

TOE

Change to stocking stitch and work as follows: k5 (6, 7), sl1, k1, pss0, k2, k2tog, k10 (12, 14), sl1, k1, pss0, k2, k2tog, k5 (6, 7).

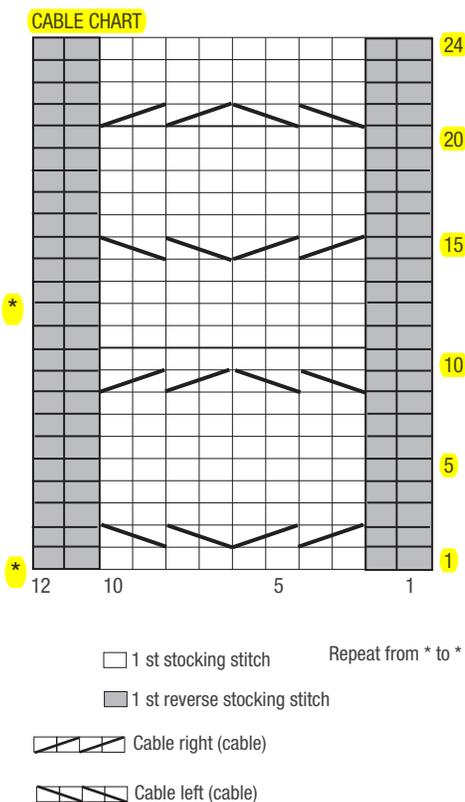
Repeat these decreases above one another every second row once and then every row until 12 (14, 16) sts remain.

Graft the remaining stitches together (see page 155).

FINISHING

Sew a narrow seam under the foot and up the back of the ankle.

Make a second sock to match.



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Cute Cable Socks

SIZES

3 months • 6 months • 1 year (instructions for the two larger sizes are given in brackets)

MATERIALS

1 ball of Bergère de France Idéal (or similar easy-care double knitting yarn) in Myosotis (sea blue) or Cendre (grey) • 3mm (UK 11; US 3) and 3.5mm (UK 9; US 4) knitting needles • 2 stitch holders • Cable needle

STITCHES

Cable left (see chart): Slip 2 sts on to the cable needle and leave at front of work. Knit the next 2 sts then knit the 2 sts from the cable needle.

Grafting: See page 155.

Reverse stocking stitch: Purl right-side rows, knit wrong-side rows.

Single decrease (sl1, k1, pss0): See page 154.

Single decrease, right slanted (k2tog): See page 154.

Stocking stitch: Knit right-side rows, purl wrong-side rows.

GAUGE

24 sts and 31 rows in stocking stitch on 3.5mm (UK 9; US 4) knitting needles = 10 × 10cm (4 × 4in).

Note: Use smaller needles if your sample works out bigger than this; use bigger needles if your sample works out smaller.

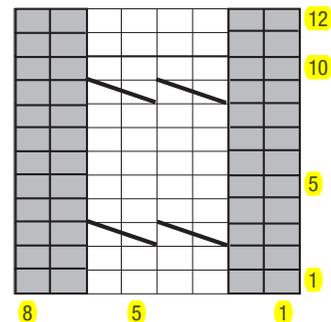
METHOD

Using 3mm (UK 11; US 3) needles, cast on 32 (34, 36) sts.

Establish the pattern as follows: k2 (3, 4), p2, k4, p2, k2, p2, k4, p2, k2, p2, k2, p2, k2 (3, 4).

Work 2 rows of cable pattern on 3mm (UK 11; US 3) needles following the chart. Change to 3.5mm (UK 9; US 4) needles and continue in cable pattern until work measures 7cm (8cm, 9cm)/2¾in (3½in, 3½in), i.e. 24 (28, 32) rows in all.

CABLE CHART



- 1 st stocking stitch
- 1 st reverse stocking stitch

 Cable left

