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[origin: DE19616003A1] A process is disclosed for producing three-dimensional knitted fabrics. The number of stitches (18, 20) is diminished by hanging them in part of the needle bed on needles closer to the centre of the knitted fabric and then by knitting them again. The number of stitches (18, 20) is augmented by hanging them in part of the needle bed on needles further removed from the centre of the knitted fabric and then by knitting them again. Alternatively, needles in part of the needle bed may be inactivated on at least one row of stitches, then activated again.

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