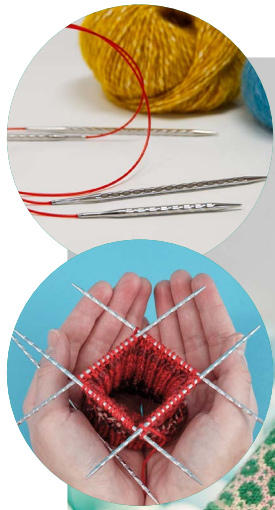




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MATERIALS

Green colourway

Scheepjes Metropolis (75% Extra Fine Merino Wool, 25% Nylon; 50g/200m)

Yarn A 021 Rangpur x 1 (1: 2: 2: 2: 2) ball(s)

Scheepjes Downtown (75% Extra Fine Merino Wool, 25% Nylon; 50g/200m)

Yarn B 413 Baker's Corner x 1 (1: 1: 2: 2: 2) ball(s)

Purple colourway

Scheepjes Metropolis (75% Extra Fine Merino Wool, 25% Nylon; 50g/200m)

Yarn A 053 Santiago x 1 (1: 2: 2: 2: 2) ball(s)

Scheepjes Downtown (75% Extra Fine Merino Wool, 25% Nylon; 50g/200m)

Yarn B 402 Morning Mist x 1 (1: 1: 2: 2: 2) ball(s)

2.25mm addiNovel Lace circular knitting needles, 80cm long (or 2.25mm addiNovel Quintett dpns)

2.5mm addiNovel Lace circular knitting needles, 80cm long (or 2.5mm addiNovel Quintett dpns)

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GAUGE/TENSION

34 sts and 36 rows to measure 10 x 10cm over colourwork patt using 2.5mm needles

ABBREVIATIONS

[] number of sts on a given round/row

dec(s) decrease(s)/decreased/decreasing

dpn(s) double pointed needle(s)

inc(s) increase(s)/increased/increasing

k knit

kfb knit front and back to inc by 1 st: insert needle kwise into next st; knit as normal but don't slip st from needle, instead bring needle around to back and knit through back loop of same st

M1 make 1 st: inc by 1 st by picking up horizontal bar between 2 sts with left needle bringing needle from front to back, then knit into back of this st

p purl

patt(s) pattern(s)

rep(s) repeat(s)

RS right side

slip slip 1 stitch purlwise

ssk slip slip knit to dec by 1 st: slip 1 st kwise, slip next st kwise, insert left needle into front of 2 slipped sts and knit them tog (left leaning dec)

st(s) stitch(es)

WS wrong side

yf yarn forward: take yarn to front of work

***.....; rep from * x more times/to end work** instructions after * and then repeat that section as stated.

PATTERN NOTES

Socks are worked toe-up and in the round using circular needles and magic loop method. Cast on using Judy's Magic Cast On. For instructions, visit bit.ly/43RogZs. Alternatively, use dpns and divide sts accordingly.

Needle 1 and Needle 2 refer to the two needle tips, not to two separate circular needles. As it looks different on dpns, it is explained as Needle 1 referring to first half of sts and Needle 2 to second half of sts.

Colourwork features 2 colours. Refer to *Knitting Chart: Colourwork Pattern* for Foot and Leg sections, reading from right to left.

Due to colourwork, Socks will have limited stretch so carefully assess gauge/sizing before commencing.

Gusset section ensures extra room at the instep/heel. Heel section is worked flat in short rows.

For instructions to work Lori's Twisty Bind-Off method, follow instructions below or visit: bit.ly/3PfMp8d.

MEASUREMENTS

Shoe size (EU)		35-37	37-38	39-41	42-43	44-45	46-47
Number of sts circumference		64	64	64	72	72	72
Length Toe & Foot	(cm)	18 cm	19 cm	20 cm	21 cm	22 cm	23 cm
	(in)	7	7½	7¾	8¼	8½	9
Length Leg before Gusset	(cm)	11 cm	12 cm	13 cm	14 cm	15 cm	16 cm
	(in)	4¼	4¾	5¼	5½	6	6¼

LORI'S TWISTY BIND-OFF METHOD

Knit your first st as usual; for second st (p st), do this before going into st: rotate your needle anti-clockwise (towards you) once, then purl your next st as usual. Lift k st over p st just made. You now have 1 p st on RH needle. Next st is a k st. Before going into the st: rotate needle clockwise (away from you) once, then knit next st through back loop. Lift previous p st over current k st. Cont in this way, rotating needle anti-clockwise for a p st and clockwise for a k st, until 1 st left on needle. Break yarn, pull last st until tail comes through.

INSTRUCTIONS

SOCK

Toe

Using 2.25mm circular needles, Yarn A and Judy's Magic Cast On method, cast on 10 (10: 10: 12: 12: 12) sts on each needle tip.

Round 1 (RS) Knit. [20 (20: 20: 24: 24: 24) sts]

Round 2 (RS) (inc) *Kfb, k until 2 sts rem on Needle 1, kfb, k1; rep from * once more for Needle 2.

Rep Round 1-2 until there are 64 (64: 64: 72: 72: 72) sts.

