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Daylight and Shadows Beaded Cable Socks



Beads in a lighter color (daylight) and darker color (shadows) embellish the twining columns of stitches on these charming cabled socks.

This pattern includes instructions for two styles — one with a playful beaded fringe cuff; the other with the more refined look of a plain cuff.

Have fun choosing beads to coordinate with your yarn. The sock to far left is a tone-on-tone example of beads chosen just a shade lighter and darker compared to the yarn's value. The gray sock is an example of beads chosen for more contrast.

Pictured models were made in Lorna's Laces Shepherd Sock Yarn and Miyuki beads as follows —

Beaded fringe style

Yarn: #8ns Harvest

Beads: #8-527 Opal Beige Ceylon (L) and #8-593 Dark Beige Ceylon (D)

Plain cuff style

Yarn: #9ns Pewter

Beads: #8-250 Crystal AB (L) and #8-401 Black (D)

Sizing

Adult medium. Stated yardage is for planned measurements of 6" leg length above heel flap, 8" sock foot circumference, and 9½" foot length. Foot length is easily adjustable as indicated in the instructions. If making adjustments for longer foot length, please allow more yarn.

Yarn, Beads and Needles

325 yards fingering weight sock yarn

Size 1 US (2.25 mm) knitting needles or size needed to obtain a gauge of 8 stitches per inch over stockinette stitch; your choice of double point or circular needles for knitting in the round

Size 8/0 (3 mm) glass seed beads in your choice of coordinating tone-on-tone or contrast colors:

Lighter (L) color - 912 beads for beaded fringe style or 272 beads for plain cuff style

Darker (D) color - 272 beads for either style

Cable needle

Bead stringing needle