

# (TO KNIT)













#### **SIZES**

Child: 4/6 (8/10)

#### **MATERIALS**

Phentex® Craft & Slipper Yarn (85 g/3 oz; 150 m/164 yds)

Size 4/6 8/10

Calypso (00976) 1 1 ball

Set of four size 5 mm (U.S. 8) double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Cable needle. Stitch holder.

#### **GAUGE**

18 sts and 24 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st.

## **ABBREVIATION**

**C6F** = Slip next 3 stitches onto cable needle and leave at front of work. K3, then K3 from cable needle.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

The instructions are written for smaller size. If changes are necessary for larger size the instructions will be written thus ().

Cast on 32 (36) sts.

Divide sts on 3 needles as: (10, 11, 11) (12, 12, 12). Join in rnd, placing a marker on first st. Work  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " [6 cm] in (K1. P1) ribbing.

**Next rnd:** Rib across 14 (16) sts. Inc 1 st in next st. P1. Inc 1 st in next st. Rib to end of rnd. 34 (38) sts.

**Upper:** Place first **8** (**9**) sts of 1st needle and last **8** (**9**) sts of 3rd needle onto st holder and leave at center back. Join yarn to rem **18** (**20**) sts.

Work back and forth in rows across 2 needles as follows:

1st row: (RS). P6 (7). K6. P6 (7). 2nd row: K6 (7). P6. K6 (7). 3rd row: P6 (7). C6F. P6 (7). 4th row: As 2nd row.

5th to 8th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows twice more.

Rep last 8 rows for pat until Upper measures 3½ (4)" [9 (10) cm], ending with a WS row.

Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st each end of next and following alt row. 14 (16) sts (toe).

**Next row:** (WS). K4 (5). P1. (P2tog) twice. P1. K4 (5). 12 (14) sts. Break yarn.

**Instep:** Divide center back sts from st holder onto 2 needles. Rejoin yarn at center back. K8 (9) from first needle, then pick up and knit 18 (20) sts along side of Upper. K12 (14) from toe. Pick up and knit 18 (20) sts along opposite side of Upper, then K8 (9). Join in rnd, placing a marker on first st. 64 (72) sts. Sts are divided as 26 (29) sts on first needle, 12 (14) sts on 2nd needle and 26 (29) sts on 3rd needle.

Knit 7 (8) rnds even. Break yarn.

**Sole:** Join yarn to 12 (14) toe sts on 2nd needle. Work back and forth in rows across 2 needles as follows: 1st row: (RS). K11 (13). Sl1. Knit next st of Upper. psso. Turn. 2nd row: K11 (13). Sl1. Knit next st of Upper. psso. Turn. Rep last 2 rows until 12 (14) sts rem at center back of Upper and 12 (14) sts rem for Toe. Joining row: Align 2 needles with 12 (14) sts on top of each other. With 3rd needle, knit first st from each needle tog. \*Knit next st from each needle tog. Pass first st on right-hand needle over second st. Rep from \* until all sts are cast off.