

# Sweet Slipper Socks By Rohn Strong for Premier Yarns

Level: Intermediate



#### SIZE S (M, L)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS Circumference: 7½ (8½, 9½)" Foot Length: 10 (10½, 11)"

## MATERIALS

Premier Yarns<sup>®</sup> Sweet Roll<sup>™</sup> (100% acrylic; 140 gm/ 245 yds)
#1047-09 Wild Cherry Swirl
Needle: US 7 (4.5mm) and US 9 (5.5 mm) double pointed knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge
Notions: Tapestry needle

GAUGE 16 sts and 22 rows = 4" in St st using larger needle Save time, check your gauge.

## **PATTERN NOTES**

Slipper Socks are worked from the cuff down with a simple heel flap and three-point toe. Make one size up from your actual foot measurements for loose fitting slippers or stay true to size for thick boot socks.

## SOCKS

#### Cuff

With smaller needles cast on 30 (34, 38) sts. Divide sts evenly over 3 needles. Join to work in the round taking care not to twist stitches. Place marker for beginning of round.

Rnd 1: \*K1, p1; rep from \* around.

Rep Rnd 1 until Cuff measures 2" from cast on. Change to larger needles.

Switch to Stockinette st (knit every rnd) and work until leg measures 7" or desired length from cast on edge.

## Heel Flap

Row 1: K15 (17, 19) sts for heel flap, turn leaving rem sts (instep sts) unworked.
Row 2: \*Sl1 purlwise, p1; rep from \* to last st, sl1 purlwise, turn.
Row 3: Knit.

Rows 4-14: Rep Rows 2 and 3, 5 more times, then rep Row 2 once more.

©Premier Yarns 2016, All Rights Reserved www.premieryarns.com Turn Heel Row 1: K8 (9, 10) k2tog, k1, turn. Row 2: Sl 1, p2, p2tog, p1, turn. Row 3: Sl 1, k3, k2tog, k1, turn. Row 4: Sl 1, p4, p2tog, k1, turn. Continue in this manner, working one more stitch before decrease each row until 9 (11, 11) sts remain. Next Row (RS): Knit.

### Gusset

With RS facing, pick up and knit 8 sts along left side of heel flap, place marker for first gusset, knit across 15 (17, 19) instep sts, place marker for second gusset, pick up and knit 8 sts along opposite side of heel flap, k4 (5, 5) sts, place marker for beg of rnd – 40 (44, 46) sts. Beginning of rnd is now located in center of heel sts.

#### **Gusset Decreases**

**Rnd 1:** K to 4 sts before first marker, k2tog, k to next marker, k2, ssk, knit to end. – 2 sts decreased; 38 (42, 44) sts.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rep Rnds 1-2, 4 (4, 3) more times - 30 (34, 38) sts.

#### Foot

Work in Stockinette st until foot measures 7 (7½, 8)" or desired length from back of heel.

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Rnd 1: Knit, decreasing 0 (1, 2) sts evenly around – 30 (33, 36) sts.
Rnd 2: [K10 (11, 12), pm] twice, knit to end.
Rnd 3: \*Sm, k2tog, knit to 2 sts before next marker, ssk; rep from \* around – 6 sts decreased.
Rnd 4: Knit.
Rep Rnds 3-4, 3 (3, 4) more times – 6 (9, 6) sts rem.

#### FINISHING

Cut yarn leaving long tail. Using tapestry needle, thread yarn through remaining sts and pull tail to close. Weave in ends. Block lightly.

#### Abbreviations

k knit **k2tog** knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd) purl р p2tog purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd) pm place marker RS right side rem remain(ing) repeat(ing) rep rnd(s) round(s) sl slip sm slip marker st(s) stitch(es) WS wrong side

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