

# CHECKERED TRADITIONAL SLIPPERS



Inspired by our Grandma's, here is a pattern of traditional slippers, passed down from mother to daughter, that will warm your feet "à la mode de chez nous"... Enjoy your knitting!

**SIZES** | KID (WOMEN, MAN)



## MATERIALS

◆ 2 x 100g of [Briggs & Little « Tuffy »](#) : 1 skein of main color (MC) and 1 skein of contrasting color (CC)

◆ [Straight needles](#) of 4.5 mm (US#7)

◆ [Tapestry needle](#)

**NOTES :** This model is worked entirely in garter stitch (knit every row)

## INSTRUCTIONS

With MC, cast-on 32 (40, 48) sts, leaving a tail of about 35 cm at the beginning of the cast-on (will be used for sewing later).

**Rows 1 to 3 with MC:** knit.

**Row 4 with MC:** knit to the end while increasing evenly 12 sts to end the row with a total of 44 (52, 60) sts.

## CHECKERED PATTERN

**Rows 1 to 4 :** repeat [k4 with MC, k4 with CC] to the end.

**Rows 5 to 8 :** k8 with MC, repeat [k4 with CC, k4 with MC] to the last 4 sts, k4 with MC.

Repeat these 8 rows until you get to 4cm less than desired length, cut CC.

## ENDING

With MC only:

**Row 1 and 2 :** knit.

**Row 3 :** repeat [k2tog] to the end of row.

**Row 4 :** knit.

**Row 5 :** repeat [k2tog] to the end of row.

**Row 6 :** Cut MC, leaving a tail of about 35cm and with a tapestry needle, pass the yarn through the remaining sts. Pull to close the tip and weave-in the ends firmly.

Sew the top of the slipper (about half of the squares) and sew the back of the heel. Weave-in the ends and voilà!

**K :** knit **K2tog :** knit 2 together **St(s) :** stitch(es)