

EenieMenieMinieMo ...



... put some colors on your toes. A foursome of socks, each different yet similar so you can mix-and-match into pairs. Each sock is made in a different arrangement of four colors and different slip-stitch pattern on the leg. You'll have as much fun making them as wearing them (or seeing them worn). Instructions for children through adult.

Sizing

8 sizes for children through adult. Instructions for smallest size is given first, with each next larger size in the { , , , , , } brackets.

Selecting the size to knit

Measure around foot at widest point. Instructions are given in 8 sizes to fit foot circumference measurements of 5¼{6½,7¼,8,8¾,9½,10¼,11}". These measurements allow for an average snug fit. If foot measurement lies between 2 sizes, choose the smaller size for a tighter fit, and the next larger for a looser fit.

Yarn and Needles

Sportweight yarn in four colors, approximately 50{80,100,135,150,170,195,220} yards of each color to make the 4 socks, for a total of 200{320,400,540,600,680,780,880} yards.

Each sock will use a different color placement on cuff, heel, foot and toe. All four colors will be used (but worked only one at a time) in the slipped stitch pattern on the leg of each. Anything from bright contrasting colors to a more subdued color scheme will work. Just make sure that the yarn used for each of the 4 colors is the same type (i.e. same fiber composition, texture, and thickness).

Size 2 US (3.0 mm) set of 4 or 5 double point needles, or size to give gauge

Size 4 US (3.5 mm) set of 4 or 5 double point needles, or two US sizes larger than needle size to give gauge, (or closest metric equivalent to 0.5 mm larger)

Gauge: 6½ stitches per inch over stockinette stitch on smaller size needles

Cable needle

Skill Level: Intermediate knitter