



# Diamond Squares Filet Doily

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This filet crochet doily is completely done without a chart. It is fun and easy to make for people who have done filet crochet before. It would make a great accent for any side or end table.

## Materials Needed

1½ oz size 10 crochet cotton in ecru. Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet 100% Mercerized Cotton was used in the example.  
Size 7 steel crochet hook  
Tapestry Needle for weaving in ends.  
Spray Starch for Blocking, (optional)

**Yarn Thickness:** 10 thread

**Gauge:** 8dc=1"

**Finished Size:** 12" x 12"

**Skill Level:** Intermediate



## Instructions

**RND 1:** Ch12. Join w/slst to first ch to form ring. Ch8. Dc in same st as slst. Ch2, sk 2 chs. \*Dc, ch5, dc in next ch. Ch2. Sk 2 chs. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch8.

**RND 2:** Ch5. Sk 2 chs. (Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Sk 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 chs. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 3:** Ch3. ([Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 chs. Dc, ch5, dc in next 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Sk 2 chs. Rep bet [] once. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc.) \*Dc in next dc. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 4:** Ch5. (Sk 2 dc. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in next 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Ch2.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 5:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2.] Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep

from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 6:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 sp. Ch2. Sk 2 chs. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 7:** Ch3. (Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2.] Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Sk2 dc.) \*Dc in next dc. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 8:** Ch5. (Sk 2 dc. Dc in each of the next 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2.] Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 9:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc.

[Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2.] Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 10:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Sk 2 dc. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Dc in next dc. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 11:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc. Ch2. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Sk 2 dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 12:** Ch5. ([Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc in next

dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of ch 5 corner sp. Ch2. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice.) Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 13:** Ch3. (Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 14:** Ch5. (Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 15:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc. Ch2. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, 4 times. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, 4 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3

times. Sk 2 dc.) Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 16:** Ch5. ([Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc.] Dc in next dc. Ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] twice. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 17:** Ch 3. ([Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc in next dc.] Rep bet [] once. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. [[Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc, ch2, 3 times. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc. ]] Rep bet [[ ]] once. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2.) \*Dc in next dc. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 18:** Ch5. (Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice.] Rep bet [] once. Sk 2 dc. [[Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc.]] Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] twice. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [[ ]] twice. Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 19:** Ch5. (Dc in next dc. Ch 2. [Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, 4 times. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc twice. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, 4 times. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 20:** Ch5. ([Dc in next dc. Dc in each of the next 2 chs. Dc in next dc.] Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc, ch5, dc in 3rd ch of the next ch5 corner sp. Ch2. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Dc in next dc, ch2, twice. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2, dc in next dc, twice. Ch2. Sk 2 dc. Rep bet [] once. Ch2. Dc in next dc. Ch2.) \*Dc in next dc. Ch2. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to 3rd ch of ch5.

**RND 21:** Ch3. Dc in each ch and dc around working 5 dc in the 3rd ch of each ch5 corner sp. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 22:** Ch1, sc in same st as slst. (Ch2, sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, 20 times. Ch2, sk 1 dc, sc in next dc, twice. Ch2, sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, 20 times. Ch2. Sk 2 dc.) \*Sc in next dc. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to first sc.

**RND 23:** Ch1. Sc in same st as slst. 3dc in next ch2 sp. \*Sc in next sc. 3dc in next ch2 sp. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to first sc. Fasten off and weave ends into back of work. Starch & iron as needed to keep it's shape.