

# Classic Elite Yarns

## Toddler Socks

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SIZE: 2-4 years

Finished Measurement: 5½" foot length

### MATERIALS:

**Summer Sox** by **Classic Elite** (40% cotton, 40% superwash merino, 20% nylon; 50 gram ball = approx 175 yards)

- 1 ball 5581 Seagrass
- 1 ball 5554 Aster

### Needles

- One set of 5 double pointed needles (dpns) size US 1 (2.25 mm)

### Or size to obtain gauge

- Stitch markers
- Tapestry needle

**GAUGE:** 28 sts and 41 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch. **Take time to save time, check your gauge.**

### SPECIAL TERMS:

**k2tog:** Knit 2 sts together (1 st decreased).

**yo:** Yarn over (1 st increased).

**ssk: (slip, slip, knit)** Slip 2 sts, 1 at a time, knitwise to the RH needle; return sts to LH needle in turned position and knit them together through the back loops (1 st decreased).

**m1: (make 1)** Insert LH needle under horizontal strand between st just worked and next st, from the front to the back, knit through the back loop (1 st increased).

### PATTERN STITCHES:

#### Eyelet Rib: (multiple of 5 sts)

(also, see chart)

Rnds 1-3: \*K3, p2; rep from \* around.

Rnd 4: \*K2tog, yo, k1, p2; rep from \* around.

Rnds 5-7: Rep Rnds 1-3.

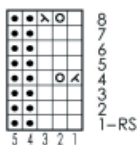
Rnd 8: \*K1, yo, ssk, p2; rep from \* around.

Rep Rnds 1-8 for Eyelet Rib.



### Eyelet Chart

(multiple of 5 sts; 8 rnd rep)



- Knit
- Purl
- yo (see Special Terms)
- k2tog (see Special Terms)
- ssk (see Special Terms)

### ABBREVIATIONS

**approx** - approximately

**beg** - begin(ning)

**BO** - bind off

**BOR** - beginning of rnd

**CO** - cast on

**dec** - decrease

**dpn(s)** - double pointed needle(s)

**inc** - increase

**k** - knit

**k2tog** - see Special Terms

**LH** - left hand

**m1** - see Special Terms

**p** - purl

**pc** - piece

**pm** - place marker(s)

**meas** - measures

**rem** - remain(ning)

**rep** - repeat

**RH** - right hand

**rnd(s)** - round(s)

**RS** - right sides

**ssk** - see Special Terms

**st(s)** - stitch(es)

**St st** - Stockinette Stitch

**WS** - wrong side

**wyib** - with yarn in back

**wyif** - with yarn in front

**yo** - see Special Terms

**Stockinette Stitch (St st):****Straight:** Knit on RS, purl on WS.**Circular:** Knit all rnds.**Heel Stitch: (multiple of 2 sts)**

Row 1: \*Slip 1 purlwise wyib, k1; rep from \* to end.

Row 2: Slip 1 purlwise wyif, purl to end.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 for Heel St.

**Kitchener Stitch:** Step 1: Bring threaded tapestry needle through first st on front needle as if to purl and leave st on needle. Step 2: Bring threaded tapestry needle through first st on back needle as if to knit and leave st on needle. Step 3: Bring threaded tapestry needle through first st on front needle as if to knit and slip this st off needle. Bring threaded tapestry needle through next st on front needle as if to purl and leave st on needle. Step 4: Bring threaded tapestry needle through first st on back needle as if to purl and slip this st off needle. Bring threaded tapestry needle through next st on back needle as if to knit and leave st on needle. Rep Steps 3 and 4 until no sts rem on needles.

**Three Needle Bind Off Method:** With sts on each of 2 double pointed needles; with the RS of garment pieces together (to form ridge on inside of garment), hold the needles parallel. With a third dpn knit the first st of front and back needles together, \*knit next st from each needle together, (2 sts on right-hand needle), BO one st; rep from \* until all sts are BO.

**LEG:**

CO 35 sts loosely. Divide sts evenly over 4 dpns. Join, being careful not to twist sts; place marker (pm) for beg-of-rnd (BOR).

**Begin Eyelet Rib:** Work 34 rnds, end after rnd 2 of Eyelet Rib. **Change to St st and Inc Rnd:** K25, m1, knit to end—36 sts.**HEEL FLAP: Change to Heel St** and work 20 rows (back and forth) across first 18 sts; leaving other 18 sts unworked on 2 needles (instep).**HEEL TURN: Change to St st and Shape Heel with Short Rows:**

Row 1: (RS) Slip 1 st purlwise wyib, k10, ssk, k1, turn—17 sts rem.

Row 2: Slip 1 st purlwise wyif, p5, p2tog, p1, turn—16 sts rem.

Row 3: Slip 1 st purlwise wyib, k6, ssk, k1, turn—15 sts rem.

Row 4: Slip 1 st purlwise wyif, p7, p2tog, p1, turn—14 sts rem.

Row 5: Slip 1 st purlwise wyib, k8, ssk, k1, turn—13 sts rem.

Row 6: Slip 1 st purlwise wyif, p9, p2tog, p1, turn—12 sts rem.

**GUSSET**

Setup Rnd: on Needle 1, k12, then pick up and knit 10 sts along right edge of heel flap by picking up only outside loop of chain formed by slip sts; pick up 1 st in the corner between the heel flap and the instep; on Needle 2: knit across the instep sts; on Needle 3: pick up 1 st in the corner between the

instep and heel flap, pick up and knit 10 sts along left edge of heel flap by picking up only outside loop of chain formed by slip st, k6 heel sts from Needle 1, pm for BOR if desired—17 sts on Needles 1 and 3, 18 instep sts on Needle 2: 52 sts total.

**Shape Gusset:** Rnd 1: On Needle 1: work in St st to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1; on Needle 2: knit; on Needle 3: k1, ssk, knit to end.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rep Rnds 1 and 2 seven more times—36 sts rem.

**FOOT**Work even in Circular St st until pc meas 4½" from back of heel or about 1" less than desired total length. **Shape Toe: Dec Rnd:** On Needle 1, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1; on Needle 2, k1, ssk, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1; on Needle 3, k1 ssk, knit to end—32 sts rem. Work 1 rnd even. Work dec rnd every rnd 4 more times—16 sts rem for toe. Break yarn, leaving 12" tail.**FINISHING**

Place 8 sts on each of 2 needles; graft sts using Kitchener st, or join toe using Three Needle Bind Off, after turning sock inside out. Block pc to required measurements.