## YARNSMITHS


Lottie Beret
Materials and
Measurements

| Size |  |
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| To fit average adult head |  |
| Yarnsmiths Merino Sock 4 Ply |  |
| Main Colour (M) - 2K205 Khaki |  |
| I |  |
| Colour A (A) - 2K I 22 Cinnamon |  |
| I |  |
| Colour B (B) - 2K355 Dark Grape |  |
| I |  |
| Circular 40cm 2.5mm Needles and <br> 2.75mm Needles. A set of 2.75mm <br> DPNs. |  |
| Photographed using shades: 2K 122 <br> Cinnamon, 2K205 Khaki and 2K355 <br> Dark Grape. |  |

Please note that the limitations of the printing process mean the actual colour will not always precisely match the colours in the photograph.

## IMPORTANT

Use only the Yarnsmiths yarn specified. We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect item if any other brand is used. It is essential to work to the tension stated. The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

## TENSION

It is important to check your tension before commencing the garment.
Due to the small needles the tension is as follows:
36 sts $\times 36$ rows to 10 cm (4ins)

## ABBREVIATIONS

Dec - Decrease; Inc - Increase;
K - Knit; K2tog - Knit 2 together;
P - Purl; Rept - Repeat;
RS - Right Side; St(s) - Stitch(es);
WS - Wrong Side.

## BERET

Using 2.5 mm needles and A , cast on 154 sts.
Next row - Using A, KI, PI.
Next row - KI, PI.
Join in M.
Next row - P2A, *K2M, P2A, rept from * to end.
Break off $A$, continue in $M$ only.

## Commence Rib

Work 3 cm , I.25ins in KI, PI rib patt finishing on a rs row.
Next row (inc row) - Rib 4, inc in next st, * rib I, inc in next st, rept from ${ }^{*}$ to last 5 sts, rib to end. 227 sts.
Change to 2.75 mm needles.

## Commence Chart A

Join in and break off Contrasts where necessary.
Work from Chart A until the I8th row has been worked.

## Commence Chart B

Work from Chart B until the 10th row has been worked, dec I st at end of last row. 226 sts.
Break off Contrasts and continue in M only.

## Shape Top

Note: If you start to struggle decreasing on the circulars when you get down to fewer stitches then switch to the DPNs
Ist row - $\mathrm{K} \mathrm{I},[\mathrm{K} 26, \mathrm{~K} 2$ tog $] 8$
times, KI. 218 sts.
2nd row - K.
3rd row - KI, [K25, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 210 sts.
4th row - K.
5th row - KI, [K24, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 202 sts.
6th row - K.
7th row - KI, [K23, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 194 sts.
8th row - K.
9th row $-\mathrm{KI},[\mathrm{K} 22, \mathrm{~K} 2$ tog] 8
times, KI. 186 sts.
IOth row - K.
IIth row - KI, [K2I, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 178 sts.
l2th row - K.
I3th row - KI, [K20, K2tog] 8 times, KI. I70 sts.

I4th row - K.
I 5th row - KI, [KI9, K2tog] 8 times, KI. I 62 sts.
l6th row - K.
I7th row - KI, [KI8, K2tog] 8 times, KI. 154 sts,
18th row - K.
19th row - KI, [KI7, K2tog] 8 times, KI. 146 sts.
20th row - K.
21 st row - KI, [KI6, K2tog] 8 times, KI. 138 sts.
22nd row - K.
23rd row - KI, [KI5, K2tog] 8 times, KI. I 30 sts.
24th row - K.
25th row - KI, [KI4, K2tog] 8 times, KI. I 22 sts.
26th row - K.
27th row - KI, [KI3, K2tog] 8 times, KI. II 4 sts.
28th row - K.
29th row - KI, [KI2, K2tog] 8 times, KI. I06 sts.
30th row - KI, [KII, K2tog] 8 times, KI. 98 sts.
3 Ist row - $\mathrm{KI},[\mathrm{KIO}, \mathrm{K} 2$ tog] 8 times, KI. 90 sts.
32nd row - KI, [K9, K2tog] 8 times, KI. 82 sts.
33 rd row - KI, [K8, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 74 sts.
34th row - KI, [K7, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 66 sts.
35th row - KI, [K6, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 58 sts.
36th row - KI, [K5, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 50 sts.
37th row - KI, [K4, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 42 sts.
38th row - KI, [K3, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 34 sts.
39th row - KI, [K2, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 26 sts.
40th row - KI, [KI, K2tog] 8
times, KI. 18 sts.
41 st row - KI , [K2tog] 8 times, KI. 10 sts.
42nd row - [K2tog] 5 times. 5 sts.
Break off yarn and thread through remaining sts.
Pull up tight and fasten off securely.
Weave in any ends.

Key


Chart A


Chart B
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