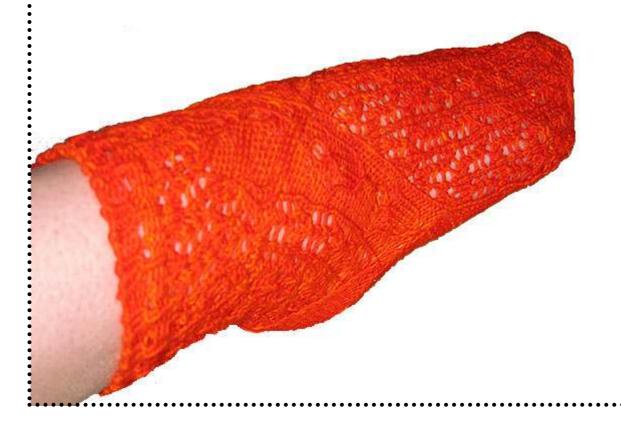


# Tulpankraxlar



These socks are knitted with an increase on the frontside of the ankle and therefore a different heel.

The socks should't be knitted too loosely. The pattern is very elastic, so that they fit from German size 37 (with 2mm needles) up to size 40/41, it just depends on how long you knit the foot.

The beginning of a round is on the side, not backward at these socks.

### Material:

sockweight yarn, fitting needles

### Pattern notes:

At the twist of two stitches, always knit the the stitch on top through the back loop.

### Cuff:

When knitted the cuff you will see the first little tulips. Therefore cast on 64 stitches in the very elastic "Channel Island Cast on". Just give in this term in the search of youtube. There is a little videso showing this kind of cast on:

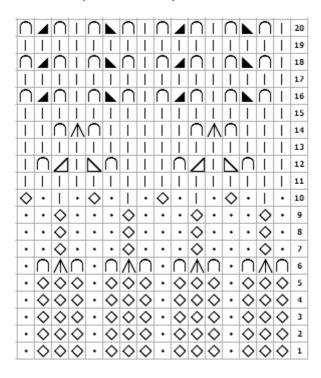
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fPbJGGz8k8Q

Close the round and knit the cuff after Chart A rounds 1-10.

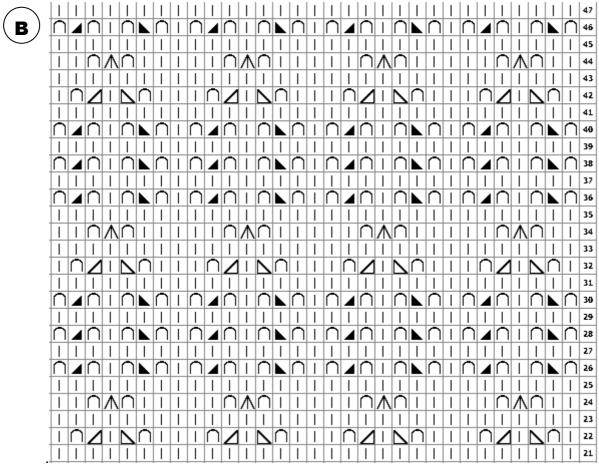
## Leg:

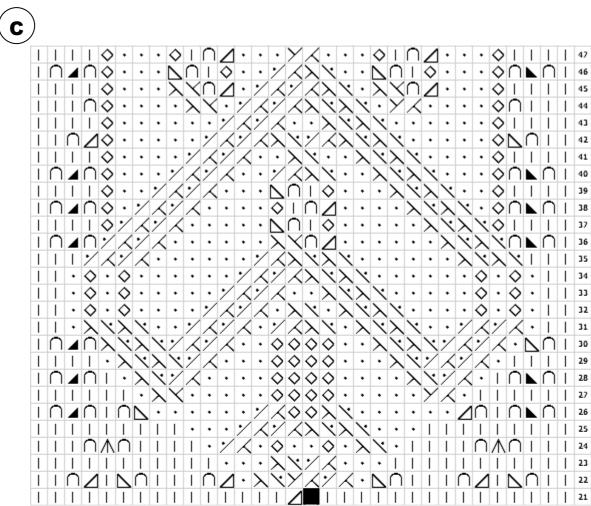
Knit the lacepattern from Chart A (rounds 11-20)





Continue the leg knitting Chart B and C. B ist the frontside of the socks (1. + 2. needle if knitting with DPN), C the backside (3. + 4. needle if knitting with DPN).





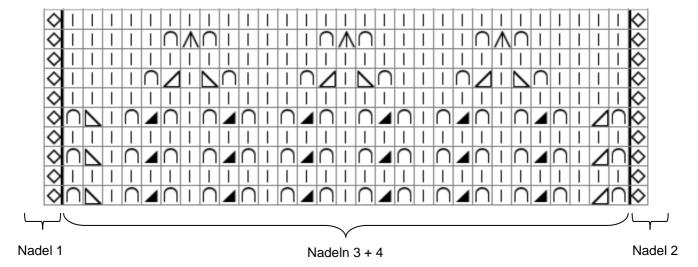
Start knitting the first half of a short row = boomerang heel on the two backside needles until there are only 12 stitches in the middle. Purl stitches on the outside, knit stitches at the inside.

Now knit on the over both needles of the heel. By doing this \* purl the last stitch with the first stitch of the third neede (= first of the frontside) together. Slip the next stitch of needle three purlwise., then turn the knitting. Slip the slipped stitch again purlwise with in front. Knit the further stitches of the heel needles and knit the last one together with the first one of needle 4, the other needle of the frontside part of the sock, and slip the next stitch purlwise. Turn the knitting, slip the slipped stitch again purlwise with yarn in front. Purl the further stitches. Knit always the last stitch like from \*.

Knit the stitches together as long as the last purled stitch of the tulip band (before the twisted knit stitch). Now knit in rounds again, knitting on the pattern of the frontside of the sock. In the first round knit together the twisted stitch of the tulip strip with the left stitch of the downside.

The stitches shall now be like this on the needles:

Needles 1 + 2 (downside of the foot): 32 sts (1 st knit twisted, 30 sts purl, 1 st knit twisted= Needles 3 + 4 (upside if the foot): continue knitting the pattern over the 31 stitches. See the following chart:



Knit then the toe in the way you like.

Knit now the second sock.

Happy knitting!

# Legend:

1	knit
$\Diamond$	knit twisted
•	purl
$\cap$	yarn over
M	make one
	ssk
$\triangle$	k2tog
<b>1</b>	k3tog, either always knit three together or when the first symbol k3tog and the second knit three together like knit twisted
$\Lambda$	knit three together: slip 2 sts together knitwise, knit one and pass the slipped sts over the knitted sts.
/ /	right twist: knit the front st twisted, purl bg.
YX	right twist: knit the front st twisted, knit bg.
> \	left twist: knit the front st twisted, purl bg.
$\times$	left twist: knit the front st twisted, knit bg.



no sts, only a placeholder

