

Round 2: Knit until 2 sts remain before the mock cable pattern. K 2 tog. Work 36 mock cable sts. K2 tog. Knit remaining sts in the round.

Round 3: Knit until the mock cable pattern begins, work 36 mock cable sts. Knit remaining sts in the round.

Repeat rounds 2 & 3 until 68 sts remain.

Foot:

Work without decreasing as established (mock cable on 36 sts and knit 36 sts) until this section measures 4 inches, or 1 3/4 inches less than desired length of sock. (I always try sock on at this point. They should be 2 inches shorter than the end of my foot.)

Toe:

Discontinue mock cable pattern and knit all sts, except for the "purl 1" sts that marked the beginning and end of the mock cable pattern. Continue to work these 2 sts as purls.

Round 1: Knit until 2 sts before the first "purl 1". K2 tog, p 1, ssk. Knit until 2 sts before the second "purl 1". K2 tog, p 1, ssk. Knit to end of round.

Round 2: Work as established without decreasing. Repeat these 2 rounds until 24 sts remain.

Finishing:

Weave remaining toe sts together.

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#193 Anne Mock Cable Twist Socks
by Patty Kahl

Materials:

- **Schaefer Yarn Anne** (60% Merino Wool Superwash, 25% Mohair, 15% Nylon, approx 4 oz skein = 560 yds)
1 skein
- Double pointed knitting needles (size 1 to fit women's shoe size up to 8 or size 2 for larger shoe size)

Gauge:

9 sts and 12 rows = 1 in. worked in stockinette stitch.

Mock Cable pattern: (Worked over 4 stitches)

Row 1: * K 2, p 2. Repeat from *

Row 2: * K 2 tog, do not remove from left needle. K the first st again. Remove both sts from left needle. P 2.

Repeat from *

Row 3: * K 2, p 2. Repeat from *

Row 4: * K 2, p 2. Repeat from *

Slip Stitch pattern:

Row 1: (right side) Sl 1, *(k 1, sl 1) Repeat from * across, always ending with k1.

Row 2: Sl 1, p remaining sts in row.

Row 3: Sl 1, *(sl 1, k 1) Repeat from * across, always ending with k1.

Row 4: Repeat row 2.

Cuff:

CO 72 sts. Work in rounds of k 2, p 2 rib for 1 1/2 in.

Work in mock cable pattern until cuff measures 7 in. from beginning.

Heel flap:

At the beginning of the next round, p 1. (Note: you will work this part on 1/2 the sts. Simply ignore the stitch just purled and remaining sts not being used for the flap.) Work across 36 sts in row 1 of slip stitch pattern above. Turn. Work row 2 of slip stitch pattern. Turn.

Work row 3 of slip stitch pattern. Turn. Work row 4 of slip stitch pattern. Continue in this manner until heel flap measures 1 3/4 in.

Turn heel:

Begin with right side row, continuing in slip stitch pattern as established.

Row 1: Work across 22 sts, k2 tog, k1. Turn.

Row 2: Work across 10 sts, p2 tog, p1. Turn.

Row 3: Work across until you reach the last stitch before the turn. Knit this stitch together with the next st, k 1. Turn.

Row 4: Work across until you reach the last stitch before the turn. Purl this stitch together with the next st, p 1. Turn.

Repeat rows 3 & 4 until all stitches of the heel flap have been worked. Work across right side row.

Gusset:

Note: The previously ignored 36 sts will be worked in mock cable pattern. You should be starting and ending this pattern with a p1. Discontinue slip stitch pattern at this point.

Round 1: With right side facing, pick up and knit 1 st (twisting the st to create a tight st) in each slipped st along the side of the heel flap. Make 1 (by lifting the strand in the ditch and twisting it to create a tight st), work in mock cable pattern across the previously ignored 36 sts. Make 1 (again by lifting the strand in the ditch and twisting it to create a tight st), pick up and knit 1 st (twisting the st to create a tight st) in each slipped st along the side of the heel flap, k across heel sts. Redistribute sts on needles at this point if necessary so that the first "Make 1" st is the last st on one needle, and the second "Make 1" st is the first st on another needle. These spots are where the decreases will occur.