Rep Round 1 once more.

Do not break Yarn A.

Using Yarn B, k 2 rounds.

Change to 2.5mm circular needles and use throughout rest of patt.

Foot

Using Yarns A and B and referring to Knitting Chart, beg working in patt.

Round 1 (RS) Work Row 1 of chart, rep 8-st patt 8 (8: 8: 9: 9: 9) times around.

Cont working through Rows 1-10 of Chart until Foot and Toe meas 11 (12: 13: 14: 15: 16)cm in total length. Cont to Gusset.

Gusset

Gusset sts will be inc on Needle 2 using M1.

These sts are not worked in patt: use Yarn A in Yarn A sts and Yarn B in Yarn B sts (creating stripes).

Round 1 (RS) (inc) K across Needle 1 as normal,

turn to Needle 2; M1 in Yarn B, k across rem sts of Needle 2 as normal, M1 in Yarn B.

[2 sts inc on Needle 2]

Round 2 and all alt rounds K across Needle 1 as normal, turn to Needle 2; k Gusset sts in colours as they appear, cont to k across rem sts on Needle 2 as normal.

Round 3 (inc) K across Needle 1 as normal, turn to Needle 2; M1 in Yarn B, k Gusset st(s) as they appear, k across rem sts on Needle 2 as normal, k next gusset st(s) as they appear, M1 in Yarn B. [after Round 3: 2 Gusset sts on each side in Yarn B]

Note: in first set of Gusset sts you will knit first st, M1, then knit across other Gusset sts. In second set of gusset sts you will knit across Gusset sts until 1 st left, M1, then knit last st.

Rep Rounds 2-3, alternating Yarns A and B, until 11 (11: 11: 13: 13: 13) Gusset sts on each side.

Cont knitting Sock in patt until it reaches desired length (see Measurements Table).

Next round Work next 32 (32: 32: 36: 36: 36) sts from next row of chart, working across sts of first Gusset, then work rem 32 (32: 32: 36: 36: 36) sts to second Gusset in Yarn A only. Break Yarn B, turn work to knit in rows.

Heel

This section is worked over sts between Gussets only, using Yarn A only.

Row 1 (WS) Wyif, sl1p and lift yarn from front upwards over RH needle to back of work, tugging firmly (forms double st), wyif, p all sts to Gusset (does not include Gusset sts), turn.

Row 2 (RS) Wyif, sl1p and lift yarn to back as before, k all sts to next double st, turn.

Row 3 Wyif, sl1p and lift yarn to back as before, wyif, p all sts to next double st.

Rep Rows 2-3 until 14 (14: 14: 12: 12: 12) sts left between double sts, ending with a RS row.

Do not turn, cont as follows:

Row 1 (RS) K first double st as if 1 st, turn.

Row 2 (WS) Sl1p (tugging firmly), p to next double st, p as if 1 st, turn.

Row 3 Sl1p (tugging firmly), k to next double st, k as if 1 st.

Rep Rows 2-3 until all double sts worked (last double st should be on a WS row).

Note: if you end on a RS row, beg with Row 2 in following instructions.

Heel Flap

Gusset sts are dec in this section and form Heel Flap (panel on back of Heel).

Row 1 (RS) Sl1p, k to 1 st before gap (gap will be visible), ssk, turn.

Row 2 (WS) Sl1p, *p1, sl1p; rep from * to 1 st before gap, p2tog, turn.

Row 3 Sl1p, *k1, sl1p; rep from * to 1 st before gap, ssk, turn.

Rep Rows 2-3 until all Gusset sts have been dec and you have 32 (32: 32: 36: 36: 36) sts on this side of Sock again.

Note: in Rows 2-3, each st will be worked at least once; a st that was slipped in Row 2 will be knitted in Row 3, a st that was slipped in Row 3 will be purled in Row 2.

Last Gusset st dec occurs on a WS row. After turning back to RS:

Next row (RS) Using Yarn A, K across 32 (32: 32: 36: 36: 36) sts.

Join Yarn B, beg working from chart as set.

Note: to avoid gaps on either side of Heel, pick up 1 st between instep and sole and knit this st together with next st.

Leg

Cont as set until leg meas approx. 10cm in length (or adjust length as desired).

Using Yarn B, k 2 rounds.

Break Yarn B.

Cuff

Use Yarn A throughout.

Round 1 (RS) Knit.

Round 2 (RS) Purl.

Round 3 Knit.

Rounds 4-10 *K1tbl, p1; rep from * around.

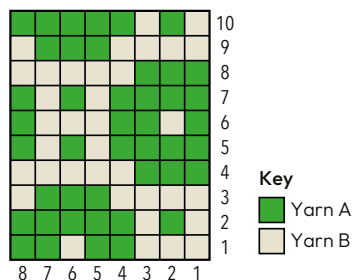
Cast off using Lori's Twisty Bind-Off or your preferred cast-off method.

Note: for this cast-off method, twist RH needle (if you are knitting right-handed); it may be easier to use a separate needle for this.

TO FINISH

Block to measurements then weave in all ends.

Knitting Chart: Colourwork Pattern



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