Filet Christmas tree

Size 10 thread · US terms



Finished size
About 11½ in (29 cm) by 13¼ in (34 cm)

Skill
Easy
Worked in rows from a chart, every row written out as well.

Yarn
Lace (0)

Hook
1.5 mm (US steel 8)

Gauge
38 stitches to 4 in (10 cm)
In double crochet.

You will need

Yarn: pine green, lace (0) **about 150 yd (137 m), an estimate**

Fiber: cotton

Hook: 1.5 mm (US steel 8). Also: a yarn needle, scissors and rust-proof pins for blocking.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. The estimate is from the stitches and chains of this size at this gauge, with 15 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Size 10 thread (this file)	**11½ in (29 cm), 13¼ in (34 cm)**	**about 150 yd (137 m)**
DK cotton	26 in (66 cm), 29½ in (75 cm)	about 330 yd (302 m)
Worsted cotton	31 in (79 cm), 36 in (91 cm)	about 400 yd (366 m)

Abbreviations

Written in US terms. Where the UK name differs it is given beside the US one.

ch chain
sl st slip stitch (UK ss, slip stitch)
sc single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc double crochet (UK tr, treble)
sp space
st stitch
sk skip

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rnd	round
RS	right side
WS	wrong side

Special stitches

picot (Picot): Ch 3, sl st in the 3rd ch from hook. It leaves 1 picot for the next row.

Gauge

38 stitches to 4 in (10 cm) in double crochet. Along a row, count every stitch and every chain between stitches as one.

12.7 meshes and 14.6 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in open filet mesh. If you count more than this, use a larger hook; if fewer, a smaller one.

Before you start

- A ch 1 at the start of a row or round does not count as a stitch.
- When the next stitch or space of a kind is named, pass over anything else that comes before it. Work into a space round the chain, not into it.
- An open mesh is ch 2, sk 2 sts or a ch-2 sp, dc in next dc. A solid mesh is 3 dc: one in each of 3 dc, or 2 in a ch-2 sp and 1 in the dc after it.
- Row 1 and every odd row is a right side row: read the chart from right to left. Read even rows from left to right. Row 1 is at the bottom.
- The beginning ch 3 of each row counts as its first dc; work the last dc of a row into the top of that chain.
- This size is worked in size 10 cotton thread.

