

# Sue's Basic 4-needle Color Pattern - Socks

## O-Wool Organic yarn 2 ply Classic yarn

**#1 bamboo** needles

worked in the round irregular straight stitch  
(except ribbed cuff border)

**50** sts (12 x3 + 14). 1x1 Rib Top -- **4** rows  
2 rows ss -- Add 4 sts = **54** (13 ea needle)  
Pattern: 26 ROWS  
Last row add 4 sts = **58** sts.

**Ridged HEEL:** 30 sts (instep 28). [14-15]  
*2 rows main color then alternate color for heel*  
*\*slip1, K1\** across || slip 1st st, *\*P\** across

**TURN HEEL:** add wooly nylon thread

K to half way (15 st) (**continue slip st**)

K2, Ssk, K1, turn.

P6, p2tog, P1, turn.

K7, ssk, K1, turn || P8, p2tog, P1, turn.

continue working 1 more st at beginning, until = 16 sts

**KNIT UP** along sides of heel-flap + 1 st = 16  
+1 row around in contrast color. Break off  
**\*\*Continue SlipSt on back (bottom) till ankle done.**

**SHAPE GUSSET (ANKLE):**

**Decrease** each row = **54** sts

14-14 instep / 13-13 back

work narrow pattern, then continue main color foot

**Work** till foot = 7" from back of heel

**last row alternate color**

Heel = 1 1/2" -- Foot = 5 1/2"

**TOE:** 1 1/2" (total foot = 8 1/2")

Alt. No Dec / Dec rows till = 28 sts

Decrease each row = 20 sts

Weave closed w/ Kitchener Stitch

Keep yarn below needles.

Begin by Front st as if to P, leave on.

Back st as if to Knit, leave on.

Continue: Front: K - off; P - on.

Back: P - off; K - on

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