

(Read now) Sock Yarn Studio: Hats, Garments, and Other Projects Designed for Sock Yarn

Sock Yarn Studio: Hats, Garments, and Other Projects Designed for Sock Yarn

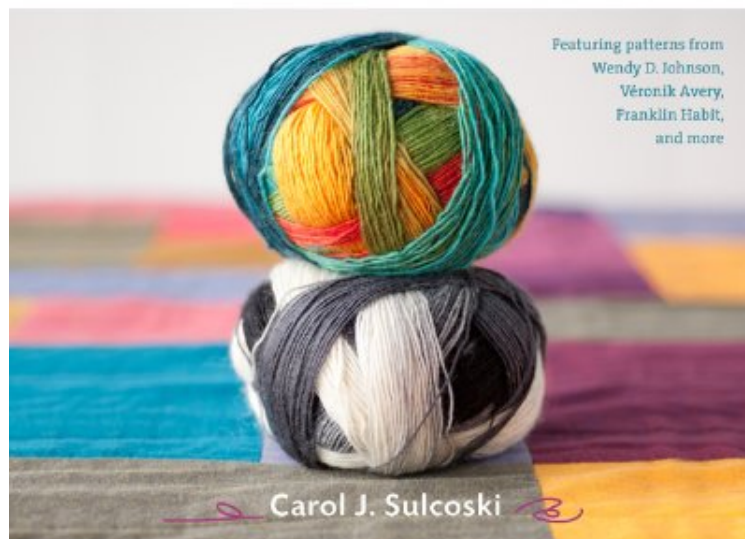
Carol J. Sulcoski

**Download PDF | ePub | DOC | audiobook | ebooks*



Sock YARN STUDIO

HATS, GARMENTS, AND OTHER PROJECTS
DESIGNED FOR SOCK YARN



#810948 in Books 2012-10-02Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 10.00 x 8.25 x .751, #File Name: 1454702850144 pages | File size: 20.Mb

Carol J. Sulcoski : Sock Yarn Studio: Hats, Garments, and Other Projects Designed for Sock Yarn before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Sock Yarn Studio: Hats, Garments, and Other Projects Designed for Sock Yarn:

20 of 20 people found the following review helpful. Beautiful and Chock Full of InspirationBy Joseph R. WilcoxSock Yarn Studio: Hats, Garments, and Other Projects Designed for Sock Yarn has everything I want in a knitting book.Firstly, it has a great concept. I love working with finer gauge yarns, and like Carol Sulcoski's first knitting book, Knit So Fine, this one explores everything about sock yarns. There's a full introduction to sock yarn and how they are categorized and some of the best uses for each.Second, the book has great designs. From simple, to moderately complex, the designs are innovative and beautiful. The instructions are clear and concise as well.Finally, the book provides seemingly unlimited inspiration. Inspiration in ways to use patterning yarns, shaping for knee-high socks,

color choices that are beautiful and unexpected (there is a stunningly beautiful baby cardigan in beige - showing that pastels aren't the be-all, end-all of colors for baby knits) and ways to exploit the versatility and abundance of a yarn I have explored a lot already in my knitting. For any knitter, having this book in their library will provide them with a constant source of ideas and designs. 31 of 33 people found the following review helpful. Making Great Projects with Sock Yarn By Fairbanks Reader - Bonnie Brody What a gift this book is. There are so many ways and reasons to use sock yarn for projects, and Carol Sulcoski gives us loads of them. Just think - the majority of sock yarns are washable, fingering weight, pliable and tightly spun. They come in solids, self-patterning, multi-colored and hand-dyed variegated. The book contains several one-skein projects that are lovely. The Calico Scarf is knitted with a variegated yarn and has a back sewn on. It is colorful and feminine. The Compostela Scarf is also colorful with blending shades making wonderful hues. The Habitude Lace Scarf is good for either gender and is knit in a lace pattern "inspired by men who love holes in their knitting". The Anu Baby Hat is just charming. It would make a great gift. There are one-skein, two-skein, three-skein and larger projects. I could just go on and on. For those of us who love the feel of knitting with fingering and lace yarn, you are bound to find something you love in this book. The book is worth buying for the Lizalu Blanket pattern alone. Enjoy! 23 of 24 people found the following review helpful. Educational and inspiring By Customer One of the things that Carol Sulcoski does best is evident in her newest book - she includes educational content beyond simple knitting technique. As an independent dyer she has included content on how to use sock yarn in a way that makes you understand that there are different ways yarn is dyed that affects your finished product. The projects showcase solid, semi-solid, striped or patterning, as well as multi-colored yarns to their best use. Projects range from super-easy, making this a book for newer knitters who want to try a quick project with sock yarn and who may be afraid of knitting socks. In addition, skilled knitters will find some great colorwork projects to inspire the combination of skeins in their plentiful stashes.

Knitting socks and knitting with hand-painted yarns are two hot trends. But what are knitters to do with leftover sock yarn? Or when they burn out on knitting socks? Sock Yarn Studio comes to the rescue with a delightful mix of projects--from one-skein hats, mittens, and scarves to multi-skein wraps, sweaters, and more--created with fingering or sport-weight sock yarns. And there's plenty of helpful advice for selecting yarns and knitting smart with tricky hand-paints and self-patterning yarns.

"some great ways to deploy some of the yarn you purchased back in the day when [sock yarn] 'didn't count as stash.' ...This is not meant to diss socks, but it's refreshing to see the work of talented dyers--and designers--liberated from inside a shoe." - Vogue Knitting "I was overjoyed to see this book!...Carol does an excellent job...She covers fiber content, ply, gauge and most spectacularly color and patterning in sock yarn. She talks about how to make color and patterning work apart from socks... Carol Sulcoski is the sorceress of sock yarn." -- Knitty.com Praise for Sock Yarn Studio: