



## MATERIALS

**Caron® Cotton Cakes™** (8.8 oz/250 g; 530 yds/485 m)  
Lilac (57028)

**5 balls**

Size U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume™ circular knitting needle  
29" [75 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.**



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Alt** = Alternate(ing)  
**Approx** = Approximately

**Beg** = Begin(ning)  
**Dec** = Decrease(ing)  
**Inc** = Increase(ing)

**K** = Knit

**K1tbl** = Knit next stitch through  
back of loop

**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches  
together

**Pat** = Pattern

**P2sso** = Pass 2 slipped stitches  
over

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**Sl2k** = Slip next 2 stitches  
knitwise together at once

**Ssk** = Slip next 2 stitches knitwise  
one at a time. Pass them back  
onto left-hand needle, then knit  
through back loops together.

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yo** = Yarn over

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 45" x 54" [114.5 x 137 cm],  
excluding tassels.

## GAUGE

20 sts and 26 rows = 4" [10 cm] in  
stocking stitch.

## INSTRUCTIONS

Cast on 243 sts. **Do not** join.  
Working back and forth across  
needle, knit 5 rows, noting 1st  
row is WS and inc 10 sts evenly  
across last row. 253 sts.

Proceed in pat as follows  
(multiple of 22 sts + 33). See chart  
on page 3.

**1st row:** (RS). K5. K1tbl. yo. K4.  
yo. K3. K2tog. \*Sl2k. K1. P2sso.  
ssk. K3. yo. K4. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K4.  
yo. K3. K2tog. Rep from \* 9 times  
more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**2nd and alt rows:** K5. Purl to last  
5 sts. K5.

**3rd row:** K9. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog.  
yo. \*K1tbl. yo. ssk. K3. yo. ssk.\*\*  
K7. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. yo. Rep  
from \* 9 times more, then from \*  
to \*\* once. K9.

**5th row:** K8. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K1. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K1. ssk. K3. yo. ssk.\*\* K5. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K1. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K8.

**7th row:** K7. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K2. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K2. ssk. K3. yo. ssk.\*\* K3. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K2. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K7.

**9th row:** K6. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K3. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K3. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. K1.\*\* K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K3. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**11th row:** K5. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K4. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K4. ssk. K3. yo.\*\* SI2K. K1. P2sso. yo. K3. K2tog. K4. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. ssk. K5.

**13th row:** K9. K2tog. K5. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K5. ssk.\*\* K7. K2tog. K5. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K9.

**15th row:** K8. K2tog. ssk. K3. yo. K1. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K1. yo. K3. K2tog. ssk.\*\* K5. K2tog. ssk. K3. yo. K1. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K8.

**17th row:** K7. K2tog. ssk. K3. yo. K2. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K2. yo. K3. K2tog. ssk.\*\* K3. K2tog. ssk. K3.

yo. K2. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K7.

**19th row:** K6. K2tog. ssk. (K3. yo) twice. \*K1tbl. (yo. K3) twice. K2tog. ssk.\*\* K1. K2tog. ssk. (K3. yo) twice. Rep from \* 9 times more then from \* to \*\* once. K6.

**21st row:** K5. K2tog. ssk. K3. yo. K4. yo. \*K1tbl. yo. K4. yo. K3. K2tog.\*\* SI2K. K1. P2sso. ssk. K3. yo. K4. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. ssk. K5.

**23rd row:** K5. K1tbl. (yo. ssk. K3) twice. \*K4. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. yo. K1tbl.\*\* (yo. ssk. K3) twice. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**25th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K1. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. K2. \*K3. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K1. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K1. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. K2. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**27th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K2. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. K1. \*K2. K2tog. ssk. K3. K2tog. K2. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K2. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. K1. Rep from \* 9 times more then, from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**29th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K3. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. \*K1. K2tog. yo. K3. K2tog. K3. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K3. ssk. K3. yo. ssk. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**31th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K4. ssk. K3. yo. \*SI2K. K1. P2sso. yo. K3. K2tog. K4. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K4. ssk. K3. yo. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**33th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K5. ssk. K3. \*K4. K2tog. K5. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K5. ssk. K3. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**35th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K1. yo. K3. K2tog. ssk. K2. \*K3. K2tog. ssk. K3. yo. K1. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K1. yo. K3. K2tog. ssk. K2. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**37th row:** K5. K1tbl. yo. K2. yo. K3. K2tog. ssk. K1. \*K2. K2tog. ssk. K3. yo. K2. yo. K1tbl.\*\* yo. K2. yo. K3. K2tog. ssk. K1. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

**39th row:** K5. K1tbl. (yo. K3) twice. K2tog. ssk. \*K1. K2tog. ssk. (K3. yo) twice. K1tbl.\*\* (yo. K3) twice. K2tog. ssk. Rep from \* 9 times more, then from \* to \*\* once. K5.

