





KNIT SKILL LEVEL **EASY** 

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### What you will need:

**RED HEART® With Love®:** 1 skein 1805 Bluebell

Susan Bates® Knitting Needles: 5mm [US 8]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4" (10 cm) in Garter st (knit every row). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART\* With Love\*, Art. E400 available in solid

color 7oz (198 g), 370 yd (338 m), multicolor 5oz (141 g), 230 yd (211 m) and stripes 5 oz (141 g) 223 yds (204 m) skeins



# Time-Off Slipper Socks

Transition from work to relaxation by leaving your shoes at the door and slipping into these sock-style foot cozies. They are knit in non-scratchy yarn that makes your feet happy.

Directions are for Men's sock size 10; changes for sock sizes 11, 12 and 14 are in parentheses.

Sock stretches to fit foot length 9½ (10½, 11, 11½)" (24.5 (27, 28, 29.5) cm).

#### **SPECIAL STITCHES**

M1 (Make 1 increase) = Lift strand between needles to left-hand needle and knit strand through the back loop, twisting it to prevent a hole.

**ssk** (slip, slip, knit) = slip next two sts knitwise to right needle, insert point of left needle through front of sts, knit these sts together through back loop.

# SLIPPER SOCKS (make two) Sole

Cast on 48 (54, 58, 62) sts.

Rows 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, and 11: Knit.

**Row 2:** K2, M1, k21 (24, 26, 28), [M1, k1] twice, k21 (24, 26, 28), M1, k2 - 52 (58, 62, 66) sts.

**Row 4:** K3, M1, k22 (25, 27, 29), [M1, k1] twice, k22 (25, 27, 29), M1, k3 - 56 (62, 66, 70) sts.

**Row 6:** K4, M1, k23 (26, 28, 30), [M1, k1] twice, k23 (26, 28, 30), M1, k4 - 60 (66, 70, 74) sts.

**Row 8:** K5, M1, k24 (27, 29, 31), [M1, k1] twice, k24 (27, 29, 31), M1, k5 - 64 (70, 74, 78) sts.

**Row 10:** K6, M1, k25 (28, 30, 32), [M1, k1] twice, k25 (28, 30, 32), M1, k6 - 68 (74, 78, 82) sts.

**Row 12:** K7, M1, k26 (29, 31, 33), [M1, k1] twice, M1, k26 (29, 31, 33), M1, k7 - 73 (79, 83, 87) sts.

#### Instep

Rows 1-4: Knit.

**Row 5:** K24 (27, 28, 30), ssk, k3tog, ssk, k11 (11, 13, 13), k2tog, k3tog, k2tog, k24 (27, 28, 30) – 65 (71, 75, 79) sts.

Row 6: Knit.

**Row 7:** K20 (23, 24, 26), ssk, k3tog, ssk, k11 (11, 13, 13), k2tog, k3tog, k2tog, k20 (23, 24, 26) - 57 (63, 67, 71) sts.

Row 8: Knit.

**Row 9:** K34 (37, 40, 42), ssk, turn work - 56 (62, 66, 70) sts.

**Row 10:** Slip 1, k11 (11, 13, 13), k2tog, turn work - 55 (61, 65, 69) sts.

**Row 11:** Slip 1, k11 (11, 13, 13), ssk, turn work - 54 (60, 64, 68) sts.

**Rows 12-25:** Repeat Rows 10 and 11 alternately - 40 (46, 50, 54) sts.

**Row 26:** Repeat Row 10 - 39 (45, 49, 53) sts.

**Row 27:** Slip 1, k11 (11, 13, 13), ssk, knit to end of row – 38 (44, 48, 52) sts.

**Row 28:** K24 (27, 30, 32), k2tog, knit to end of row – 37 (43, 47, 51) sts.

Rows 29-32: Knit.

#### Cuff

Next 2 rows:

**Row 1:** K1, \* p1, k1; repeat from \* to end. **Row 2:** P1, \* k1, p1; repeat from \* to end.

Rows 3-20: Repeat Rows 1 and 2

alternately.

Bind off all sts in pattern.

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## **FINISHING**

Sew seam down back of cuff, heel and along center of sole.

Weave in all loose ends.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

k = knit; k2tog = knit next 2 sts
together; k3tog = knit next 3 sts
together; p = purl; st(s) = stitch(es); [] =
work directions in brackets the number
of times specified; \* or \*\* = repeat
whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.

For Pillow shown see LW5803

