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Scalloped Placemats and Coasters

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SKILL

Knitting

DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

One size

Note: Pattern is for a set of four placemats and four coasters.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Coasters:

Diameter: 4½"

Placemats:

Diameter: 12"

MATERIALS

[Universal Yarn Clean Cotton](#) (85% recycled cotton, 15% recycled polyester; 75g/131 yds)

- 113 Allium - 4 balls (*See Pattern Notes*)

Needle: US Size 8 (5 mm) DPNs (or your preferred needle for small circumferences) and 24" circular *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, spare US Size 8 (5 mm) DPNs or circular needle

GAUGE

16 sts x 24 rows = 4" in Stockinette stitch (St st)

Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

Who doesn't need a set of adorably scalloped, handknit coasters and placemats out of a yarn that is both good for you *and* the environment? Our 100% recycled fiber Clean Cotton yarn is the best choice for home décor projects like this one. Make a set for yourself and one for a friend!

These coasters and placemats are knit in the round from the center out. Circular increases create the spiral shaping with a loopy I-cord bind-off for the scalloped edging.

This pattern calls for enough yarn to make a full set of four coasters and four placemats. Each set of one coaster and one placemat requires one ball of Clean Cotton. If you wish to make more than four sets, please purchase an additional skein for each additional set.

STITCH GUIDE

Loopy I-cord Bind-off

(multiple of 3 sts)

Step 1: * Knit 3, slip sts back to LH ndl; rep from * 5 more times (*this will create a short I-cord*).

Step 2: Hold RH ndl parallel to LH needle, (*as you would in a three-needle bind-off*), using a spare ndl, k2tog 1 st from each ndl, slip resulting 3 sts. back to LH ndl.

Rep Steps 1-2 until 3 sts rem. Bind off rem sts using a standard bind-off method.

PATTERN BEGINS

COASTERS

(Make 4 alike)

With DPNs or your preferred ndl for knitting small circumferences, cast on 4 sts, PM and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist.

Set-up Rnd 1: Knit.

Set-up Rnd 2: * [Kfb], pm; rep from * to end - 4 sts inc'd, 8 sts.

Set-up Rnd 3: * [Kfb]; rep from * to end, slipping markers as you come to them - 8 sts inc'd, 16 sts.

Even Rnd: Knit.

Inc Rnd: * Knit to 1 st bef m, kfb, sl m; rep from * to end - 4 sts inc'd, 20 sts.

Rep Even Rnd and Inc Rnd, 7 more times, ending with an Even Rnd - 28 sts inc'd, 48 sts.

PLACEMATS

(Make 4 alike)

Note: Change to 24" circular ndl when there are too many stitches to fit comfortably on DPNs.

With DPNs or your preferred ndl for knitting small circumferences, cast on 4 sts, PM and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist.

Set-up Rnd 1: Knit.



Set-up Rnd 2: * [Kfb], pm; rep from * to end - 4 sts inc'd, 8 sts.

Set-up Rnd 3: * [Kfb]; rep from * to end, slipping markers as you come to them - 8 sts inc'd, 16 sts.

Even Rnd: Knit.

Inc Rnd: * Knit to 1 st bef m, kfb, sl m; rep from * to end - 4 sts inc'd, 20 sts.

Rep Even Rnd and Inc Rnd, 31 more times, ending with an Even Rnd - 124 sts inc'd, 144 sts.

Bind off all sts using the Loopy I-cord Bind-off method.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
kfb	knit into front and back of next st (1 st inc'd)
LH	left hand
m	marker
ndl	needle
pm	place marker
rem	remaining
rep	repeat
RH	right hand
rnd(s)	round(s)
sl	slip
st(s)	stitch(es)

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