



SMC Wash + Filz it! Big Color Slipper Pattern

Design F0021 • Slippers •

Size: 38/39

All sizes in the Method apply before felting unless given otherwise.

Materials: Schachenmayr/SMC

Wash+Filz-it! Big color

200g #00080 esprit color,

Five US 15-17 [10-12mm] dpn, or size to obtain gauge.

Garter stitch: K RS and WS rows; in rounds alt K 1 rnd, P 1 rnd.

Stockinette stitch: in rnds K all sts; in rows K RS rows, P WS rows.

Selvage stitches: for garter stitch work garter selvage; for st-st work chain selvage.

Garter selvage stitch: K this st at beg and end of each row.

Chain selvage stitch: wyif at beg of RS row slip selvage st pwise; work to last st in patt, then wyif slip last st pwise. On WS row K 1st st tbl by inserting needle into back of st; K last st.

Gauge: with 10-12mm needles and st-st, unfelted 7-8 sts and 11 rows, felted 10 sts and 17 rows, each to 4" [10cm].

With 10-12mm needles and garter stitch, unfelted 7-8 and 14 rows (7 ribs), felted 10 sts and 20 rows (10 ribs), each to 4" [10cm].

METHOD

Work sole in garter stitch, and foot in st-st.

Slipper: for the sole cast on 12 sts and work 4" [10cm] = 14 rows = 7 ribs garter stitch. For upper section 6 times M1 kwise tbl beside the selvage st at each end of every 2nd (RS) row; P1 on WS row, thus work incs (= upper section) in st-st. Join the 24 sts to a round and work sts as they appear = the sole in garter stitch, the upper section in st-st. After 44 rows = 22 ribs from cast-on start with toe shaping as foll: on every 2nd rnd (in which all sts are worked K) K2tog at end of Needles 1 and 3; work skp at beg of Needles 2 and 4. Cont in patt for sole and upper section. Pull the last 8 sts tog with a thread and darn away yarn tail.

Or: graft the 4 sts of upper section and sole tog using Kitchener Stitch. Close the short heel seam = cast-on edge. Length of foot before felting about 14½" [37cm].

Finishing: felt flippers in the Colored wash in the washing machine at 40°C (do not use a detergent for woolens and also no fabric conditioner). Pull the slippers into shape and allow to dry. The slippers may be worn on your feet to give them extra shape, then stuff with paper to dry.

Tip: These slippers can also be made up in other sizes using information in the table below.

All the designs in this Design Poster were made using

Wash+Filz-it! Big Color
(100% new wool,
about 109 yd / 7 oz [100m / 200g])

Size Table for Slippers using Wash+Filz-it! Big color

Gauge: with 10-12mm needles and st-st before felting 7-8 sts and 11 rows; after felting 10 sts and 17 rows, each to 4" [10cm]; with 10-12mm needles and garter stitch before felting 7-8 sts and 14 rows (7 ribs); after felting: 10 sts and 20 rows (10 ribs), each to 4" [10cm]. The Table applies to the Gauge using garter stitch!

Size	22/23	24/25	26/27	28/29	30/31	32/33	34/35	36/37	38/39	40/41	42/43	44/45	46/47
Stitch cast-on	9	10	10	10	11	11	11	12	12	12	13	13	13
Garter stitch to increases (rows/ribs)	8/4	10/5	10/5	10/5	12/6	12/6	12/6	14/7	14/7	14/7	16/8	16/8	18/9
Increases on either side	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6
Newly cast-on at center (sts)	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
Total no of sts	18	20	20	20	22	22	22	24	24	24	26	26	26
Length of Foot to start of toes	24/12	26/13	30/15	32/16	34/17	36/18	40/20	42/21	44/22	46/23	48/24	50/25	52/26
Toes: no of mds/ribs	6/3	6/3	6/3	6/3	8/4	8/4	8/4	8/4	8/4	10/5	10/5	10/5	10/5
Total length before felting (cm)	21.5	23	25.5	27	30	31.5	34	35.5	37	40	41.5	43	44.5
Total length before felting (inch)	8½"	8¾"	10"	10¾"	11¼"	12¼"	13½"	14"	14½"	15¾"	16¼"	17"	17½"
Total length after felting (cm)	15.5	16.5	18	19	20.5	22	23.5	25	26	27.5	28.5	29.5	31
Total length after felting (inch)	6	6½"	7"	7½"	8"	8½"	9¼"	9¾"	10¼"	10¾"	11¼"	11½"	12¼"

Skill level

Very easy

Easy

Intermediate

Experienced