



# Ballerina - Felted

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## Materials

2 (2, 2, 2) balls of 100 g Woolpower col. 12

Single pointed needles 7 mm

Stitch markers

## Yarn

Woolpower, Happy Sheep

100% wool, 100 g = 160 m

## Gauge

Before felting:

14 stitches and 28 needles on 10 cm

After felting:

22 stitches and 42 needles on 10 cm

## Purchase your yarn here

<http://shop.hobbii.com/ballerina-feltd>

## Shoe size

Shoe size: 35/36 (37/38, 39/40, 41/42)

Foot length: approx. 20 (22, 24, 26) cm

## Measurements

Length: Measured in the middle from cast-on row to cast-off row

Before felting: 31 (34, 37, 40) cm

After felting: approx. 22 (24, 26, 28) cm

## Pattern information

The shoes are worked in garter stitch. The cast-on row is the heel. The project is worked together in the heel and at the toe/on top of the foot. Hereafter you wash the shoes in the washing machine at 40 degrees. Pull and shape the shoes when wet.

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Have fun making this pattern!

### Edge stitches

Work the edge stitches on all rows, along the foot and instep, as follows: Slip the first stitch as to knit and purl the last stitch.

### Foot

CO 28 (30, 32, 34) stitches and knit 1 row.

#### Work in garter stitch and increase for the heel as follows:

Knit 14 (15, 15, 17) stitches, M1 and work the rest of the row.

Repeat this row until you have 34 (36, 38, 40) stitches.

Continue until piece measures 19 (21, 24, 26) cm.

### Instep

CO 6 (6, 6, 6) stitches on each side of piece = 46 (48, 50, 52) stitches.

Continue working in garter stitch over all stitches until piece measures 28 (31, 34, 37) cm.

### Toe

#### Begin decreasing for the toe

**1<sup>st</sup> decrease:** Knit 9 (10, 10, 11) stitches, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k until there are 14 (15, 15, 16) stitches left on row, k2tog, k1, k2tog and work the rest of row = 4 stitches decreased.

**2<sup>nd</sup> decrease:** Knit 8 (9, 9, 10) stitches, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k until there are 13 (14, 14, 15) stitches left on row, k2tog, k1, k2tog and work the rest of row = 4 stitches decreased.

**3<sup>rd</sup> decrease:** Knit 7 (8, 8, 9) stitches, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k until there are 12 (13, 13, 14) stitches left on row, k2tog, k1, k2tog and work the rest of row = 4 stitches decreased.

**4<sup>th</sup> decrease:** Knit 6 (7, 7, 8) stitches, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k until there are 11 (12, 12, 13) stitches left on row, k2tog, k1, k2tog and work the rest of row = 4 stitches decreased.

**5<sup>th</sup> decrease:** Knit 5 (6, 6, 7) stitches, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k until there are 10 (11, 11, 12) stitches left on row, k2tog, k1, k2tog and work the rest of row = 4 stitches decreased.

**6<sup>th</sup> decrease:** Knit 4 (5, 5, 6) stitches, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k until there are 9 (10, 10, 11) stitches left on row, k2tog, k1, k2tog and work the rest of row = 4 stitches decreased = 22 (24, 26, 28) stitches.

Bind off all stitches.

### Assembly

Sew the heel together (cast-on edge). Sew the shoe together beginning at the cast-on stitches on the instep until cast-off edge.

Sew the toe together (cast-off edge).

Work one more ballerina shoe in the same way.

### How to felt

Wash the shoes in a washing machine on a normal 40-degree programme (not on a delicate- or wool programme) together with a towel and a little bit of soap. When wet, you can pull the shoes into shape or put them on to get the right shape.