

YARN WEIGHT CONVERSIONS

US symbol	Yarn weight name & range of m/ yds per 100g in UK, Australia & US*
 0 LACE	600m+/ 655yds+ per 100g UK - Lace Australia - 2 ply US - 0 Lace
 1 SUPER FINE	420-580m/ 460-635yds per 100g UK - 3 ply/ heavy lace-weight Australia - 3 ply US - 1 Fingering/ sock/ baby
 2 FINE	260-480m/ 285/ 525yds per 100g UK - 4 ply (260m-480m) Australia - 5 ply (260-340m/ 285-370yds) or 4 ply (360-480m/ 395-525yds) US - 2 Sport/ baby
 3 LIGHT	210-250m/ 230-275yds per 100g UK - DK (double knitting) Australia - 8 ply US - 3 DK (double knitting)/ light worsted
 4 MEDIUM	130-200m/ 140-220yds per 100g UK - Aran Australia - 10 ply US - 4 Worsted
 5 BULKY	90-120m/ 100-130yds per 100g UK - Chunky Australia - 12 ply US - 5 Chunky, bulky
 6 SUPER BULKY	40-80m/ 45-85yds per 100g UK - Super Chunky Australia - 14 ply US - 6 Bulky, roving
 7 JUMBO	<40m/ 45yds per 100g US - 7 Jumbo/roving

There are many ways to categorise yarn weights. The best option is to ignore the names and symbols and look at the m/ yds per 100g stated in the pattern and printed on the yarn band.