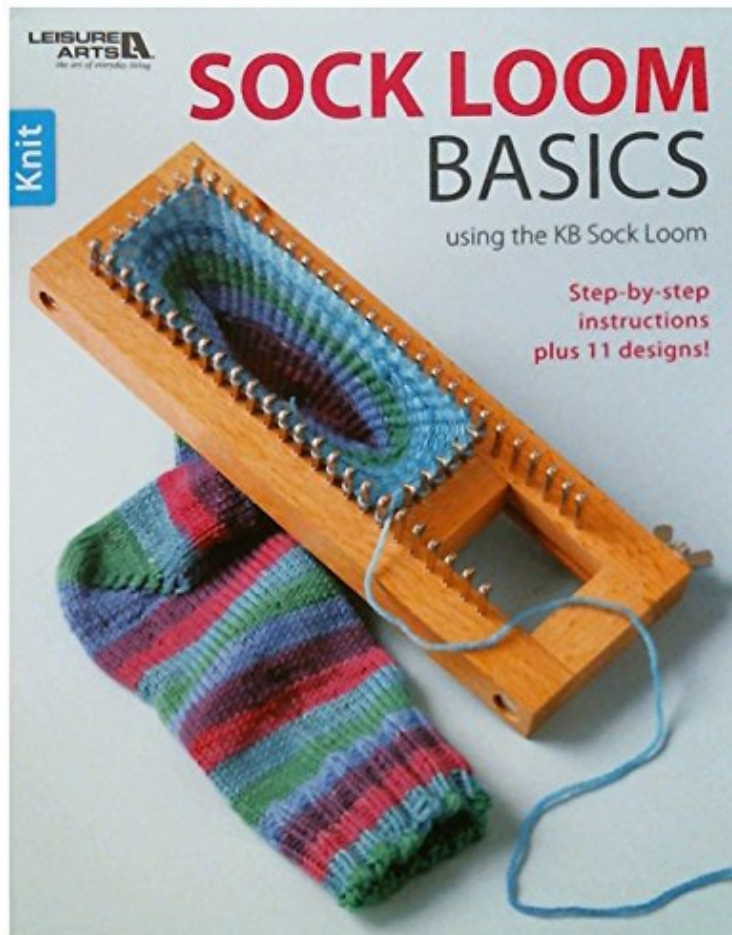


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5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Disappointed.By Ruth Walden-TurekI was so disappointed in this book. I read a review by someone who was supposedly new to the loom knitting world, so I followed her suggestion. I tried using the book for basic instructions, but there really aren't enough instruction. I ended up searching for videos online to understand how to do the heal and how to measure how many rows I would need, and still my 1st sock came out too short in the foot. So I made a 2nd one altering my 1st one, but still that wasted yarn and time. Bummer, because it seems like it should be a great book. My advise it buy the loom and then just search for videos online.2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Would have liked better info for sizesBy M. KooimanI bought a sock loom at a craft store but it had been a returned item and didn't include any patterns. the loom I bought is adjustable so this book looked like the perfect accessory. The instructions are fairly good for someone who has already learned the basic techniques. My one complaint is that it doesn't give you an easy way to determine how many pegs to use. Instead, it

provides a somewhat complicated formula that involves measuring the circumference of your foot. I did some google research and found where someone said how many pegs she uses for her own socks and went with that. It would have been nice if they could have provided a chart that says Women's size X shoe use Y pegs, Men's size W shoe use Z pegs, and so on. After all, when I go to the store to buy socks, the package says they fit range ABC and don't ask you to measure the circumference of your foot. Getting past the sizing issue, the patterns look like they will make some fun socks and I can't wait to try them. I'm working on the basic sock for now and am pleased that the instructions for the heel are straight forward. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Excellent very clear instructions! By Ky Woman Even though I love to hand knit circular sox, I wanted to try this way of doing it too. The book is very clear and explains how to loom them. I'm sure that it takes me longer to loom them rather than by hand because I've been knitting sox for a very long time and am new to the looming technique (which I love). This is a great book for teaching, as a visual learner, there are a lot of pictures to show step by step how to make the sox. Thank you!

Everyone loves hand-knitted socks! And now you can knit custom socks for everyone on your gift list--even if you've never knitted anything before! The adjustable KB Sock Loom makes it easy. Just move the center adjustable slider to the desired setting, and create the perfect size sock. You'll love making the 11 great designs in this book. The exciting patterns range from tiny socks for preemies to roomy socks for adults. They include Mock Cable Socks, Beaded Socks, and Pedicure Socks for women; Ribbed Socks for men; and even a Premie Hat. Along with the patterns, we've included handy tips on how to adjust the sizes to fit a larger or smaller foot. You'll be an expert in no time!

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