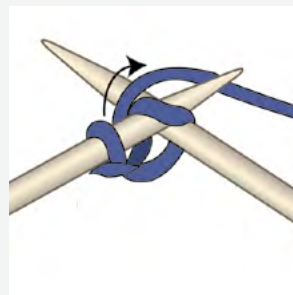# BERNAT®
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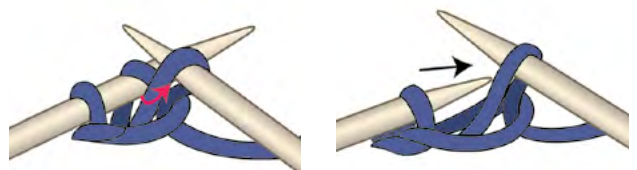**1st row:** [Right Side (RS)]. Knit 2 (K2).

Knit 1 stitch (K1):.
*Insert right-hand needle from **left** to **right** through front of next stitch on left-hand needle.*
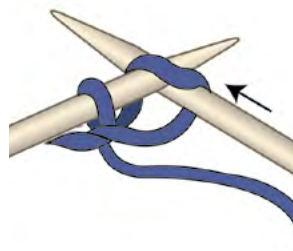
Wrap working yarn counter-clockwise around right-hand needle

Pull through a loop, dropping stitch from left-hand needle – 1 stitch knit.

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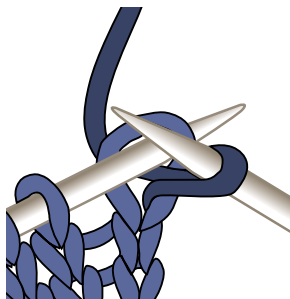
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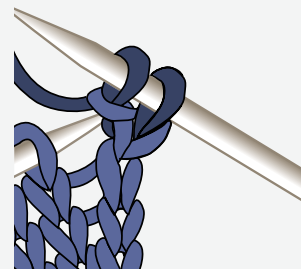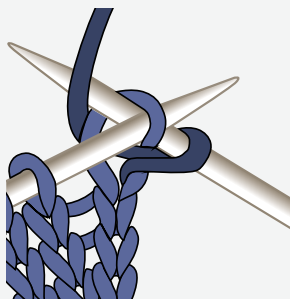*Repeat once more – 2 stitches knit.*

1st row is complete.
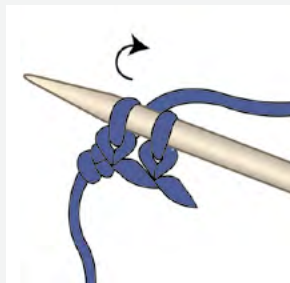
2nd row: Kfb. K1. 3 sts.

Kfb: *Knit into front of next st, but **do not** drop st off of left-hand needle.*

Insert needle through back of same st and knit into that st again.

2nd row is complete.

3rd and 4th rows: Knit.

5th row: Kfb. Knit to end of row.

Rep 3rd to 5th rows 4 times more. There are now 8 sts on needle.

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Next row: [Right side (RS)]. Cast on 10 sts.

Cast on:

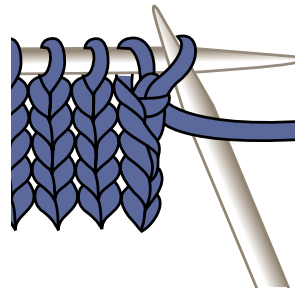*Insert right-hand needle from **left** to **right** through first stitch on left-hand needle. Wrap working yarn around right-hand needle counter-clockwise, and pull loop through front of stitch.*
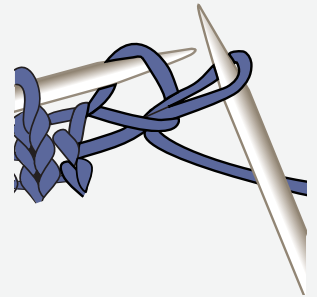
Place this stitch on left-hand needle through back of this stitch – 1 stitch cast on.

*Repeat (Rep) from * to * 9 times more. 10 stitches (sts) total cast on.*

Knit across 10 cast on sts. Knit 8 sts (K8). across body of Slipper. 18 sts at end of 1st row.

1st row complete.

INSTRUCTIONS

2nd row: (WS). Cast on 10 sts.

Knit across 10 cast on sts. Knit 18 sts (K18) across body of Slipper. 28 sts at end of 2nd row.

2nd row complete.

Place marker (PM) on last st of last row.

Work in **garter st** (knit every row) until work from marked row measures 4½" [11.5 cm]. Place 2nd set of markers at each end of last row.
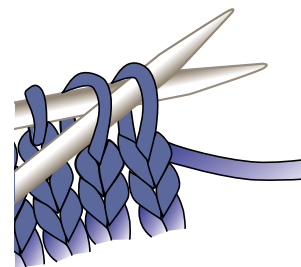

Work in garter st for a further **1½** (**2-2½**)" [**4** (**5**-**6.5**) cm] from 2nd set of markers, ending on a WS row.

Shape toe: 1st row: K3. Knit next 2 sts together (K2tog).

K2tog: *Insert right-hand needle from **left** to **right** through next 2 stitches on left-hand needle.*
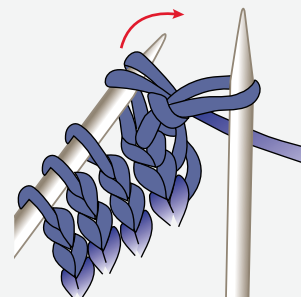
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*Wrap working yarn around right-hand needle counter-clockwise and draw up a loop through front of **both** sts.*

(K3. K2tog) 4 times. K3. 23 sts.

