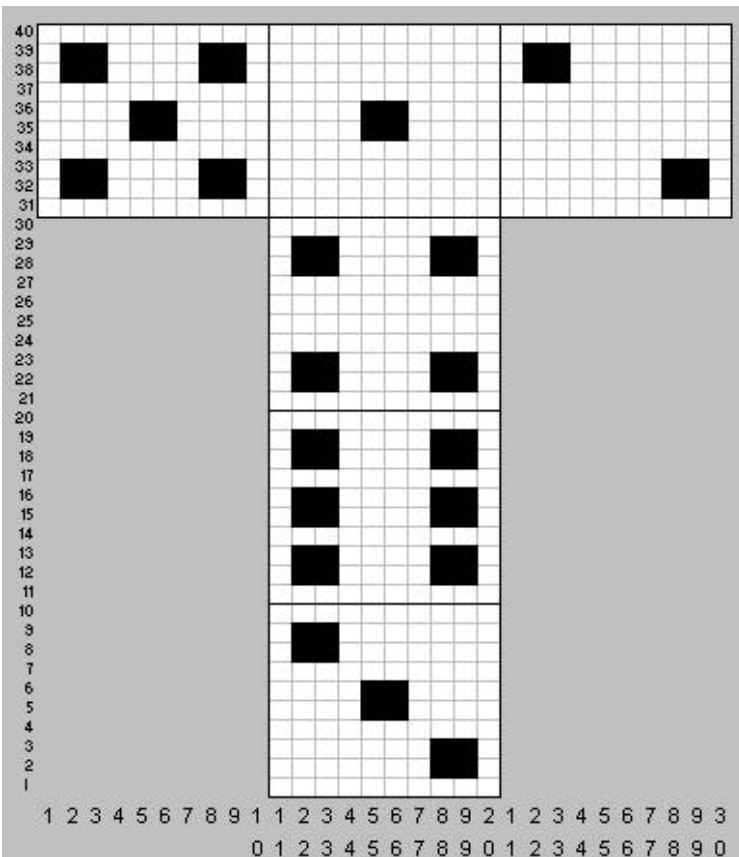


## Knitted Dice Pattern

For a little while, the hot game with my family was Yahtzee. For no particular reason, I thought I'd try knitting a set of five dice (which is what you need to play Yahtzee).

They're better for show than for playing, as the roundy edges don't always make it clear what number was rolled, but they're still fun. Making them was quick, so it's a good project to use up ends of skeins.

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### Materials:

*Yarn:* Worsted or medium weight (you'll need two different colors)

*Needles:* two double-pointed #5

### Pattern:

Follow the chart at left, starting at the bottom with row 1.

- Cast on 10 sts
- Work as stockinette stitch, picking up the contrasting color as the chart calls indicates (I just carried this yarn loosely behind the work so as to avoid weaving in a lot of ends)
- After row 30, cast on 10 new sts, work the existing 10 sts, then cast on 10 more
- After row 40, bind off 30 sts
- I made little wooden cubes about 3/4" in size (adjust to fit your finished work), folded my knitting around it, and then sewed up the edges

I know that using wooden centers is kind of cheating, but that's just too bad. These dice really can't be used for play, anyway.

A typical roll is at right, and you can see one of them is lying right on edge - it would have been a full house, too, I'm sure.

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