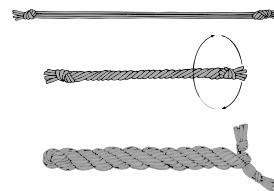
**40th row:** As 2nd row.

Rep last 40 rows for pat until work from beg measures approx 52" [132 cm], ending on 22nd or 40th row.

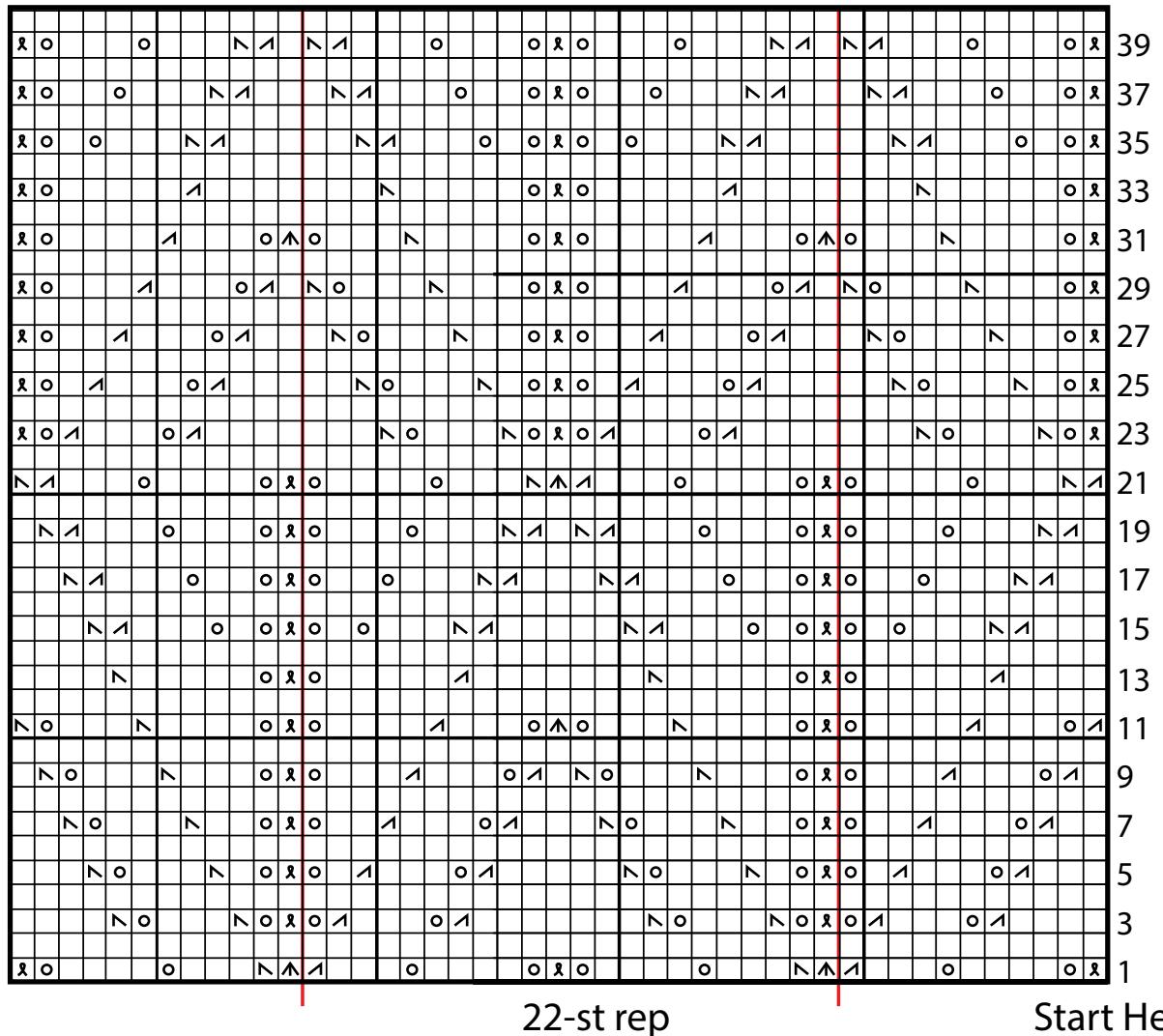
**Next row:** (RS). Knit, dec 10 sts evenly across. 243 sts.  
Knit 4 rows. Cast off knitwise.

### Twisted Cord Tassels

Cut 10 lengths of yarn 20" [51 cm] long. Thread all 10 strands tog through edge of Afghan. Have someone hold one end or attach end to a hook. Twist strands to the right until they begin to curl. Fold the 2 ends tog. Wrap yarn 10 times around cord 1½" [4 cm] from end; secure. The strands will now twist themselves tog. Trim end of tassels.



## Chart



Key

- = Knit on RS rows. Purl on WS rows
  - ▢ = Purl on RS rows. Knit on WS rows
  - ☒ = K2tog
  - ⤒ = SI2K. K1. P2sso.
  - ⤓ = ssk
  - = yo
  - ⤔ = K1tbl