



# COLOR EDITION No. 1 - Design 19

## SOCKS



### Size 36/37 (38/39 - 40/41)

The information for size 36/37 is in front, for all other sizes separated by dashes within the brackets. If only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

### MATERIALS

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75 % Virgin wool Merino, 25 % Polyamide

Meterage: approx. 420 m / 100 g

- **100 g** dark fuchsia (col 2437)
- double pointed needles no. 2,5

### STITCH PATTERNS

**Stockinette st:** RS-row: k, WS-row: p

**Stockinette st in rnds:** k all sts

**Reverse stockinette st:** RS-row: p, WS-row: k

**2x2 rib st in rnds:** \*k2, p2\* rep cont

**Basic pattern:** see chart. Rep the 16 patt sts once and rows 1-36 cont.

Only odd rnds are pictured. On even rnds work all sts as they appear and ktbl all yo.

### GAUGE

28 sts and 40 rows in stockinette st with needles no. 2,5 = 10 x 10 cm

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**Cuff:** Cast on 60 (60 - 64) sts, evenly distribute them onto 4 needles and join to work in the rnd = 15 (15 - 16) sts per needle. Pm for Bor and work 18 rnds in 2x2 rib st.

**Leg:** Work 71 rnds (= 2 patt reps) in basic pattern. For sizes 36/37 and 38/39: on the 1st rnd increase 1 st at the BOR (= pick up the strand between the needles with left needle tip from the front and k into the back loop) = 16 (16 - 16) sts per needle.

**Heel:** Flap: Put needle 2 + 3 on hold and cont in stockinette st with needle 1 + 4 (optionally work first and last 3 sts of the heel flap in reverse stockinette st). For sizes 36/37 and 38/39: (k2tog) the first 2 sts of both needles = 30 (30 - 32) heel sts.

Work 28 rnds in stockinette st and then evenly distribute all sts onto 3 needles. On the 1st RS-row k all st of the needle 1 + 2, \*sl last st of needle 2 k-wise, k 1st st of needle 3 and pass sl st over. Turn work. Sl 1st st p-wise, p sts of needle 2 and ptog last st and 1st st of needle 1. Turn work. Sl 1 p-wise, k sts of needle 2\*. Rep from \* cont until all sts of needle 1 + 3 are worked.

**Gusset:** Distribute sts of needle 2 onto two separate needles (originally needle 4 + 1) and cont working in rnds. K needle 4 + 1 and then pick up 1st from every other row of flap and additionally increase 1 st (= pick up the strand between the needles with left needle tip from the front and k into the back loop) between flap and leg. Work needle 2 + 3 in basic pattern. Needle 4: pick up same amount of sts as on/with needle 1, k remaining sts. There are now more sts on needle 1 and 4.

**Heel turn:** on every 3rd row decrease on needle 1 and 4 as follows.

Needle 1: k until the last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Needle 4: k1, skpo (sl 1 st k-wise, k1, pass sl st over).

Repeat decreases until there are again 15 (15 - 16) sts per needle.

**Foot:** Work needle 2 and 3 in basic pattern. For sizes 36/37 and 38/39: decrease 1 st at the beginning of needle 2 + end of needle 3 = 15 (15 - 16) sts. Work needle 1 + 4 in stockinette st. Cont until leg measures 18,5 (20 - 21) cm

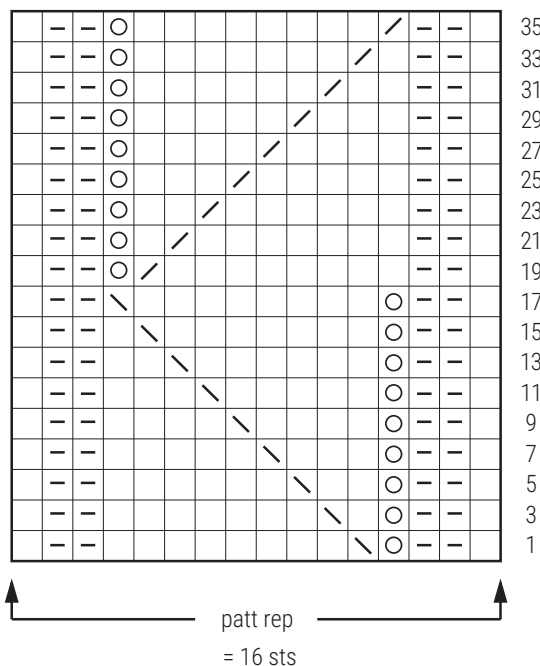
**Toe:** Work all sts in stockinette st. Work decreases as follows:

Needle 1 + 3: work until the last 3 sts of needle, k2tog, k1

Needle 2 + 4: k1, skpo (sl 1 st k-wise, k1, pass sl st over).

Work decreases one more time on the 4th rnd, then 2x on every 3rd rnd and 3x on every other rnd. Now decrease on every rnd until there are 8 sts total left. Cut yarn, weave twice through all sts, pull tight and tie a knot. Weave in ends.

chart



### key:

□ = k1

□ = p1

○ = yo

☐ = k2tog

☐ = skpo (sl 1 st k-wise, k1, pass sl st over)

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### ABBREVIATIONS

**st(s)** = stitch(es)

**sl** = slip

**rnd(s)** = round(s)

**pm** = place marker

**BOR** = beginning of round

**rep cont** = repeat continuously

**RS** = right side

**WS** = wrong side

**k** = knit

**k2tog** = knit 2 together

**p** = purl

**p2tog** = purl 2 together

**tbl** = through the back loop

**wyif** = with yarn in front

**wyib** = with yarn in back

**col** = color

**MC** = main color

**CC** = contrast color

**yo** = yarn over

**ch** = chain

**sl st** = slip stitch

**sc** = single crochet

**dc** = double crochet

**hdc** = half double crochet

### GAUGE SWATCH

Create a gauge swatch! To do so knit a 12 x 12 cm piece in the given stitch pattern of your chosen design. Then count stitches and rows within a 10 x 10 cm area. In case there are fewer stitches or rows than stated in the instructions: Knit more tightly or use smaller needles (half to a whole needle size smaller). If you count more stitches or rows: Try knitting more loosely or use larger needles.

Note: Knitting results will vary. The gauge information on the yarn's band is based on plain stockinette stitch and should not be considered definitive.

For a perfect piece making a gauge swatch in the given stitch pattern is essential so your desired design will not only look beautiful but also fit well!