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Don't Be Square! Knit-a-long Extravaganza
#18 Nupp Beginnings
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FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
8½ x 8½"

MATERIALS
Universal Yarn *Uptown Worsted*
(100% anti-pilling acrylic;
100g/180 yds)
- 316 Turquoise

Needles: US Size 8 (5 mm)
straight *or size needed to obtain gauge*
Notions: Cable needle (cn),
tapestry needle

GAUGE
17 sts x 21 rows = 4" in St st
Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

PATTERN NOTES
Check out our Knit-a-long Extravaganza video for tips on working a Nupp.

STITCH GUIDE
2x2 Right Purl Cross (RPC): Sl next 2 sts to cn and hold in back, k2 from left ndl, p2 from cn

2x2 Left Purl Cross (LPC): Sl next 2 sts to cn and hold in front, p2 from left ndl, k2 from cn

Nupp *(worked over 2 rows)*

Row 1 (RS): [K1, yo, k1, yo, k1, yo, k1] all into st indicated – 6 sts inc'd.

Row 2 (WS): P7tog. (or, insert crochet hook purlwise through all 7 sts, yarn over and draw through all sts – 1 st rem.

Right Purl Twist (RPT): Skip the first stitch on the left needle and knit the second stitch through the front loop, now purl the the first stitch and slip both sts from the left ndl.

Left Purl Twist (LPT): Skip the first st on the left ndl and purl the second st through the back loop from behind the work, now knit the first st on the left ndl through the front loop and slip both stitches from the left ndl.

NUPP BEGINNINGS
Cast on 36 sts.

Rows 1-4: Knit.

Row 5: K5, m1, knit to last 5 sts, m1, k5 – 38 sts.

Row 6: Knit.

Row 7 (RS): K3, [p1, k1] 7 times, k4, [k1, p1] 7 times, k3.

Row 8: K3, [p1, k1] 7 times, p4, [k1, p1] 7 times, k3.

Rows 9-12: Rep Rows 7 & 8, 2 times.

Row 13: K3, [p1, k1] 6 times, 2x2 RPC, 2x2 LPC, [k1, p1] 6 times, k3.

Row 14: K3, [p1, k1] 6 times, p2, k4, p2, [k1, p1] 6 times, k3.

Row 15: K3, [p1, k1] 5 times, 2x2 RPC, p4, 2x2 LPC, [k1, p1] 5 times, k3.

Row 16: K3, [p1, k1] 5 times, p2, k8, p2, [k1, p1] 5 times, k3.

Row 17: K3, [p1, k1] 4 times, 2x2 RPC, p1, Nupp, p4, Nupp, 2x2 LPC, [k1, p1] 4 times, k3.

Row 18: K3, [p1, k1] 4 times, p2, k3, Nupp, k4, Nupp, k3, p2, [k1, p1] 4 times, k3.

Row 19: K3, [p1, k1] 3 times, 2x2 RPC, p1, Nupp, p2, RPT, LPT, p2, Nupp, p1, 2x2 LPC, [k1, p1] 3 times, k3.

Row 20: K3, [p1, k1] 3 times, p2, k3, Nupp, [k2, p1] 2 times, k2, Nupp, k3, p2, [k1, p1] 3 times, k3.

Row 21: K3, [p1, k1] 2 times, 2x2 RPC, p1, Nupp, p3, RPT, p2, LPT, p3, Nupp, p1, 2x2 LPC, [k1, p1] 2 times, k3.

Row 22: K3, [p1, k1] 2 times, p2, k3, Nupp, k3, p1, k4, p1, k3, Nupp, k3, p2, [k1, p1] 2 times, k3.

Row 23: K3, p1, k1, 2x2 RPC, p1, Nupp, p4, RPT, p4, LPT, p4, Nupp, p1, 2x2 LPC, k1, p1, k3.

Row 24: K3, p1, k1, p2, k3, Nupp, k4, p1, k6, p1, k4, Nupp, k3, p2, k1, p1, k3.

Row 25: K3, p1, k3, p2, Nupp, p5, k1, p6, k1, p5, Nupp, p2, k3, p1, k3.

Row 26: K3, p1, k1, p2, k2, Nupp, k5, p1, k6, p1, k5, Nupp, k2, p2, k1, p1, k3.

Row 27: K3, p1, k1, 2x2 LPC, p1, Nupp, p4, LPT, p4, RPT, p4, Nupp, p1, 2x2 RPC, k1, p1, k3.

Row 28: K3, [p1, k1] 2 times, p2, k1, Nupp, k5, p1, k4, p1, k5, Nupp, k1, p2, [k1, p1] 2 times, k3.

Row 29: K3, [p1, k1] 2 times, 2x2 LPC, p1, Nupp, p3, LPT, p2, RPT, p3, Nupp, p1, 2x2 RPC, [k1, p1] 2 times, k3.

Row 30: K3, [p1, k1] 3 times, p2, k1, Nupp, k4, p1, k2, p1, k4, Nupp, k1, p2, [k1, p1] 3 times, k3.

Row 31: K1, [p1, k1] 3 times, 2x2 LPC, p1, Nupp, p2, LPT, RPT, p2, Nupp, p1, 2x2 RPC, [k1, p1] 3 times, k3.

Row 32: K3, [p1, k1] 4 times, p2, k1, Nupp, k3, p2, k3, Nupp, k1, p2, [k1, p1] 4 times, k3.

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Row 33: K3, [p1, k1] 4 times, 2x2 LPC, p1, Nupp, p4, Nupp, p1, 2x2 RPC, [k1, p1] 4 times, k3.

Row 34: K3, [p1, k1] 5 times, p2, k1, Nupp, p4, Nupp, k1, p2, [k1, p1] 5 times, k3.

