

Materials:

- worsted weight cotton yarn
- US Size 7 knitting needles

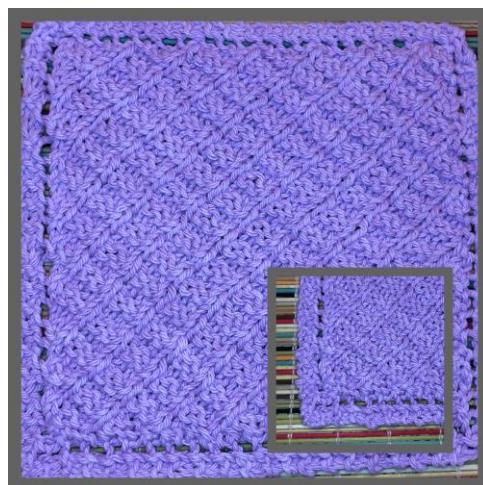
Gauge: not critical to the project

Directions:

Cast on 4 stitches

Set-up rows:

- Row 1: Knit
 Rows 2-4: K2, YO, K to end
 Row 5: K2, YO, K1, P1, K3
 Row 6: K2, YO, K1, P2, K3
 Row 5: K2, YO, K1, K2, P1, K3. (10 sts)



Increases Rows:

- Row 1: K2, YO, K to end
 Row 2: K2, YO, K1, P to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 3: K2, YO, K1, P1, K1, *P2, k1*, repeat from *to* to last 4 sts, P1, K3
 Row 4: K2, YO, *K2, P1*, repeat from *to* to last 5 sts, K5
 Row 5: K2, YO, K to end
 Row 6: K2, YO, K1, P to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 7: K2, YO, K2, *P2, k1*, repeat from *to* to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 8: K2, YO, K1, P1, *K2, P1*, repeat from *to* to last 4 sts, K4
 Row 9: K2, YO, K to end
 Row 10: K2, YO, K1, P to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 11: K2, YO, K1, K2, *K2, P1*, repeat from *to* to last 2 sts, K2
 Row 12: K2, YO, K1, *K2, P1*, repeat from *to* to last 3 sts, K3 (22 sts)
 Repeat rows 1-12 two more times (34 sts / 46 sts)

Decreases Pattern:

- Row 1: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K to end
 Row 2: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, P to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 3: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K1, (P2, K1) repeat to last 2 sts, K2
 Row 4: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, P1, (K2, P1) repeat to last 4 sts, K4
 Row 5: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K to end
 Row 6: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, P to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 7: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, P1, K1, (P2, K1) repeat to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 8: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K1, P1, (K2, P1) repeat to last 5 sts, K5
 Row 9: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K to end
 Row 10: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, P to last 3 sts, K3
 Row 11: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, (P2, K1) repeat to last 4 sts, P1, K3
 Row 12: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, (K2, P1) repeat to last 3 sts, K3
 Repeat decrease rows two more times.

- Row 1: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K to end
 Row 2: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, P1, K3
 Row 3: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K to end
 Row 4: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, K to end
 Row 5: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog (4 sts)

Bind off and weave in loose ends.

