

FAMILY SOCKS IN 3 LENGTHS

■■■ Intermediate

Style A striped; Style B single colour
Illustrated on page 4 (only Calf Length shown)

MEASUREMENTS		2-5 years	6-10 years	Woman	Man
To Fit Foot Length	cm	14	18	24	27
Sock Length – Knee	cm	19	25	30	37
– Calf	cm	12	16	23	30
– Ankle	cm	5	6	7	9

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STYLE A - striped

Colourway 1 – **M** = colour 1005 Dark Grey; **C** = colour 1007 Cream

Colourway 2 – **M** = colour 1002 Navy; **C** = colour 1009 Burgundy

Knee Length

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
Contrast Colour (C)	1	1	1	1

Calf Length

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
Contrast Colour (C)	1	1	1	1

Ankle Length

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
Contrast Colour (C)	1	1	1	1

STYLE B – single colour

Colourway 1 – colour 1001 Black

Colourway 2 – colour 1009 Burgundy

Knee Length	1	1	2	2
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Calf Length	1	1	1	2
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Ankle Length	1	1	1	1
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Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results. Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 set of 2.25mm (UK 13) **double-pointed** knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- wool needle for grafting toes and sewing in ends.

TENSION

35 sts and 46 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 2.25mm needles. To work a tension square, using 2.25mm needles, cast on 52 sts. Work 68 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely. Check your tension carefully.

If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

NOTE – These Socks have been worked on smaller needles and at a firmer tension than usually recommended.

With correct yarn and tension, your Socks will look like our photograph.



For abbreviations and more on knitting techniques, please see our website.

STYLE A – striped KNEE LENGTH SOCKS

Using **set** of 2.25mm **double-pointed** needles and **M**, cast on **60** (66-76-82) sts, dividing sts as evenly as possible between 3 needles. Join to work in rounds, taking care not to twist cast on edge.

1st round – * K1, P1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st round until Sock measures **5** (6-6-7) cm from beg.

Working in stripes of 2 rounds **C**, 2 rounds **M**, work **30** (40-40-50) rounds stocking st (every round knit).

Shape Leg –

Keeping stripes correct, proceed as follows –

Next round – K1, K2tog, knit to last 3 sts, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1.

Knit **4** (5-5-5) rounds.

Rep last **5** (6-6-6) rounds until **50** (54-60-66) sts rem.

Cont without further shaping until Sock measures **14** (20-24-30) cm from end of rib, ending with 1 round **M**.

NOTE – Length of leg may be varied at this point to suit individual requirements.

Divide for Heel –

**** Next round** – Using **M**, knit first **13** (14-15-17) sts of round onto one needle, slip last **13** (14-15-17) sts of round onto other end of same needle. These **26** (28-30-34) sts are for heel. Divide rem sts onto 2 needles and leave for instep.

Using **M** and working on heel sts only, work **21** (25-29-31) rows stocking st (beg with a purl row and always slipping first st purlways on purl rows and knitways on knit rows).

Turn Heel –

Next row – K15 (16-17-19), sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, **turn**.

Next row – P6, P2tog, P1, **turn**.

Next row – K7, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, **turn**.

Next row – P8, P2tog, P1, **turn**.

Cont in this manner until the row “**P14** (16-16-18), P2tog, P1, **turn**” has been worked.

Size 6–10 years only –

Next row – Knit to last 2 sts, sl 1, K1, pssso.

Next row – Purl to last 2 sts, P2tog ... 16 sts.

All sizes ... **16** (16-18-20) sts.

Next row – Knit first **8** (8-9-10) sts – this completes heel.

Slip all instep sts onto one needle again.

Using another needle and **M**, knit rem **8** (8-9-10) sts of heel, then knit up **12** (14-16-17) sts evenly along side of heel, using 2nd needle knit across all instep sts, using 3rd needle knit up **12** (14-16-17) sts evenly along other side of heel, then knit rem **8** (8-9-10) heel sts ... **64** (70-80-86) sts.

Shape Instep –

Working in stripes of 2 rounds **C**, 2 rounds **M**, proceed as follows –

1st round – Knit.

2nd round – *1st needle*: knit to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2; *2nd needle*: knit; *3rd needle*: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end.

