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SOX again

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Free with
Zig Zag
Yarn



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SOX KNITTED IN KING COLE ZIG-ZAG 4ply

TENSION

28sts and 36 rounds = 10cm (4in) over st-st on 3mm needles.

It is important to check your tension before commencing the Socks therefore knit a tension square. If there are less sts to 10cm (4in) than number stated, change to finer needles. If there are more sts to 10cm (4in) than number stated, change to larger needles.

ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **beg** = begin(ning); **cont** = continue; **patt** = pattern; **psso** = pass slipped stitch over; **rem** = remain(ing); **rep** = repeat; **sl** = slip; **sl 1P** = slip one st:ch purlwise; **st-st** = stocking stitch; **tog** = together; **yfwd** = yarn forward.

FOR ALL STYLES

Leg

With 3mm needles cast on 44[52 : 56 : 64 : 68]sts onto one needle.

Divide sts fairly equally between 3 needles in multiples of 4.

Working in K2, P2, rib work in rounds until work measures 4cm (1½ in) from beg.

Design 1

Sox with ribbed leg

Cont in rib until leg measures 15[17.5 : 20.5 : 21.5 : 23]cm (6[7 : 8 : 8½ : 9]in) from beg (with rib stretched out), or desired length to top of heel.

Count the rounds worked to this point to ensure that both socks will be alike.

Design 2

Sox with plain leg

Cont as follows:

Work every round knit until leg measures 15[17.5 : 20.5 : 21.5 : 23]cm (6[7 : 8 : 8½ : 9]in) from beg, or desired length to top of heel.

Count the rounds worked to this point to ensure that both socks will be alike.

Design 3

Sox with lace panel

Cont as follows:

Arrange sts onto needles in this order:

Needle 1: 17[19 : 20 : 23 : 24]sts.

Needle 2: 10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20]sts.

Needle 3: 17[19 : 20 : 23 : 24]sts.

Rounds start at centre back.

Round 1

Needle 1: K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13], P2, K2tog, (K1, yfwd) twice, K1, sl 1, K1, psso, P2.

Needle 2: K10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20].

Needle 3: P2, K2tog, (K1, yfwd) twice, K1, sl 1, K1, psso, P2, K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13].

Rounds 2, 4 and 6

Needle 1: K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13], P2, K7, P2.

Needle 2: K10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20].

Needle 3: P2, K7, P2, K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13].

Round 3

Needle 1: K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13], P2, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, psso, P2.

Needle 2: K10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20].

Needle 3: P2, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, psso, P2, K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13].

Round 5

Needle 1: K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13], P2, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, psso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, P2.

Needle 2: K10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20].

Needle 3: P2, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, psso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, P2, K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13].

Round 7

Needle 1: K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13], P2, K2, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, psso, yfwd, K2, P2.

Needle 2: K10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20].

Needle 3: P2, K2, yfwd, sl 1, K2tog, psso, yfwd, K2, P2, K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13].

Round 8

Needle 1: K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13], P2, K7, P2.

Needle 2: K10[14 : 16 : 18 : 20].

Needle 3: P2, K7, P2, K6[8 : 9 : 12 : 13].

These 8 rounds form patt.

Rep these 8 rounds 4[5 : 6 : 6 : 7] times more.

Work further rounds in knit until leg measures 15[17.5 : 20.5 : 21.5 : 23]cm (6[7 : 8 : 8½ : 9]in) from beg, or desired length to top of heel.

Count the rounds worked to this point to ensure that both socks will be alike.

Design 4

Fancy Ribbed Knee Sox

Cont as follows:

Round 1 : * P1, K2tog, K1, yrn, rep from * to end of round.

Round 2 : * P1, K3, rep from * to end of round.

Round 3 : * P1, yfwd, K1, sl 1, K1, psso, rep from * to end of round.

Round 4 : * P1, K3, rep from * to end of round.

These 4 rounds form patt.

Cont in patt until leg measures 31.5 [34.5 : 35.5 : 38 : 39.5]cm (12½[13½ : 14 : 15 : 15½]in) from beg.

Design 5

Slouch Sox

Cont as follows:

Rounds 1 – 8: Knit.

Rounds 9 – 12: Purl.

These 12 rounds form patt.

Cont in patt until leg measures 31.5[34.5 : 35.5 : 38 : 39.5]cm (12½[13½ : 14 : 15 : 15½] in) from beg.

