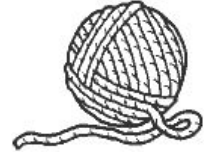


Averages for Determining Yarn Sizes and Substitutions



Yarn Type	Typical Gauge	Wraps per Inch (wpi)	Yards per Pound (ypp)	Recommended Needle Size
Ultrafine (lace or baby weight)	8+ /inch 32+ /10cm	18 or more	2600	00–2 2–3mm
Fine (fingering weight)	6–8 /inch 24–32 /10cm	16	1900–2400	2–4 3–3.75mm
Medium (sport weight)	5–6 /inch 20–24 /10cm	14	1200–1800	4–6 3.75–4.5mm
Heavy (worsted weight)	4–5 /inch 16–20 /10cm	12	900–1200	7–9 5–6mm
Bulky	3–4 /inch 12–16 /10cm	10	600–800	10–10 1/2 6.5–7.5mm
Very Bulky	2–3 /inch 8–12 /10cm	8 or fewer	400–500	13–15 9–10mm


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