

Disappearing Act

Part One

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Materials...

One skein **Roya**l by Austermann, 50g / 219 yards, (Color A)
One skein **Roya**l by Austermann, 50g / 219 yards, in a contrasting color (Color B)
US#1 (2.5mm) needles or size necessary to achieve desired gauge. Pattern may be knit with double points, two circular knitting method or magic loop. **See "Magic Loop" Video**

Gauge...

8.5 stitches = 1 inch in stockinette.

Size...

Women's Small, Medium and Large. Additional size adjustments may be made by altering needle sizes.

Small leg circumference measures approximately 7" unstretched and stretches comfortably to 10". Finished length measured along top of foot from toe to cuff is $13\frac{1}{2}$ ". **Medium** leg circumference measures approximately $7\frac{3}{4}$ " unstretched and stretches comfortably to 11". Finished length measured along top of foot from toe to cuff is $12\frac{1}{2}$ ". **Large** leg circumference measures approximately $8\frac{1}{2}$ " unstretched and stretches comfortably to $12\frac{1}{2}$ ". Finished length measured along top of foot from toe to cuff is $11\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Abbreviations...

A - Color A

B – Color B (contrasting color)

kfb - knit into front and back of stitch. See "kfb" Video

Instructions...

Note: Directions are for Small Size (Medium, Large Size in parentheses when necessary). When knitting from patterns with multiple sizes, use a highlighter to mark the numbers that pertain to your size.

TOE

Cast On - See "Judy's Magic Cast On" Video

With Color A and using two needles, cast on 20(24,24) stitches using Judy's Magic Cast On with 10(12,12) stitches on each needle.

Securing tail, knit first 10(12,12) stitches.

Knit second 10(12,12) stitches through the back loop.

Toe Increases

If using **one or two circular** needle knitting method, increases (kfb) are made at the beginning and end of each needle as follows:

Round 1. On 1st needle, kfb, knit to last stitch on needle, kfb; On 2nd needle, kfb, knit to last stitch on needle, kfb.

Round 2. Knit all stitches.

If using **double points**, arrange stitches evenly with 5(6,6) stitches on 4 needles. Increases (kfb) are made as follows:

Round 1. Kfb, knit to last stitch on 2^{nd} needle, kfb, kfb into 1^{st} stitch on 3^{rd} needle, knit to last stitch on 4^{th} needle, kfb.

Round 2. Knit all stitches.

All needle types: Repeat Rounds 1 and 2 until toe reaches 56(64,72) stitches.

*I recommend placing a lifeline after the toe to allow for easy changes in size if needed.

See "Lifeline" Video

FOOT

Increase 8 stitches evenly in next round as follows: *K6(7,8), kfb; repeat from * to end of round. 64(72,80) stitches

Knit remainder of sock following Two-Color Pattern beginning with Section I, found below. Work this section the recommended number of repeats.

ALL stitches are worked in the knit stitch. **See "Two Handed Two Color Knitting" Video**

Two-Color Pattern

Section I - Work these 4 rounds 8(7,6) times. A total of 32(28,24) rounds.

Round 1. *3A, 1B; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 2. Knit A.

Round 3. 1A, 1B, *3A, 1B; repeat from * to last 2 stitches, 2A.

Round 4. Knit A.

STOP!

Take the time to ensure that the sock provides a good fit. If needed, take knitting back to the lifeline and reknit making a different size or changing needle sizes.

Happy knitting!