

HOMEWORK / SUPPLIES FOR
SPIRAL STASHBUSTER SOCKS
(Sharon Gerstman, instructor)
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Supplies Approximately 100 yds of one solid or semi-solid color, and 300 yds of mixed colors, sock yarn. The idea here is to use your leftovers from previous socks. Appropriately sized double-pointed needles (you can use two circulars or magic loop, but you will need to rely on stitch markers), and stitch markers.

Gauge: 8 sts/inch in plain stockinette, however you can easily adapt the pattern if you like a different gauge.

Homework:

1. Prepare your yarn: assuming that you want two socks which more or less match, you should divide your yarn leftovers into two approximately equal balls, and label them, so you can keep track.
2. Cast on 64 stitches with Solid Color. (If you are using a different gauge or want a different size, by all means use a different number of stitches. This pattern is easily adaptable.
3. Work for 1-1/4" (or desired length) in plain rib, either 1x1 or 2x2. Cut, leaving a tail to weave in later.