

# froggy feet socks pattern

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Froggy Feet is an easy to knit sock pattern with seriously cute frog friends! You'll be knitting only one color at a time and use the Duplicate Stitch at the end to make your frog face. In no time you'll have a new pair of socks smiling back at you!

This pattern is featured as a free pattern for 2023 LYS Day.

## required skills

Knitting, purling, knitting in-the-round, picking up stitches, decreasing, Kitchener stitch, duplicate stitch

## instructional video

Duplicate Stitch Tutorial:  
[www.youtube.com/watch?v=-cfmjyaaAdw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-cfmjyaaAdw)

## materials

MC: 300 yards of fingering weight yarn  
CC: 50 yards of fingering weight yarn  
\*estimates made for the largest size\*

Sample made with custom dyed Coates and Co Merino Sock Set

- US 1.5 (2.5 mm) Double Pointed Needles
- US 1.5 (2.5 mm) 10" circular, or preferred method to make a small circumference
- Stich markers
- Tapestry needle

## gauge

16 sts x 23 rows of stockinette sts = 2"



## sizing

s (m, l)  
s - women's shoe size 5 - 7  
m - women's shoe size 8 - 10, men's shoe size 6.5 - 8.5  
l - women's shoe size 11+ , men's shoe size 9+

## abbreviations

BOR - beginning of round  
DPNs - Double Pointed Needles  
MC - Main Color (sample uses green)  
CC - Contrast Color (samples uses pink)  
k - knit  
k2tog - knit 2 together  
p - purl  
RS - Right Side (outside of sock)  
sm - slip marker  
ssk - slip slip knit  
st(s) - stich(es)  
Stockinette st - knit all RS sts  
WS - Wrong Side (inside of sock)  
( \_ ) - Repeat Brackets; repeat instructions between brackets to where indicated.

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## instructions

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### cuff & leg

With the CC, cast on 60 (64, 68) using the German Twisted Cast On method.

(k1, p1) for 1 row.

Place BOR marker. Join in the round, careful to not twist your sts.

(k1, p1) until the end of round. Continue the 1x1 rib until your cuff measures 1/2".

Switch to stockinette st, and continue until the leg measure 2" from the cast on edge. Cut CC.

Change to MC, continue working stockinette st until leg measures 5" from cast on edge.

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### heel flap

Knit 30 (32, 34) sts. Place these stitches on hold.

Switch to DPN's, knit the remaining 30 (32, 34) sts onto a DPN needle.

You will now be working the stitches flat across the DPN to create your heel flap.

Turn to work the WS, slip first st, purl remaining sts to end of row. Turn.

RS: (slip 1, k1) to end of row.

WS: slip first st, purl remaining sts to end of row.

Repeat the RS & WS rows until the heel flap measures 2.5".

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### heel turn

Heel Turn Set Up (start on RS)

Set Up Row 1 (RS): Sl 1, k19 (21, 23) ssk, k1, turn

Set Up Row 2 (WS): sl 1, p11 (13, 15) p2tog, p1, turn

Heel Turn

RS: sl 1, knit to 1 st before the gap, ssk, k1, turn

WS: sl 1, purl to 1 st before the gap, p2tog, p1

Repeat RS and WS instructions until all stitches have been worked.

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### set up for gusset

RS: sl 1, knit across heel flap

Pick up and knit the slipped sts along left side of heel flap, place BOR marker, knit across instep, pm, pick up and knit the slipped sts along right side of heel flap (making sure you pick up the same number of stitches as the left side), knit remaining sts to BOR.

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### gusset decreases & foot

1: K to marker, sm, k2, ssk, knit to 4 sts before bor, k2tog, k2

2: Knit 1 round

Repeat rounds 1 & 2 until you have 60, 64, 68 sts

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Keep your markers on your needles, as you'll be using them for the toe decreases.

Knit until the sock is 1.5" shorter than your desired length. Your desired length should be the length of your foot from heel to longest toe.

Cut MC.

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## toe

With CC, knit 1 round.

- 1: K2, ssk, k to 4 sts before your marker, k2tog, k2, sm, k2, ssk, k to 4 sts before the end of round, k2tog, k2 (4 sts decreased)
- 2: Knit 1 round

Repeat rounds 1 & 2 until you have 24 sts (all sizes).

Kitchener stitch toe shut.

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## duplicate stitch

Using the chart on page 4, duplicate stitch your frog face on!



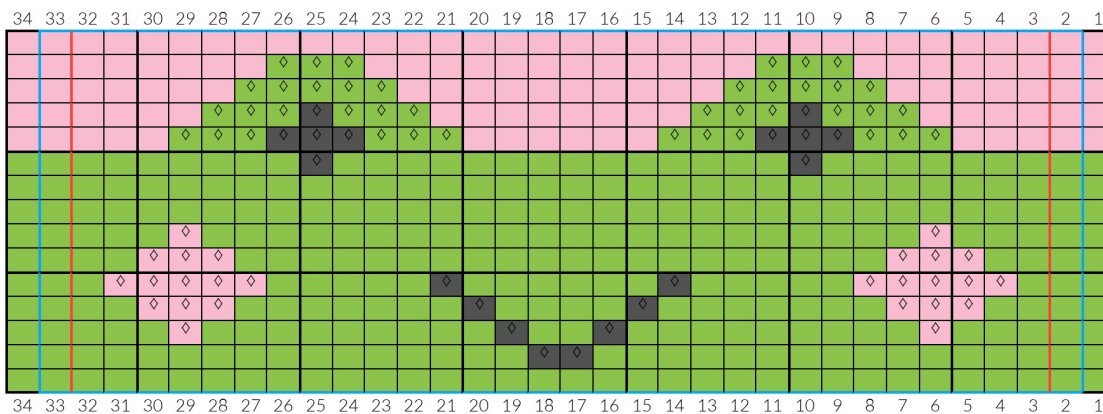
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For Size 1 - be sure to only count the stitches inside the red line

For Size 2 - be sure to only count the stitches inside the blue line

For Size 3 - Use all the stitches inside the chart.



Legend		
Symbols	Colours	Outlines
◇ Duplicate Stitch	MC	Size 1
□ Knit Stitch	CC1	Size 2
	CC2	

## Thank you!

Thanks for making Froggy Feet! I hope you enjoy making these fun socks as much as I did. Please share your new frog friends with us on Instagram (@fireflyfiberarts) or Ravelry! I'd love to see your creations!

If you have any questions about the pattern, or notice a possible inconsistency, please email us at [firefly@fireflyfiberarts.com](mailto:firefly@fireflyfiberarts.com)