Barcelona Socks by Mona Schmidt

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Some hints:

Most important of all, read the instructions thoroughly.

- Intermediate/advanced difficulty
- For best results use a solid or semi-solid yarn. Hand dyed yarns without too much difference in saturation of the colors work also.
- The rib is knit on smaller needles since there are more sts. If you prefer a looser rib, knit rib on same needle size as sock.
- The charted pattern includes yarn overs and decreases that sometimes sit at the beginning of the round. This means that the pattern gets shifted ever once in a while. Don't be disturbed by this, just keep following the chart as possible and maintain the correct number of stitches on each needle.

The pattern is available in size S, M and L

Measurements

Leg circ. (slightly stretched) 8 (9, 10)" Length of foot: as desired!

Yarn

Any sock yarn with 420 m/100g (or of your choice, though less yardage results in a slightly larger sock since gauge is different)

Needles

One set of five double-pointed needles (dpn) size US 0 (2 mm) and US 1.5 (2.5 mm). Change needle size if necessary to obtain correct gauge.

Gauge

Rib: 9 sts/1" – slightly stretched on smaller needles Stockinette stitch: 7.5 sts/11 rows to 1" on larger needles

Sock Cuff

With smaller needles CO 70 (80, 90) sts. Arrange evenly on 4 needles. Join for working in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1: *p1, k3, p1; rep from * to end of rnd

Rnd 2: rep rnd 1

Rnd 3: *p1, sl1 kw, k2tog, psso, p1; rep from * to end of rnd

Rnd 4: *p1, (k1, p1, k1) in one st, p1; rep from * to end of rnd.

Work rnds [1-4] 4 times more.

Next rnd: p1, *k3, k2tog; rep from * to last st, k last st tog with 1st st - 56 (64. 72) sts rem.

Leg

Change to larger needles.

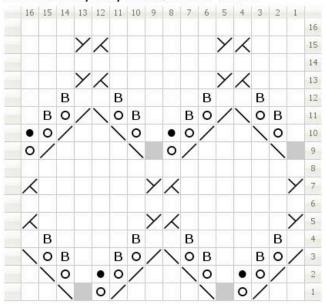
For size S and L: work chart for S and L 7 (9) times across 56 (72) sts. Work height repeat of 16 rows 4 times, piece should measure about 7" (18 cm), end with row 16.

For size M: work chart for M 4 times across 64 sts. Work height repeat of 16 rows 4 times, piece should measure about 7" (18 cm), end with row 16.

Charts

When working the first and 9th round of the pattern, make one yo between decreases as shown in pat. In next row purl first and then knit into yo.

November Mystery Sock Chart for size M



Legend:

knit knit stitch

k2tog

Knit two stitches together as one stitch

0 Yarn Over

No Stitch

Placeholder - No stitch made.

Slip one stitch as if to knit, Slip another stitch as if to knit. Insert left-hand needle into front of these 2 stitches and knit them together

purl • purl stitch

knit tbl В

Knit stitch through back loop Right Twist

Skip the first stitch, knit into 2nd stitch, then knit skipped stitch. Slip both stitches from needle together OR k2tog leaving sts on LH needle, then k first st again, sl both sts off needle.

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Notes:

R1 (RS): k2, k2tog, yo, No Stitch, ssk, k4, k2tog, yo, No Stitch, ssk, k2 R2: k1, k2tog, yo, p1, k1, yo, ssk, k2, k2tog, yo, p1, k1, yo, ssk, k1 R3: k2tog, yo, ktbl, k2, ktbl, yo, ssk, k2tog, yo, ktbl, k2, ktbl, yo, ssk R4: k1, ktbl, k4, ktbl, k2, ktbl, k4, ktbl, k1

R5: last st of Right Twist, k6, Right Twist, k6, first st of Right Twist,

R6: k16

R7: last st of Right Twist, k6, Right Twist, k6, first st of Right Twist, R8: k16

R9: No Stitch, ssk, k4, k2tog, yo, No Stitch, ssk, k4, k2tog, yo

R10: k1, yo, ssk, k2, k2tog, yo, p1, k1, yo, ssk, k2, k2tog, yo, p1 R11: k1, ktbl, yo, ssk, k2tog, yo, ktbl, k2, ktbl, yo, ssk, k2tog, yo, ktbl, k1

