

Mekong - Women’s socks

No. 2004-212-7375

Materials
1 (1, 1) skein Unicorn col 02

Double-pointed needles 2.5 mm
Stitch markers

Yarn
Unicorn, Hobbii
75% Wool, 25% Polyamid/
100 g = 400 meters

Knitting gauge
30 sts og 40 rounds for 10*10cm in stockinette stitch

Buy the yarn here
http://shop.hobbii.com/mekong-women-s-socks

Hashtags for social media
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Sizes
Shoe size (EU): 36/37 (38/39) 40/41
Foot length: about 24 (26) 28 cm

Pattern information
Rib pattern is worked on the sides of the foot and moss stitch in between. The heel is made in an hourglass shape.

The double-pointed needles can be exchanged for 80 cm long circular needles and then working the socks using the magic loop technique.

Techniques
Magic loop:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FtLaIlfMHMg&list=PL_gKGVkKbA2IlG4JRf7swzsRlNnCfQ6PD&index=11&t=4s

SSK:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6nfc1eSd6ik&list=PL_gKGVkKbA2IlG4JRf7swzsRlNnCfQ6PD&index=9

German Short Rows:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Bz7YhiXuA8&list=PL_gKGVkKbA2IlG4JRf7swzsRlNnCfQ6PD&index=19&t=2s





Enjoy!

Pattern instructions

Shaft

Cast on 56 (60) 64 sts and divide evenly on 4 double-pointed needles. Work in the round.

Place a marker at beginning of round.
Round 1: work 10 (11, 12) sts in moss stitch: k1, p1 (p1, k1), k1, p1
work 7 sts of rib: k1, p1, (first and last st is k), work 22 (24, 26) sts moss stitch: k1, p1, work 7 sts rib: k1, p1 (first and last st is k), work 10 (11, 12) sts moss stitch: k1, p1 (p1, k1), k1, p1 (the pattern should line up with the beginning of the round).
Round 2: work 10 (11, 12) sts moss stitch (p over k, k over p), 7 sts rib (k over k, p over p), 22 (24, 26) sts moss stitch, 7 sts rib, 10 (11, 12) sts moss stitch.
Repeat these two rounds until the shaft measures 8 (10, 12) cm.
End at the beginning of round marker.

Heel

Divide for heel

Continuing on the same needle, work 14 (15) 16 sts (= 10 (11, 12) sts moss stitch and 4 sts rib) so you have 28 (30, 32) sts on one double-pointed needle.

The stitches for the upper foot/instep at left to rest on 2 needles.

Hourglass heel

Place a marker in the middle of the heel sts.
Work stockinette back and forth over the 28 (30, 32) sts of the heel.

German short rows

Row 1, WS: purl until there are 2 sts left, turn.
Row 2, RS: make 1 turning st, knit until there are 2 sts left, turn
Row 3: make 1 turning st, purl until there are 4 sts left, turn
Row 4: make 1 turning st, knit until there are 4 sts left, turn.
Row 5: make 1 turning st, purl until there are 6 sts left, turn.
Row 6: make 1 turning st, knit until there are 6 sts left, turn.
Continue in the same manner until you have 5 turning sts on either side, and turn.

Now, work in the opposite manner while working the turning sts as one st:
Row 1, WS: make 1 turning st, purl 8 (10) 12 sts, turn.
Row 2, RS: make 1 turning st, knit 9 (11) 13 sts, turn.
Row 3: make 1 turning st, purl 11 (13) 15 sts, turn.
Row 4: make 1 turning st, knit 13 (15) 17 sts, turn.
Row 5: make 1 turning st, purl 15 (17) 19 sts, turn.
Row 6: make 1 turning st, knit 17 (19) 21 sts, turn.
Row 7: make 1 turning st, purl 19 (21) 23 sts, turn.
Row 8: make 1 turning st, knit 21 (23) 25 sts, turn.
Row 9: make 1 turning st, purl 23 (25) 27 sts, turn.
Row 10: make 1 turning st, knit 25 (27) 29 sts, turn.

Row 11: make 1 turning st, purl 26 (28) 30 sts, turn.
Row 12: make 1 turning st, knit 28 (30) 32 sts,
Continue working in the round over all needles = 56 (60) 64 sts, while working 4 sts of rib on either side of the moss stitch pattern and stockinette on the underside of the foot.

Foot

Continue working as such until the work measures about 19 (20,5) 22 cm from the marker at the middle of the heel.
The toe decrease and bind off measures about 5 (5,5) 6 cm.

Toe

Work the toe in stockinette stitch.
Place 1 marker at either side so you have 28 (30) 32 sts for top and bottom side.
Work until a marker.

Decreases
Round 1:
***Needles 1 & 2*:** k1, ssk, knit until 3 sts before the marker, k2tog, k1.
***Needles 3 & 4*:** k1, ssk, knit until 3 sts before marker, k2tog, k1.
Round 2: knit.

Repeat these 2 rounds until you have 20 (20) 20 sts left in total.
Bind off all sts.

Sew up the hole with kitchener stitch.
Make another sock in the same manner.