EASY SLIPPERS

Materials:

200 g worsted weight yarn

Knitting needles size 8 (or size to obtain correct gauge)

Gauge: 12 rows stockinette = 2"

9 stitches stockinette = 2"

Be sure to check gauge to obtain correct sizing!

Slippers are given for a woman's size 7-8 (9-10, 11-12).

Directions:

Cast on 40 sts.

Row 1: Knit across.

Row 2: K13, P1, K12, P1, K13

Repeat rows 1 and 2 for 36 (42,48) rows TOTAL.

Shape toe:

Next Row: With right side of work facing you P1 *(K1 P1) Repeat from * 5 more times K14 *(P1 K1)

Repeat from * 5 more times. P1 {This is K1 P1 ribbing}.

Next Row: With wrong side facing you *(K1 P1) Repeat from * 6 more times K12 *(P1 K1) Repeat from * 6 more times.

Repeat these 2 rows for 24 (28,,32) **TOTAL** rows ribbed.

Next row: With right side facing K2tog 12 times, K1, K2tog 7 times P1. 21 sts remaining.

Next row: P8 K6 P7

Next row: K2tog 10 times. K1. 11 sts.

Next row: P5 K3 P3.

Last row: Draw yarn through loops and pull together to form toe. Sew seam up to start of ribbed sts.

TO FORM BACK FLAP OF HEEL:

With right side of work facing you pick up 14 sts between the fold lines (the purl sts) that mark the sole of the slipper. Row 1: K across.

Row 2: K across. Row 3: K2tog K10 K2tog. 12 sts Row 4: K across. Row 5: K across Row 6 K2tog K8 K2tog. 10 sts. Row 7: K across Row 8: K across. Row 9: K2tog K6 K2tog. 8 sts. Row 10: K across. Row 11: K across Row 12: K2tog K4 K2tog. 6 sts Row 13: K across Row 14: K across Row 15: K2tog K2 K2tog 4 sts. Row 16: K across. Row 17: K across. Row 18: K2tog twice. 2 sts. Row 19: K across. **Bind off**. Sew up seams for heel flap. Work in ends. Make another to match.