

PUNOS SOCKS

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Size: EUR 28/29(34/35)40/41(46/47).

Total foot length: 17(19.5)22.5(25.5) cm / 6.75(8)9(10)"

Yarn: Lankava Lysti sock yarn (75 % Superwash wool, 25 % polyamide, 100 g = approx. 200 m / 219 yds) 100 g black (Salty liquorice 855), pink (Cotton candy 871), green (Pistachio 862) and yellow (Dandelion 864) or light grey (Fog 852), grey (Smoke 853), petrol (Sea 859) and black (Salty liquorice 855).

Needles: Double-pointed needles 3.5 mm / US 4, or size to obtain gauge.

Twisted 1x1 Rib Stitch: Working in the round, *k1 tbl, p1*, repeat *-* to end of rnd.

Stockinette Stitch: Knit all rnds.

Slip Stitch Textured Pattern: Use black (light grey) as main color and alternate pink, green, yellow (grey, petrol, black) for contrast color. **Rnds 1-2 (MC):** K to end.

Rnd 3 (CC): *Sl1 pw (with yarn in back), k4, sl1 pw*, repeat *-*. **Rnds 4-5 (CC):** *Sl1 pw, p4, sl1 pw*, repeat *-*.

Rnds 6-7 (MC): K to end. **Rnd 8 (CC):** *K2, sl2 pw, K2*, repeat *-*. **Rnds 9-10 (CC):** *P2, sl2 pw, p2*, repeat *-*.

The stitch count is divisible by 6.

Reinforced pattern: Work flat in rows. **Row 1 (WS):** Sl1, p to end of row. **Row 2 (RS):** *Sl1, k1*, repeat *-* and end with k1. Repeat Rows 1-2.

Gauge: 22 sts and 32 rnds = 10 cm / 4"

Abbreviations: CC = contrast color, CO = cast on, k = knit, k2tog = knit 2 sts together, MC = main color, p = purl, p2tog = purl 2 sts together, pw = purlwise, rnd = round, RS = right side, skpo = slip 1, knit 1, pass the slipped stitch over the knit stitch, sl = slip, st(s) = stitch(es), St St = Stockinette Stitch, tbl = through the back loop, WS = wrong side.

Instructions: Using black (light grey) yarn, CO 40(46)52(58) sts and distribute sts onto four needles. Work 10 rnds in Twisted 1x1 Rib St. Begin working in the Slip St Textured Pattern and at the same time, increase 2 sts evenly on the first rnd = 42(48)54(60) sts. Continue in pattern until the leg is 13(15)17(19) cm / 5(6)6.75(7.5)" and you have last worked Rnd 5 or Rnd 10. Cut all CC yarns.

Work 1 rnd in St St with black (light grey) and at the same time, decrease j5(3)5(3) sts = 37(45)49(57) sts. K all sts on needle 1 and turn the work. Then, start working the heel flap. Leave 18(22)24(28) sts on needles 2 and 3 on hold, and work 19(23)25(29) rows in the reinforced pattern with 19(23)25(29) sts on needles 1 and 4.

Next, start working the heel turn decreases. Begin by redistributing sts onto three needles as follows: 6+7+6(8+7+8)8+9+8(10+9+10) sts.



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		U	U			8.	
						7.	
						6.	
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6 st repeat							

Row 1 (RS): *Work in the reinforced pattern until you have 1 st left at the end of the middle needle, work skpo and turn work.

Row 2 (WS): Sl1, p until you have 1 st left at the end of the middle needle, work p2tog and turn work.

Repeat Rows 1-2 until you have decreased all side sts and you have last worked Row 2. Next, using black (light grey) yarn, work k2(2)3(3), k2tog.

Next, begin working the foot starting from the mid-point of the heel flap (= new beginning of the round), as follows: K3(3)4(4), pick up and k tbl 10(11)12(14) sts from the first side edge of the heel flap + 1 st between needles 1 and 2, k all held sts, pick up and k tbl 1 st between needles 3 and 4 + 10(11)12(14) sts from the other side edge of the heel flap, and finally, k3(3)4(4) from the heel flap = 46(52)58(66) sts.

Change to the first CC and begin working the gusset decreases as follows: Work 1 rnd in St St with CC and work k2tog at the end of needle 1 and skpo at the beginning of needle 4. Work alternating 3 rnds with CC and 2 rnds with MC, and at the same time, repeat the decreases on every other rnd 3(3)3(4) times more = 38(44)50(56) sts. Then, continue in St St and striping until the foot is approx. 14(17)20(23) cm / 5.5(6.75)7.75(9)" measured from the back of the heel and you have last worked a CC stripe. Then, cut all CC yarns, work 2 rnds in St St with black (light grey) yarn and at the same time, decrease 2(0)2(0) sts evenly = 36(44)48(56) sts.

Redistribute sts onto four needles, 9(11)12(14) sts/needle, and start working the barn toe decreases as follows: K to last 3 sts on needle 1, *work k2tog, k1, then k1 from next needle and work skpo*, k to last 3 sts on needle 3, repeat *-* once more and k to end. Repeat these decreases on every other rnd 3(3)4(5) times more. Then, make decreases on every rnd and draw yarn through the remaining 8 sts. Weave in ends. Make another sock to match.

Finishing: Weave in ends and gently steam block the finished socks from the WS holding the iron above the socks, or wet block the socks. Squeeze out the excess water but do not wring. Shape the socks on a flat surface on top of towels and let dry.

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