FOR ALL STYLES

Heel

Working in rows cont as follows:

1st Row: K11[13 : 14 : 16 : 17], turn work and with same needle, P22[26 : 28 : 32 : 34]. Place remaining 22[26 : 28 : 32 : 34]sts equally onto the 2 spare needles.

2nd Row (Right side): * With yarn at back sl 1P, K1, rep from * to end.

3rd Row: With yarn in front sl 1P, P to end.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 10[12 : 13 : 15 : 16] times more.

Turn Heel

1st Row (Right side): K13[15 : 16 : 18 : 19], sl 1, K1, psso, K1, turn.

2nd Row: Sl 1P, P5, P2tog, P1, turn.

3rd Row: Sl 1P, K to 1 st before gap made on 2nd row, sl 1, K1, psso (1 st from each side of gap), K1, turn.

4th Row: Sl 1P, P to 1 st before gap made on 3rd row, P2tog, P1, turn.

Rep 3rd and 4th rows until all heel sts have been worked, ending with a wrong side row. 14[16 : 16 : 18 : 20]sts.

Gusset

Round 1

Needle 1: K across 14[16 : 16 : 18 : 20] heel sts, then pick up and K12[14 : 15 : 17 : 18]sts evenly down side edge of heel making sure to pick up last st into corner to avoid a hole.

Needle 2: K22[26 : 28 : 32 : 34]sts from spare needles.

Needle 3: Pick up and K12[14 : 15 : 17 : 18]sts evenly up side edge of heel, then K first 7[8 : 8 : 9 : 10]sts from needle 1.

(19[22 : 23 : 26 : 28]sts each on needles 1 and 3 and 22[26 : 28 : 32 : 34]sts on needle 2 for instep). 60[70 : 74 : 84 : 90]sts in total.

Rounds now begin at centre back heel.

Round 2

Needle 1: K to last 3sts, K2tog, K1.

Needle 2: Knit.

Needle 3: K1, sl 1, K1, psso, K to end.

Round 3: Knit.

Rep rounds 2 and 3 until 44[52 : 56 : 64 : 68]sts rem. 11[13 : 14 : 16 : 17]sts each on needles 1 and 3 and 22[26 : 28 : 32 : 34]sts on needle 2.

Place a marker at this point to enable you to count the rounds worked for foot from this point.

Foot

Work every round knit until foot measures 14[16.5 : 19 : 20.5 : 22]cm (5½[6½ : 7½ : 8 : 8¾]in) from back of heel or 4[4.5 : 5 : 5.5 : 6.5]cm (1½[1¾ : 2 : 2¼ : 2½]in) shorter than length of foot required.

Count the rounds worked from marker to this point to ensure that both socks will be alike.

Toe

Round 1

Needle 1: K to last 3sts, K2tog, K1.

Needle 2: K1, sl 1, K1, psso, K to last 3sts, K2tog, K1.

Needle 3: K1, sl 1, K1, psso, K to end.

Round 2: Knit.

Rep rounds 1 and 2 until 20[24 : 28 : 32 : 36]sts rem, then rep round 1 only until 8[8 : 8 : 12 : 12] sts rem.

Knit sts from needle 1 onto needle 3. 4[4 : 4 : 6 : 6]sts each on 2 needles.

Sl sts from each needle onto 2 separate threads.

Turn sock inside out.

Place sts back onto 2 needles and graft together by knitting together 1 st from each needle and casting off.

	Small Lady	Med Lady	Large Lady Small Man	Med Man	Large Man	
Designs 1, 2 and 3						
Leg Length (adjustable)	15 6	17.5 7	20.5 8	21.5 8½	23 9	cm in
Designs 4 and 5						
Leg Length (adjustable)	31.5 12½	34.5 13½	35.5 14	38 15	39.5 15½	cm in
All Styles						
Foot Length (adjustable)	17.5 7	21 8¼	24 9½	26 10¼	28.5 11¼	cm in
MATERIALS REQUIRED						
KING COLE ZIG-ZAG 4ply 100g balls						
Designs 1, 2 and 3	1	1	1	1	1	ball
Designs 4 and 5	1	1	1	2	2	balls
One set of 4 double pointed needles size 3mm.						
NOTES						
The yarn amounts stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.						
IMPORTANT						
To ensure accuracy only King Cole Zig-Zag yarn is suitable. No responsibility will be taken for the result of using any other brand of yarn.						
It is essential to work to the tension stated.						

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