CROCHETED DOILIES

The * is used in repeating -- 'repeat from *' -- means to repeat everything that follows the last *.

Chain = ch; slip stitch = sl st; single crochet = sc; double crochet = dc; treble crochet = tr; double treble crochet = dtr.

This pattern contains directions for three doilies. All are easy and quick to make in fine or heavy cotton.

MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS AND SIZES

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FIRST STYLE DOILY

1ST ROUND: Ch 6, join with a sl st into a ring, ch 4, 19 tr (thread twice around hook for a tr) into ring, a sl st in top st of first ch 4.

2ND ROUND: Ch 1, 1 sc in same st as sl st, * ch 9, skip a st, 1 sc in next st; repeat from * around, end with ch 9, a sl st in first sc of round (there are 10 chain loops in round).

3RD ROUND: A sl st in each of next 5 sts, ch 5, 6 dtr (thread three times around hook for a dtr) in same st as last sl st, * skip sc, 7 dtr in center st of next (ch 9) loop; repeat from * around, end with a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

4TH ROUND: Ch 5, 1 dtr in each of 6 dtr, * ch 5, 1 dtr in each of 7 dtr; repeat from * around, end with ch 5, a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

5TH ROUND: Ch 5, 1 dtr in each of 6 dtr, * ch 3, 5 dtr in center st of (ch 5) loop, ch 3, 1 dtr in each of 7 dtr; repeat from * around, end with ch 3, a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

6TH ROUND: Ch 5, work a 6 joined dtr st over next 6 dtr as follows: (thread three times around hook, draw up a loop in next st, thread over hook and through 2 loops, over and through 2 loops, over and through 2 loops) 6 times, thread over hook and through all 7 loops on hook, * ch 5, skip (ch 3) loop, 2 dtr in next st, 1 dtr in each of 3 sts, 2 dtr in next st, ch 5, skip (ch 3) loop, work a 7 joined dtr over next 7 sts as follows: (thread three times around hook, draw up a loop in next st, 'thread over hook and through 2 loops' 3 times) 7 times, thread over hook and through all 8 loops on hook; repeat from * around, end with ch 5, a sl st in top of first 6 joined dtr.

7TH ROUND: Ch 9, 1 dtr in same st as sl st, (ch 3, 1 dtr, ch 3 and 1 dtr) in same st as last dtr, * ch 3, skip (ch 5) loop, 2 dtr in next dtr, 1 dtr in each of 5 dtr, 2 dtr in next st, ch 3, (1 dtr, ch 3, 1 dtr, ch 3, 1 dtr, ch 3, 1 dtr, ch 3 and 1 dtr) all in top of 7 joined dtr; repeat from * around, end with ch 3, a sl st in 6th st of first ch 9.

8TH ROUND: Ch 10, 1 dtr in next dtr, (ch 4, 1 dtr in next dtr) twice, * ch 4, work a 3 joined dtr over next 3 dtr as follows: (thread three times around hook, draw up a loop in next st, 'thread over hook and through 2 loops' 3 times) 3 times, thread over hook and through all 4 loops on hook, 1 dtr in each of 3 dtr, a 3 joined dtr st over next 3 sts, (ch 4, skip ch 3 loop, 1 dtr in next dtr) 4 times; repeat from * around, end with ch 4, a sl st in 6th st of first ch 10.
ch 6, a shell in shell, turn, a shell in first shell, skip 2 chain loops, 3 tr in next (ch 2) loop, ch 1, turn, a sl st in next shell, ch 1, turn, 2 tr in same chain loop as last tr, ch 4, a sl st in same chain loop as last tr, a sl st in 2 sts, ch 4, a sl st in same chain loop as sl st below, a sl st in 2 sts, ch 4, a sl st in same chain loop as tr below, a sl st in 6 tr, a sl st in (ch 2) loop; repeat from * around; break off.

THIRD STYLE DOILY

1ST ROUND: Ch 9, join with a sl st into a ring, ch 8, a long st (thread four times around hook for a long st) into ring, * ch 3, a long st into ring; repeat from * 9 times, ch 3, a sl st in 6th st of first ch 9 at beginning of round (there are 12 chain loops in round).

2ND ROUND: Ch 5, 4 dtr (thread three times around hook for a dtr) in same st as sl st, * skip (ch 3) loop, ch 1, 5 dtr in next long st; repeat from * around, end with ch 1, a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

3RD ROUND: Ch 1, a sl st in last (ch 1) space made, ch 14, * skip 5 dtr, 1 dtr in (ch 1) space, ch 9; repeat from * around, end with a sl st in 5th st of first ch 14.

4TH ROUND: Ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * 5 dtr in center st of (ch 9) loop, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end with a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

5TH ROUND: Ch 3, 1 dtr in same st as sl st, skip 4 dtr, work a V st of (1 dtr, ch 3 and 1 dtr) in next st, (skip 4 dtr, a V st in next st) twice, * (skip 4 dtr, a V st in next st, skip 2 dtr, a V st in next st, (skip 4 dtr, a V st in next st) 3 times; repeat from * around, end with skip a dtr, a V st in next dtr, a sl st in 5th st of first ch 8 (there are 30 sts in round including first ch 8).

6TH ROUND: Ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * (skip a dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr) 4 times, ch 7, skip a dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end with ch 7, a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

7TH ROUND: A sl st in 5 dtr, ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * 5 dtr in first dtr of each of next 3 (5 dtr groups, ch 3, 1 dtr in first st of (ch 7) loop, (ch 3, 1 dtr in next st of chain) 6 times, ch 3, skip 5 dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end with ch 3, a sl st in top st of first ch 5.

8TH ROUND: A sl st in each of 5 dtr, ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * 5 dtr in first dtr of each of next 2 (5 dtr) groups, ch 3, skip ch 3 loop, a V st in next dtr) 7 times, ch 3, skip 5 dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end as last round.

9TH ROUND: A sl st in 5 dtr, ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * skip 4 dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr, (ch 3, a V st in ch 3 loop of next V st) 7 times, ch 3, skip (ch 3) loop and following 5 dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end as before.

10TH ROUND: A sl st in 5 dtr, ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * (ch 5, skip ch 3 loop, 1 dtr in next ch 3 loop, ch 4, 1 sc in 4th st from hook, 1 dtr in same chain loop as last dtr) 7 times, ch 5, skip (ch 3) loop and following 5 dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end with ch 5, a sl st in top st of first ch 5; break off.

STARCHING AND BLOCKING: Use a hot solution of starch (following the directions on package of starch) or use a sugar solution (of one cup of sugar to a boiling cup of water). Wet crocheted doily first, then dip crochet in the solution; stretch and pin doily to correct size and shape on a padded surface; stretch and adjust ruffle on ruffled doily to desired shape. Allow doily to dry completely before removing.

Details of Doilies are guides to check each round and row. Numbers in circles indicate the rounds.

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8TH ROUND: A sl st in each of 5 dtr, ch 5, 4 dtr in same st as sl st, * 5 dtr in first dtr of each of next 2 (5 dtr) groups, ch 3, (skip ch 3 loop, a V st in next dtr) 7 times, ch 3, skip 5 dtr, 5 dtr in next dtr; repeat from * around, end as last round.

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