

VEE SOCKS FOR ME SOCKS

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A Toe Up V Stitch Sock using and Afterthought heel

Yarn: Used Magic Stripes by Lion Brand

Hook: used E

2 Stitch Markers

Stitches Used:

V stitch - hdc, ch1, hdc in stitch or space indicated

Shell stitch pattern - 5 dc in stitch or space indicated, sk next stitch, sc in next stitch, sk next stitch, 5 dc in next stitch, continue around

FPDC - front post double chain crochet

BPDC - back post double chain crochet

Ch 10. Work bottom bump (**back loop**) of chain with a slip stitch in 3rd ch from hook and in each chain across. (this will help reinforce the toe area)

Once to the end, sc down the other side of the beginning chain. 3 sc in the last stitch to make the corner (mark 2nd stitch in series with stitch marker), sc in each stitch around to last stitch, 3 sc in last stitch (mark 2nd stitch in series with stitch marker).

Continue this pattern increasing 3 stitches in each corner stitch.

Increase until you have:

25 stitches for a size 5 shoe

29 stitches for a size 6 shoe

35 stitches for a size 7 shoe

39 stitches for a size 8 shoe

45 stitches for a size 9 shoe

After this, you will no longer need the stitch markers.

Work V stitch in next sc, sk sc, work V stitch in next sc, around. (DO NOT JOIN)

Once you have a completed one round of V stitches, continue to work V stitch in the chain 1 space of the previous V stitches.

Work pattern until you are approx 2 inches less than the size of your foot (for a size 7 foot, 20 rows of V stitches worked well). Mark side of sock with stitch marker. Continue V stitch pattern to the other side of sock. You have now defined the front or top part of sock.

Ch 24 and join with V stitch where your marker is. Continue V stitch pattern across front of sock. When you reach the ch area *Sk 2 ch, V stitch in next ch, sk 2 ch, V stitch in next ch* Repeat from * to * until you reach the stitch marker. Resume V stitch pattern around for a total of 5 rounds.

DC in each hdc (do not DC in the ch 1 space).

Continue around. You should end with an even number of stitches.

* FPDC in next dc, BPDC in next dc *, continue pattern from * to * around.

In next round, FPDC in each FPDC and BPDC in each BPDC around. Continue for 5 rounds (or more if you want a longer sock). This creates a ribbing pattern.

End sock with a shell edging. 5 dc in next stitch, sk stitch, sc in next stitch, sk stitch and continue shell pattern around.

Finish off and weave in end.

For heel:

Sc in corner area of heel and in each hdc and ch around.

Beginning with second round, decrease in each corner stitch and continue with a sc in each sc around until heel fits foot. Turn sock inside out and slip stitch remaining stitches close. FO and weave in end.

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