



Knit Cabled Slipper Socks

Skill Level



Finished Measurements: 4" long cuff, 9" long foot (fits ladies' shoe size 8; stretches to fit most widths)

Yarn: Deborah Norville Collection Everyday Soft Worsted (100% no-pill acrylic; 230 yards/210 meters; 1.76 ounces/50 grams)

ED100-09 Royal Blue – 1 ball

Knitting needles: US 5 (3.75 mm) double-point needles, set of 4

Extras: Cable needle, stitch marker, yarn needle

Gauge: 4½ sts = 1"; 6½ rows = 1" in St st (knit every rnd).
Use any size needles necessary to obtain gauge.

Special abbreviations

C4b (cable 4 back): Sl next 2 sts to cable needle and hold at back of work, knit 2 sts, knit 2 sts from cable needle.

Abbreviations

beg – beginning; **k** – knit; **k2tog** – knit 2 together; **mm** – millimeters; **patt** – pattern; **p** – purl; **p2tog** – purl 2 together; **rem** – remaining; **rep** – repeat; **sl** – slip; **ssk** – slip, slip, knit (slip two stitches individually knitwise, place twisted stitches back on left needle, insert tip of right needle back into these 2 stitches and knit together); **St st** – Stockinette stitch (knit every rnd); **st(s)** – stitch(es); * repeat instructions after asterisk the number of times specified.



Cuff: Beg at top of sock, loosely cast on 40 sts onto one needle. Divide sts on three needles: 10 sts on needle 1, 20 sts on needle 2 (instep), 10 sts on needle 3. Join, being careful not to twist; place marker for end of rnd and move marker with each rnd. Work k2/p2 ribbing for 1" as follows: K1, * p2, k2; rep from * to last 3 sts, end p2, k1.

Leg—Rnd 1: Set patt on each needle as follows:: k1, p2, c4b, p2, k1 (needle 1); needle 2 (instep sts): [k1, p2, c4b, p2, k1] twice; needle 3: k1, p2, c4b, p2, k1.

Rnds 2-4: * K1, p2, k4, p2, k1; rep from * on each needle around. Rep Rnds 1-4 until piece measures approximately 4" from beg, ending with Rnd 2 and working through needle 2.

Heel flap: Redistribute sts by moving sts from needle 1 to needle 3 (20 sts for heel flap); divide sts on needle 2 onto 2 needles for ease of handling (these instep sts rem unworked for now). Yarn is now in position to begin working back and forth on combined needle 3/1.

Row 1 (RS): * Sl 1, k 1; rep from * across 20 sts, turn.

Row 2: Sl 1, p19. Rep Rows 1 and 2 7 more times, rep Row 1 once more, ending ready for a purl row.

Turn Heel—Row 1: Sl 1, p11, p2tog, p1; turn, leaving rem 5 sts unworked.

Row 2: Sl 1, k5, k2 tog, k1; turn, leaving rem 5 sts unworked.

Row 3: Sl 1, p6, p2tog, p1; turn, leaving rem 3 sts unworked.

Row 4: Sl 1, k7, k2tog, k1; turn, leaving rem 3 sts unworked.

Row 5: Sl 1, p8, p2tog, p1; turn, leaving rem 1 st unworked.

Row 6: Sl 1, k9, k2tog, k1; turn, leaving rem 1 st unworked.

Row 7: Sl 1, p 10, p2tog; turn.

Row 9: Sl 1, k11, k2tog; turn. All sts should be used and on one needle at this point – 12 sts.

Gussets—Rnd 1: Using the needle holding heel stitches just worked, pick up a st in each of 8 sl sts along edge of Heel Flap (needle 1); with new needle continuing in patt, beg with row 3 across 10 sts instep sts held on next needle and with same needle work in patt across rem 10 sts instep held on next needle; with new needle pick up and knit a st in each of 8 sl sts along other edge of Heel Flap and with same needle knit across 6 sts of needle 1 – 48 sts (14 sts on needles 1 and 3, 20 sts on instep needle 2).

Rnd 2: Work in patt as set, continuing with row 4 of cable patt across needle 2.

Rnd 3: Knit to last 3 sts on needle 1, k2tog, k1; work next row of cable patt across needle 2; k1, ssk, knit rem sts on needle 3 – 46 sts (13 sts on needles 1 and 3, 20 sts on needle 2). Rep Rnds 2 and 3 until 10 sts remain on needles 1 and 3 – 40 sts total.

Foot: Work even in in patt on instep and in St st on side and bottom of foot, until foot measures 7", or 2" less than desired length to end of foot. *If your foot measures longer than 9", add length here.*

Toe—Rnd 1: Knit to last 3 sts on needle 1, k2tog, k1; on needle 2, k1, ssk, knit across to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1; k1, ssk, knit across remaining sts on needle 3 – 36 sts (9 sts on needles 1 and 3, 18 sts on needle 2).

Rnd 2: Knit. Rep Rnds 1 and 2 until 4 sts rem on needles 1 and 3 and 8 sts rem on needle 2; work even across needle 1. Cut yarn, leaving a 24" length. Thread yarn end onto yarn needle and weave through live sts on all three needles. Slide sts from needles; pull yarn end and close opening. Weave end through gathered sts and knot securely. Pull yarn to inside sock and weave in end. **OR** graft toe opening using Kitchner St.

Rep for second sock.



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