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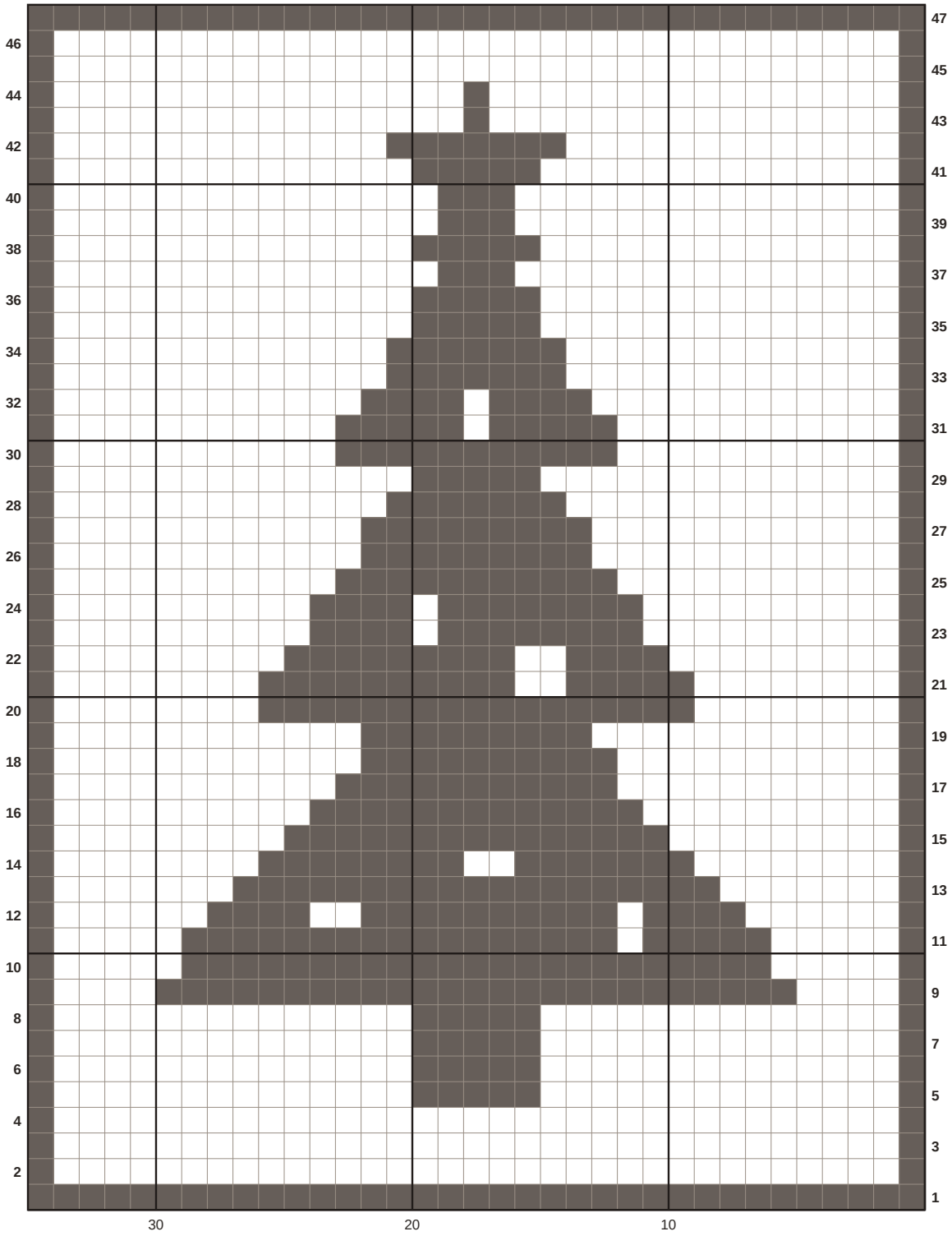
Filet chart

35 squares wide and 47 tall. One square is one mesh. Row 1 is the bottom row. Right-side rows are read right to left, wrong-side rows left to right: each row's number stands at the end it begins from.

Open: an open mesh

Filled: a block



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Instructions

Chosen: Size 10 thread. Square brackets [ ] hold a repeat: work what is inside as many times as it says. Round brackets ( ) inside a line hold stitches that all go into one place. The count in round brackets at the end of a line is what that line leaves. Tick the box when a row is done. In UK terms sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet and dc is treble.

Filet piece

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 108.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Dc in 4th ch from hook (skipped 3 chs count as dc), dc in each of next 104 chs	**(106 dc)**
☐ **Row 2 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc**] 33 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(40 dc, 33 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 3 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 33 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(40 dc, 33 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 4 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 33 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(40 dc, 33 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 5 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, **[**2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 5 times**, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 6 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 7 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 8 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 9 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 4 times**, **[**2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 4 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(90 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 10 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 4 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 69 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 4 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(86 dc, 10 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 11 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 5 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 51 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 5 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(84 dc, 11 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 12 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 5 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 12 dc, [ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc] twice, dc in each of next 30 dc, ch 2, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 12 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 5 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc	**(76 dc, 15 ch-2 sps)**

