

APPROXIMATE YARDAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR GANSEYS

Garment Chest Size (Includes Ease)	Approximate Garment Length	Yardage	Number of Cones	Number of Balls
36"	23¼"	2000	2	9
38"	24¼"	2150	2	9
40"	24¾"	2300	2	10
42"	25½"	2450	2 + 1 ball	11
44"	26¼"	2600	2½	11
46"	27¾"	2825	2½	12
48"	28¾"	3050	2½	13
50"	29¼"	3225	2½	14
52"	30¼"	3450	2½	15
54"	31¼"	3675	3 + 1 ball	16

- ❖ Use this table **only as an approximation**. It is always better to have one or two extra balls than not enough, and can be used to knit hats, mittens, socks, etc.
- ❖ The above table assumes a gauge of 28 stitches per 4 inches /10 cm (7 stitches per inch)
- ❖ The table assumes the garment patterning consists of knit/purl motifs. If using cables, add more yardage. If the garment is covered in cables, add 30% more to the stated amount.
- ❖ Different dyes can affect the grist (thickness) of the yarn, so that two yarns of the same brand may be noticeably different.
- ❖ Length of the garment will affect the yardage, and will vary from this table.
- ❖ You may wish to purchase an extra ball for swatching.
- ❖ Ball yardage and weight by Brand

Wendy Guernsey 5-ply:	245 yards/ 224 meters per 100 g ball
Frangipani Guernsey 5-ply:	240 yards/ 219 meters per 100 g ball
Meian Guernsey 5-ply:	233 yards/ 213 meters per 100 g ball
❖ Blacker Guernsey 5-ply:	126 yards/ 116 meters per 50 g ball
Scottish Fleet (Alice Starmore)	245 yards/ 224 meters per 100 g ball
Creskeld Guernsey 5-ply	246 yards/ 225 meters per 100 g ball
- ❖ Frangipani Cones = 1200 yards/ 1097 meters per 500 g cone.
Half-cones = 600 yards/ 548 meters per 125 g cone
- ❖ This Guernsey yarn is breed-specific, so that depending on the breed, the weight and/or yardage may vary from another breed of Blacker Guernsey yarn.