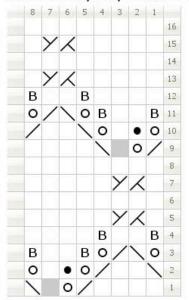
R12: k2, ktbl, k2, ktbl, k4, ktbl, k2, ktbl, k2

R13: k3, Right Twist, k6, Right Twist, k3

R14: k16

R15: k3, Right Twist, k6, Right Twist, k3

November Mystery Sock Chart for size S and L



Legend:

KITIL
knit stitch





No Stitch

Placeholder - No stitch made.

Slip one stitch as if to knit, Slip another stitch as if to knit. Insert left-hand needle into front of these 2 stitches and knit them together

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Right Twist

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Notes:

Pattern:

R1 (RS): k4, k2tog, yo, No Stitch, ssk R2: ssk, k2, k2tog, yo, p1, k1, yo

R3: yo, ssk, k2tog, yo, ktbl, k2, ktbl

R4: k tbl, k2, k tbl, k4

R5: k1, Right Twist, k5

R6: k8

R7: k1, Right Twist, k5

R8: k8 R9: k2tog, yo, No Stitch, ssk, k4

R10: yo, p1, k1, yo, ssk, k2, k2tog R11: ktbl, k2, ktbl, yo, ssk, k2tog, yo

R12: k4, k tbl, k2, k tbl

R13: k5, Right Twist, k1

R14: k8

R15: k5, Right Twist, k1

R16: k8

Heel flap

Working back and forth on sts of first and second needle, knit heel flap as follows:

Row 1: purl

Row 2: purl

Row 3: (RS): *k2, sl2 wyif; rep from * to end

Row 4: p3, *sl 2 wyib, p2; rep from * to last 3 sts, end p3

Row 5: *sl 2 wyif, k2; rep from * to end

Row 6: p1, *sl2 wyib, p2; rep from * to last 3 sts, sl2 wyib, p1 Repeat rows [3 - 6] 9 times more, until 42 rows are completed.

Turn heel

Row 1: (RS): Sl1, k15 (17, 19), k2tog tbl, k1, turn.

Row 2: Slip 1, p5, p2tog, p1, turn.

Row 3: Slip 1, k6, k2tog tbl, k1, turn.

Cont working in this manner, working 1 additional st before the decrease on each row, until 16 (18, 20) sts rem, ending with a WS row.

Shape Gusset:

Pickup rnd: With **N1**, slip 1, k15 (17, 19) across heel flap, then pick up and knit 16 sts along the side of the heel;

N2 and **N3**:

for size S and L: *k1, **right twist**, k5; rep from * twice (three times) more, end k1, **right twist**, k1 – 28 (36) sts;

for size M: *k3, right twist, k3; rep from * 3 times more - 32 sts;

N4: pick up 16 sts along the side of the heel, then knit the first 8 (9.

10) sts on N1 – 76 (84, 88) stitches.

Knit one rnd.

Next Rnd 1st dec Rnd:

Rnd 1: N1: Knit to last 2 sts, k2tog, N2 and 3: knit in est patt; N4: ssk, knit to end.

Rnd 2: Knit around.

Rep [Rnds 1 and 2] 8 more times—56 (64, 72) sts rem; 14 (16, 18) sts each needle).

Foot

Continue working as est until foot measures about 2" less than desired allover length. Since the pattern repeat is 2 rounds only, custom sizes are possible.

Shape Toe

The twisted sts are continued on top of toe until the stitches are worked into the toe decreases.

Rnd 1: N1 and N3: Knit in est pat to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1; N2 and N4:

k1, ssk, knit to end – 52 (60, 68) sts rem.

Rnd 2: Knit around.

Rep [Rnds 1 and 2] 5 (7, 9) times more - 32 sts rem.

Rep [Rnd 1] 4 times more, 16 sts rem.

Break yarn, leaving an 8" tail.

Finishing:

Knit sts from N4 onto N1 and slip sts from N2 to N3. Holding N1 and N3 parallel, graft sts using Kitchener st. Weave in ends on inside of sock.