



WELLY TOPPERS

MATERIALS

- Yarn:
 - Drops Cotton Merino DK
 - 2 x 50g ball in each of Yellow (shade 15)
 - 1 x 50g ball Green (shade 10)
 - 1 x 50g ball Blue (shade 9)
- Needles & accessories:
 - 4mm (UK 8, US 6) knitting needles
 - 4 medium-sized wooden buttons

YARN DETAIL

- Drops Cotton Merino
 - woolwarehouse.co.uk
 - 01926 882 818
- DK weight
- 50% wool, 50% cotton
- 50g/110m (120yds)
- Machine wash at 40°C
- £3.10

TENSION

29 sts and 42 rows over pattern on 4mm needles to make a 10cm or 4in square

FINISHED SIZE

Welly tops: 11 x 16cm (4¼ x 6¼in) when sewn together and rib turned over

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

- yf take yarn to front of work between needles
yb take yarn to back of work between needles

YARN ALTERNATIVES

- Sirdar Cotton DK
 - sirdar.co.uk
- Patons Washed Cotton DK
 - makeitcoats.com



Ramp up your green-fingered glamour with this gorgeous set of garden knits. Whether you're in the market for a new apron, relish the idea of warmer planting-out hands or just want to add some wow to your wellies – there's something here to get your knitting juices flowing.

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With 4mm needles cast on 93 sts in Yellow.

Row 1: P1, *k3, p1 rep from * to end.

Row 2: K1, *p3, k1 rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form the rib.

Work a further 2 rows in rib.

Now work in pattern as follows:

Change to Blue.

Row 1 (RS): P1, *k1, yf, sl1, yb, k1, p1, rep from * to end.

Row 2 (WS): K1, sl 1, p1, yb, sl 1, k1 rep from * to end.

Change to Green.

Work rows 1 and 2 of pattern.

Change to Yellow.

Work rows 1 and 2 of pattern.

Cont in stripe and pattern until work measures 8cm (3¼in) and end with Green on a WS row

Change to Yellow.

Next row (RS): P1, *k3, p1 rep from * to end.

Next row: K1, *p3, k1 rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form the rib.

Work in rib for a further 13 rows.

Cast off.



Add matching rustic wooden buttons to section off the top of your apron pocket

MAKING UP

- 1 Sew in all loose ends.
- 2 Sew back seam using mattress stitch.
- 3 Fold over rib and attach a button to both sides at top.

