# Stretch Out <br> by DROPS Design 

Knitted socks in DROPS Big Merino. Piece is knitted in rib with displacement. Size 35 to 43

Size: 35/37-38/40-41/43
Length on leg: approx. 12-13-14 cm
Materials:
DROPS BIG MERINO from Garnstudio (belongs to yarn group C)
100-150-150 g colour 11, plum


ACCESSORIES FOR THE PIECE:
DROPS 193-24

KNITTING TENSION:
19 stitches in width and 25 rows vertically in stocking stitch $=10 \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$.
24 stitches in width and 22 stitches vertically with rib $(=$ knit $1 /$ purl 1$)=10 \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$.

NEEDLES:
DOUBLE POINTED NEEDLES SIZE 4 mm
Needle size is only a suggestion! If you have too many stitches on 10 cm switch to larger needles. If you have too few stitches on 10 cm switch to smaller needles.

You may also do Magic Loop and use circular needles.

# Pattern for DROPS 193-24 

EXPLANATION FOR THE PATTERN:

PATTERN:
See diagrams A. 1 and A. 2 .

START THE PIECE HERE:

## SOCKS - SHORT OVERVIEW OF THE PIECE:

Worked in the round on double pointed needles from foot and up to leg.
SOCK:
Cast on 44-48-50 stitches on double pointed needles size 4 mm with Big Merino. Knit 1 round. Insert a marker thread at beginning of round. Then work pattern as follows: A. 1 (= 8 stitches), knit 1 (= middle stitch on top of foot), A. 2 (= 8 stitches), work rib (= knit 1/purl 1) over the next 27-31-33 stitches. Continue in the round like this until piece measures 9-1011 cm . REMEMBER THE KNITTING TENSION! Now work as follows: Work pattern and rib as before over the first 18-20-20 stitches, cast off the next 25-25-27 stitches (= under foot), work the remaining 1-3-3 stitches on round as before. Work next round as follows: Work pattern as before over the first 18-20-20 stitches, cast on 27-27-29 new stitches (= back of foot), work the remaining 1-3-3 stitches on round $=46-50-52$ stitches on round. Continue in the round with pattern A.1, knit 1 and A. 2 and rib (= knit 1/purl 1) over the remaining stitches on round. When leg measures 12-13-14 cm cast off with knit over knit and purl over purl. Make sure that the cast-off edge is not too tight. Fasten off. Knit another sock the same way.

## Diagram explanations

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    \square=knit
    \}=\mathrm{ purl
\square=between 2 stitches make 1 yarn over. On next round purl or knit yarn over twisted - see next round
        in diagrams.
M=purl 2 together
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Diagram for DROPS 193-24


Use me to measure your project!


To get the measurement tape to be $100 \%$ accurate, you have to print out the pattern in full scale (and not use the print option "fit to page").