1st row of "Shape Toe" complete.

Row just worked: "Shape toe: 1st row: K3. Knit next 2 sts together (K2tog). (K3. K2tog) 4 times. K3. 23 sts."
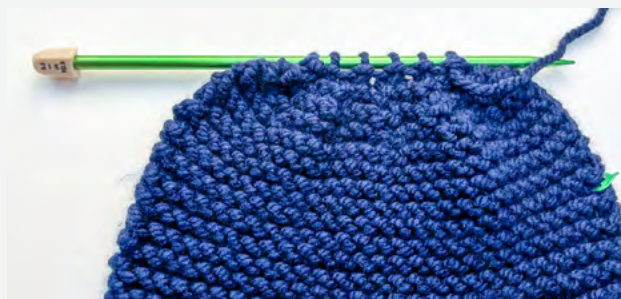
2nd and 4th rows: Knit.
3rd row: K3. *K2tog. K2. Rep from * to end of row. 18 sts.
5th row: *K2tog. K1. Rep from * to end of row. 12 sts.
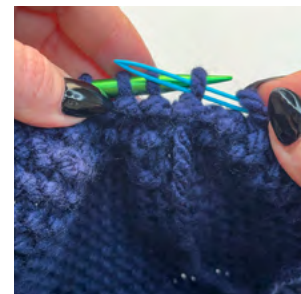**6th row:** (K2tog) 6 times. 6 sts.

Break yarn, leaving a long end.

Thread end through rem 6 sts and draw up firmly. Fasten securely.

Thread tail through a yarn needle. Insert yarn needle from right to left through next st on left-hand needle. Draw yarn through. Pass st off needle onto yarn tail.

Repeat until tail has been threaded through all sts.

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Using **Mattress Stitch**, sew Slipper instep to 2nd set of markers.

**Note:** A contrasting color is used for illustrative purposes only; for best results seam using same color as project.
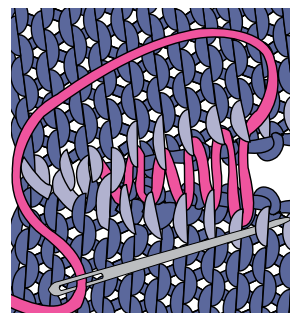
Insert yarn needle up through first "bump" on right-hand side of instep and draw through.
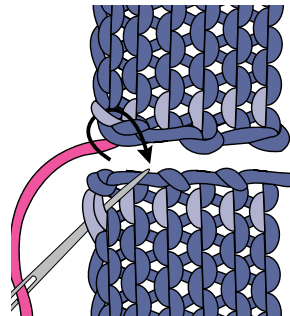
Insert yarn needle up through first "bump" on left-hand side of instep and draw through. Insert yarn needle up through next bump on right-hand side of heel triangle and draw through.
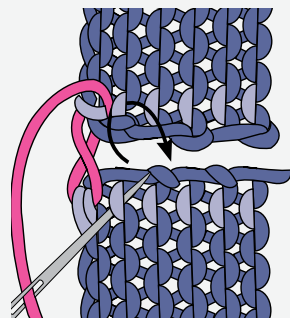
Insert yarn needle up through first "bump" on left-hand side of instep and draw through.

INSTRUCTIONS

Continue in this manner to marker.

Draw working yarn taut to finish seam. **Fasten off** *and weave in end.*

Sew edges of back triangle to cast on sts of sides to form heel.

Fasten off and **weave in end**. Repeat for opposite side of heel triangle.
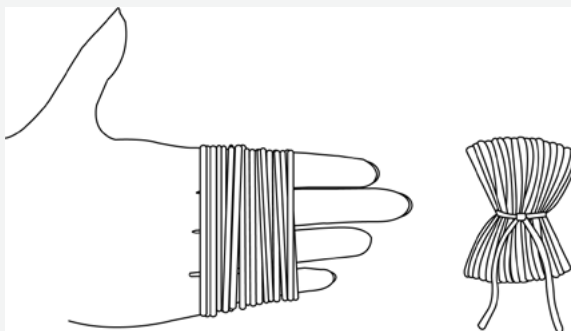
INSTRUCTIONS

Pompoms (With B make 2).
Wind yarn around 4 fingers 80 times. Tie tightly in the middle and leave a long end for attaching to Hood. Cut loops at both ends and trim to smooth round shape.

OR use Medium-sized Pompom Maker as follows:
Working back and forth across open half of Pompom Maker, wrap yarn evenly around until full.

Close half and rep for opposite half of Pompom Maker. Close Pompom Maker.

Inserting scissors into central groove, cut wrapped yarn around circumference of Pompom Maker.
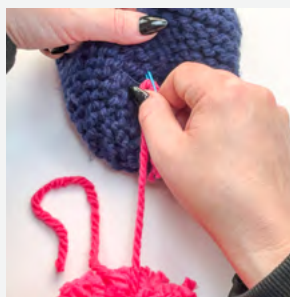
INSTRUCTIONS

Cut a strand of yarn approx 12" [30.5 cm] long and wrap securely around center of Pompom Maker. Tie a knot to secure strands.

Remove pompom from Pompom Maker. Holding pompom by tails used to secure strands to avoid cutting these, trim pompom to an even round shape.

Using secured tails, attach 1 Pompom to each Slipper as shown in photo.

Thread tails of Pompom individually on either side of instep seam, approx 1" [2.5 cm] from end of seam. Tie tails of Pompom securely together on wrong side of work.

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