Chunky Slipper Socks

Sz 8 double pointed needles Bulky Yarn (Bernat Softee Chunky was used)

Cuff: Cast on 34 st. Do K1 P1 ribbing for 12 rows.

Heel Flap:

Knit across 17 stitches; put the rest of the stitches on spare needle/holder.

- 1. Turn. *Slip 1, purl 1* across. Purl last stitch.
- 2. Turn. Slip 1st st, knit across.

Repeat these two rows until you have about 20 rows, ending with a purl row.

Turning the Heel:

- 1. Sl 1, Knit 11 st, turn.
- 2. Sl 1, purl 6 st, turn.
- 3. Sl 1, knit to 1 st before gap, k2 together, k 1, turn.
- 4. Sl 1, purl to 1 st before gap, p2 together, p 1, turn.

Repeat the last two rows until you run out of stitches. You may not be able to knit/purl the last stitch on the last knit/purl row.

End on a knit row.

Pick up stitches around the heel.

Arrange stitches on the needle so that you have 17 on the top needle and the beginning of the round is on the bottom of the foot.

Gusset:

- 1. Knit a plain row.
- Needle one: knit to last 3 stitches; K2Tog, K1 Needle two: continue rib pattern Needle three: k1, (slip 2 stitches knitwise, one at a time. Slide both back to the left needle and knit together) Knit to end of needle.

Repeat the last two rows until you have 10 stitches on Needles 1 and 3 (This makes 37 stitches total. Feel free to decrease back to 34, plus 1.)

Knit around evenly in pattern until the sock measures around 2.5" to 3" less than the desired length.

Quit working in pattern, and begin toe decreases.

Toe: (Repeat these 2 rounds)

- Needle one: knit to last 3 stitches, k2Tog, k1 Needle two: k1, K2 tog through the back loop, knit to last 3 stitches; k2Tog, k1 Needle three: k1, K2tog through the back loop, knit to end of row.
- 2. Knit.

When you have 12 stitches left, graft together. Weave in ends.