Row 35: K3, [p1, k1] 5 times, 2x2 LPC, p4, 2x2 RPC, [k1, p1] 5 times, k3.

Row 36: K3, [p1, k1] 6 times, p2, k4, p2, [k1, p1] 6 times, k3.

Row 37: K3, [p1, k1] 6 times, 2x2 LPC, 2x2 RPC, [k1, p1] 6 times, k3.

Row 38: K3, [p1, k1] 7 times, p4, [k1, p1] 7 times, k3.

Row 39: K3, [p1, k1] 7 times, k4, [k1, p1] 7 times, k3.

Rows 40-43: Rep Rows 38 & 37, 2 times.

Row 44: Rep Row 38.

Row 45: K4, k2tog, knit to last 6 sts, k2tog, k4 – 36 sts rem.

Rows 46-50: Knit.

Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

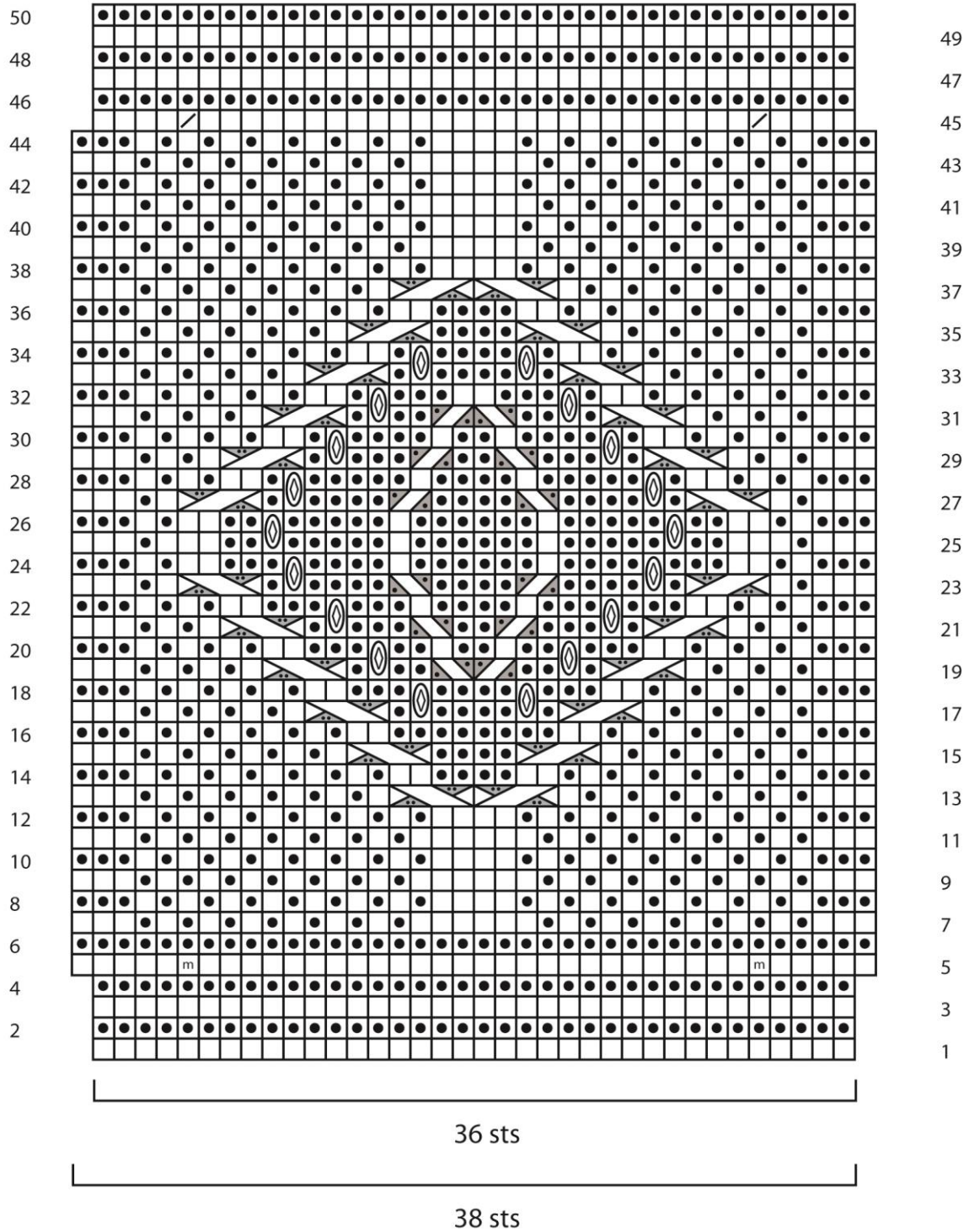Weave in ends. Steam block lightly to finished measurements.

Abbreviations

cn	cable needle
dec'd	decreased
inc'd	increased
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 sts together – 1 st dec'd
LPC	left purl cross
LPT	left purl twist
m1	make 1 stitch; place strand of yarn that is between the st on the right ndl and the one on the left ndl onto the left ndl and knit this strand through the back loop – 1 st inc'd.
P	purl
rem	remain
rep	repeat
RPC	right purl cross
RPT	right purl twist
RS	right side
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side

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Nupp Beginnings

Left side row numbers (bottom to top): 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50

Right side row numbers (bottom to top): 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49

36 sts

38 sts

Key

☐	knit on RS, purl on WS	▨ 2x2 RPC	
⊡	purl on RS, knit on WS	▨ 2x2 LPC	
m	make 1 stitch	◹ RPT	
╱	k2tog	◺ LPT	
		◊ Nupp	