Rep last 2 rounds until **12** (13-15-16) sts rem on each of 1st and 3rd needles.

Cont without further shaping until work measures **8** (10-15-18) cm from side of heel where sts were knitted up, ending with 2 rounds **C**.

NOTE – Length of foot may be varied at this point to suit individual requirements, but remember **3** (4-4-4) cm extra is worked when shaping toe.

Shape Toe –

Using **M** for rem, proceed as follows –

1st round – *1st needle*: knit to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1; *2nd needle*: K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1; *3rd needle*: K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end.

2nd round – Knit.

Rep last 2 rounds until **20** (20-24-24) sts rem.

Knit sts from 1st needle.

Slip sts from 3rd needle onto end of 1st needle ... **10** (10-12-12) sts on each of 2 needles.

Graft sts tog.

TO MAKE UP

With a slightly damp cloth and warm iron, press lightly on wrong side.

CALF LENGTH SOCKS

Using **set** of 2.25mm **double-pointed** needles and **M**, cast on **60** (66-76-82) sts, dividing sts as evenly as possible between 3 needles. Join to work in rounds, taking care not to twist cast on edge.

1st round – * K1, P1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st round until Sock measures **3** (4-4-5) cm from beg.

Working in stripes of 2 rounds **C**, 2 rounds **M**, work **4** (4-20-40) rounds stocking st (every round knit).

Shape Leg –

Keeping stripes correct, proceed as follows –

Next round – K1, K2tog, knit to last 3 sts, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1.

Knit **4** (5-5-5) rounds.

Rep last **5** (6-6-6) rounds until **50** (54-60-66) sts rem.

Cont without further shaping until Sock measures **8** (12-17-23) cm from end of rib, ending with 1 round **M**.

Divide for Heel –

Work as given for Knee Length Socks from ****** to end.

TO MAKE UP

With a slightly damp cloth and warm iron, press lightly on wrong side.

ANKLE LENGTH SOCKS (with turn down cuffs)

Using **set** of 2.25mm **double-pointed** needles and **M**, cast on **50** (54-60-66) sts, dividing sts as evenly as possible between 3 needles. Join to work in rounds, taking care not to twist cast on edge.

1st round – * K1, P1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st round until Sock measures **9** (11-12-14) cm from beg.

Working in stripes of 2 rounds **C**, 2 rounds **M**, work **7** (7-7-11) rounds stocking st (every round knit).

Divide for Heel –

Work as given for Knee Length Socks from ****** to end.

TO MAKE UP

With a slightly damp cloth and warm iron, press lightly on wrong side.

STYLE B – single colour

KNEE LENGTH SOCKS

Work as given for Style A Knee Length Socks, using single colour throughout.

CALF LENGTH SOCKS

Work as given for Style A Calf Length Socks, using single colour throughout.

ANKLE LENGTH SOCKS (with turn down cuffs)

Work as given for Style A Ankle Length Socks, using single colour throughout.

GRAFTING



For use in stocking stitch only –

This is the method used to join two pieces of knitting together without a seam. Divide the stitches equally between two needles, with the yarn at one end and with the right side of the work facing outwards. Leaving an end of approximately 15-20 centimetres, break off the yarn. Thread this end through a wool needle.

1. Bring the yarn forward under the front needle and insert the wool needle as if to purl into the first stitch on the front needle, draw it through the stitch; leave the stitch on the needle.
 2. Take the yarn back under the front needle and insert the wool needle as if to knit into the first stitch on the back needle, draw it through the stitch; leave the stitch on the needle.
 3. Take the yarn back to the front, insert the wool needle as if to knit into the first stitch on the front needle, slip stitch off the needle.
 4. Insert the needle as if to purl into the second stitch on the front needle, draw yarn through, leaving this stitch on the needle.
 5. Take the yarn under the front needle and insert the wool needle as if to purl into the first stitch on the back needle, draw yarn through and slip the stitch off the needle.
 6. Insert the wool needle as if to knit into the second stitch on the back needle, draw the yarn through, leaving this stitch on the needle.
- Repeat steps 3 to 6 until one stitch remains on each needle.

Work step 3, then step 5.

Thread end through to wrong side and darn in securely.

NOTE – If grafting 2 flat pieces of knitting together, the pieces will need to be held with the wrong sides together.

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