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☐ **Row 13 (RS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 6 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc,
dc in each of next 30 dc, [2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc] twice,
dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc,
[ch 2, dc in next dc**] 6 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(78 dc, 14 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 14 (WS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 7 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 24 dc,
[ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc] twice, dc in each of next 21 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc,
dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 7 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(70 dc, 18 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 15 (RS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 18 dc,
[2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc] twice, dc in each of next 21 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc,
dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(70 dc, 18 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 16 (WS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 9 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 39 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc,
[ch 2, dc in next dc**] 9 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(66 dc, 20 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 17 (RS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 33 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc,
[ch 2, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(62 dc, 22 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 18 (WS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 30 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**,
dc in each of next 3 dc **(60 dc, 23 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 19 (RS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 27 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**,
dc in each of next 3 dc **(58 dc, 24 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 20 (WS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**,
[2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 4 times**, dc in each of next 27 dc,
[2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 4 times**, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**,
dc in each of next 3 dc **(74 dc, 16 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 21 (RS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**,
dc in each of next 15 dc, [ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc] twice,
dc in each of next 30 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc
(70 dc, 18 ch-2 sps)

☐ **Row 22 (WS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 27 dc, [ch 2, dc in next dc] twice,
dc in each of next 12 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc,
[ch 2, dc in next dc**] 8 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(66 dc, 20 ch-2 sps)**

☐ **Row 23 (RS)**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 9 times**, ch 2,
sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc,
[2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc] twice, dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc,
dc in next dc, dc in each of next 12 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc,
[ch 2, dc in next dc**] 9 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(64 dc, 21 ch-2 sps)**

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☐ **Row 24 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, dc in each of next 12 dc, ch 2, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 24 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(64 dc, 21 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 25 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 21 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 10 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(62 dc, 22 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 26 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 27 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(58 dc, 24 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 27 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**, dc in each of next 27 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(58 dc, 24 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 28 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 21 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(54 dc, 26 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 29 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 15 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 30 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, **[**2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 3 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 3 times**, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(62 dc, 22 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 31 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(60 dc, 23 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 32 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 12 dc, ch 2, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 12 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 11 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(56 dc, 25 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 33 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 12 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(54 dc, 26 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 34 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, dc in each of next 21 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(54 dc, 26 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 35 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 15 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**

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☐ **Row 36 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 15 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 37 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(46 dc, 30 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 38 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 39 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(46 dc, 30 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 40 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 15 times**, dc in each of next 9 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 15 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(46 dc, 30 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 41 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 14 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(50 dc, 28 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 42 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 15 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(54 dc, 26 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 43 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, **[**ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc**] 3 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc**] 3 times**, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 13 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(42 dc, 32 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 44 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 16 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 16 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(42 dc, 32 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 45 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 16 times**, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 16 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(40 dc, 33 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 46 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**ch 2, dc in next dc**] 33 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(40 dc, 33 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Row 47 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in each of next 3 dc, **[**2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**] 33 times**, dc in each of next 3 dc **(106 dc)**
☐ **End**	Do not fasten off.

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Edging

☐ **Foundation**	Do not turn; with the right side facing, work down the side first, then along the chain, up the other side and along the last row.
☐ **Rnd 1**	Ch 1, 2 sc in each of next 47 row ends, ch 2, sc in each of next 105 chs, ch 2, 2 sc in each of next 47 row ends, ch 2, sc in each of next 106 dc, ch 2, join with sl st in first sc **(399 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 2 sc, picot, **[**sc in each of next 4 sc, picot**] 22 times**, sc in each of next 3 sc, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in each of next 3 sc, picot, **[**sc in each of next 4 sc, picot**] 24 times**, sc in each of next 6 sc, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in each of next 3 sc, picot, **[**sc in each of next 4 sc, picot**] 22 times**, sc in each of next 3 sc, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in each of next 3 sc, picot, **[**sc in each of next 4 sc, picot**] 25 times**, sc in each of next 3 sc, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-2 sp, join with sl st in first sc **(407 sc, 101 picots)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.

Finishing

- Weave in all ends with the yarn needle.
- To block: wet the piece, lay it right side up on a towel, pin it out to size with every point and loop drawn evenly, and let it dry.

In all: 2 pieces; 3,600 stitches (2,794 in the filet piece, 806 in the edging); 2 ends to weave in.

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