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Thorsminde

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Thorsminde is a pair of fine socks, which you can easily show off under a pair of slightly blunt trousers or a midi-length dress. The socks are decorated with a small mock cable, a simple slipped stitch, and a neat, easy knit and purl pattern. The socks are knit with wedge heels, which is the designer's favourite.

SIZES

35/36 (37/38) 39/40 (41/42)

MEASUREMENTS

Shaft: 18 cm (all sizes)

Circumference: 17 (17) 18 (18) cm

GAUGE

32 sts and 44 rows in stockinette with 2.5 mm needles
= 10 x 10 cm

Needle sizes are for guidance only.

If you have more sts per 10 cm, change to a larger needle. If you have fewer sts per 10 cm, change to smaller needles.

MATERIALS

Yarn from Filcolana

100 g Arwetta colour 977 (Marzipan)

Double pointed needles 2.5 mm

Stitch markers



Technical

Workflow

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Sl1 k1 pss0

Slip 1 st purlwise, knit 1 stitch, and pass the slipped stitch over the knitted stitch.

Wyif

With yarn in front (of work).

Wyib

With yarn in back (of work).

CHART

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Knit on RS, purl on WS

Purl on RS, knit on WS

∞ Insert right needle in st as to knit, yarn over twice, finish st as a knit st and slip from needle. Now you have 2 yarnovers in first st on right needle.

∇ Slip st with yarn in back

⌈ Place 1 st on cable needle and slip one of the yarn overs off the needle, knit 3 sts, knit the st off cable needle.

⌈ Place 3 sts on cable needle behind work, knit 1 st and slip one of the yarn overs off the needle, knit 3 sts off cable needle.

The socks are knit top down.

First you knit a ribbing edge, then the shaft with pattern on the front and stockinette on the back.

The heel is knitted as a gusset heel with a 'heel flap' and thereafter decreases on each side of the wrist.

The foot is knitted as the shaft with pattern on the top half and stockinette on the lower part.

The toe has decreases on each side and is knitted in stockinette



Pattern

With 2.5 mm dpns cast on 60 (60) 64 (68) sts with ordinary long-tail cast-on.

Mark the first st and continue in the round.

Knit rib (k1, p1) in the round till work measures 4 cm.

Continue in the round as follows: knit 15 (15) 17 (19) sts, knit 31 sts according to diagram, knit 14 (14) 16 (18) sts.

Continue with this distribution of sts until the shaft measures 18 cm or has the desired length. Mark which round is your last so that you can continue with the next, when having knitted the heel.



HEEL

Knit 15 (15) 16 (17) sts, turn work.

1st row (WS): sl1p wyif, purl 27 (27) 29 (31) sts, k1, turn work.

2nd row: sl1p wyif, knit 28 (28) 30 (32) sts, turn work.

Repeat rows 1 and 2 an additional 14 (14) 15 (16) times, then knit 1st row once more.

Next up are short rows. Knit as follows:

1st row (RS): sl1p wyif, knit 16 (16) 17 (18) sts, sl1 k1 pssso, k1, turn work.

2nd row: sl1p wyif, p6, p2tog, p1, turn work.

3rd row: sl1p wyib, k7, sl1 k1 pssso, k1, turn work.

4th row: sl1p wyif, p8, p2tog, p1, turn work.

5th row: sl1p wyib, k9, sl1 k1 pssso, k1, turn work.

6th row: sl1p wyif, p10, p2tog, p1, turn work.

7th row: sl1p wyib, k11, sl1 k1 pssso, k1, turn work.

8th row: sl1p wyif, p12, p2tog, p1, turn work.

9th row: sl1p wyib, k13, sl1 k1 pssso, k1, turn work.

10th row: sl1p wyif, p14, p2tog, p1, turn work.

Sizes 35/36 (37/38) only

11th row: sl1p wyib, k15, sl1 k1 pssso, turn work.

12th row: sl1p wyif, p15, p2tog, turn work.

Sizes 39/40 (41/42) only

11th row: sl1p wyib, k16, sl1 k1 pssso, k1, turn work.

12th row: sl1p wyif, p16, p2tog, p1, turn work.

Size (41/42) only

13th row: sl1p wyib, k17, sl1 k1 pssso, turn work.

14th row: sl1p wyif, p17, p2tog, turn work.

All sizes

Next row: sl1p wyib, knit 7 (7) 8 (8) sts, place a marker in next st. This is the beginning of the round.

Next step is picking up sts on each side, between the heel and wrist sts.



1st round: knit 9 (9) 10 (10), use an extra needle and pick up 1 st in the outermost loop in each st along the 'heel flap', knit those 14 (14) 15 (16) sts (or through the back loop if your sts are very loose), place a marker, knit 0 (0) 1 (2) sts, follow diagram over 31 sts, knit 0 (0) 1 (2) sts, place a marker, pick up 1 st in the outermost loop in each st along the 'heel flap', knit those 14 (14) 15 (16) sts (or knit tbl), knit the last 8 (8) 9 (9) sts = 76 (76) 82 (86) sts.

2nd round: Knit to 2 sts before marker, k2tog, knit 0 (0) 1 (2) sts, follow diagram over 31 sts, knit 0 (0) 1 (2) sts, sl1 k1 pssso, knit remaining sts.

3rd round: Knit to marker, knit 0 (0) 1 (2) sts, follow diagram over 31 sts, knit 0 (0) 1 (2) sts, knit remaining sts.

Continue with decreases on every 2nd round like above, until you again have 60 (60) 64 (68) sts left on the needles, distributed with 29 (29) 31 (33) sts of stockinette under the foot and 31 sts in pattern on the upper foot with 0 (0) 1 (2) knitted sts on each side.

Continue knitting stockinette on the lower part and following the pattern on the upper part, until the foot measures 19 (21) 22.5 (24) cm or has the desired length minus 3 cm.

Continue in stockinette over all sts and make decreases for the toe like this:

TOE

1st round: Knit all sts.

2nd round: Knit 15 (15) 16 (17) sts, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 27 (27) 29 (31) sts, k2tog, knit 14 (14) 15 (16) sts.

3rd round: Knit all sts.

4th round: Knit 13 (13) 14 (15) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 25 (25) 27 (29) sts. K2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 12 (12) 13 (14) sts.

5th round: Knit all sts.

6th round: Knit 12 (12) 13 (14) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 23 (23) 25 (27) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 11 (11) 12 (13) sts.

7th round: Knit 11 (11) 12 (13) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 21 (21) 23 (25) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 10 (10) 11 (12) sts.

8th round: Knit 10 (10) 11 (12) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 19 (19) 21 (23) sts, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, knit 9 (9) 10 (11) sts.

Continue with the above decrease on each round, until you have knit the following round: k5, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, k9, k2tog, sl1 k1 pssso, k4.

Knit the first 6 sts on next round.

Break yarn with a long-tail, place the wrist sts on one needle and the sole sts on another. Sew the toe together with Kitchener st, or turn work inside out and knit the sts together as k2tog (with one st from each needle), while still binding off.

Knit a matching sock.

FINISHING

Weave in all loose ends.

Wash sock according to washing instructions on the label and lay them flat to dry.

Alternatively let them dry on sock blockers.