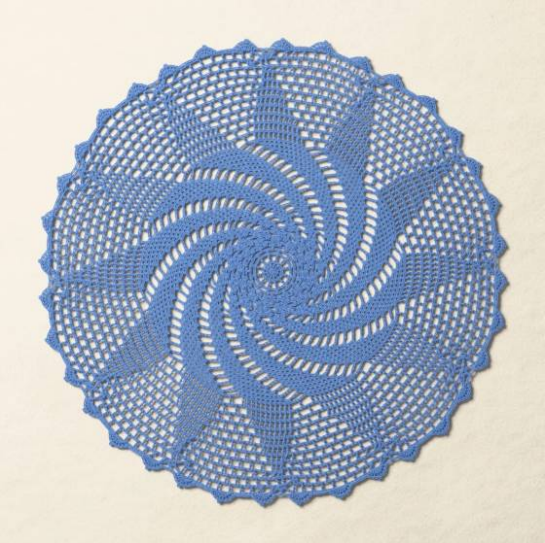
Pinwheel lace doily

Size 10 thread · US terms



Finished size
About 11½ in (29 cm) across

Skill
Intermediate
Worked in rounds, with the stitches named

Yarn
Lace (0)

Hook
1.5 mm (US steel 8)

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

What you need

Yarn: any one color (cornflower in the picture), lace (0) **about 140 yd (128 m), an estimate**

Fiber: cotton

Hook: 1.5 mm (US steel 8), or the size that gives you the gauge. 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. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Size 10 thread (this file)	**11½ in (29 cm) across**	**about 140 yd (128 m)**
Sport cotton	22 in (56 cm) across	about 270 yd (247 m)

Gauge

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

Use any hook that gives you this. If you count more stitches than this in 4 in (10 cm), change to a larger hook; if you count fewer, to a smaller one.

Check your gauge on the piece. Begin the pattern and measure the piece itself as you go. After round 28 the piece should measure about 6½ in (16.5 cm) across, laid flat. Measure over the stitches, not over the chain loops.

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Notes

- Magic ring: wrap the yarn round two fingers, work the first round into the loop, then pull the tail to close it. Ch 4 joined into a ring with a sl st does as well.
- Every round is worked with the right side facing; do not turn.
- A beginning chain counts as the stitch in brackets after it. A ch 1 at the start of a 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.
- The sl sts at the start of a round carry the yarn to where the round begins; they are not counted.
- In rnds 6 to 39 the first st of each arm is skipped, so that the arm leans. In rnds 6 to 28 an arm goes on at its other end with 1 or 2 sc in the ch sp after it: with 1 sc it keeps its number, with 2 sc it has 1 more.
- The sl st at the start of rnds 6 to 39 goes in the second st of the first arm: the st before it is the skipped one of that arm, and the round ends when the ch sp before it has been worked.
- In rnds 29 to 39 an arm gives up 1 st in each round, and the mesh between two arms gains 1 sp.

Instructions

Size 10 thread. US terms.

ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **dc** double crochet (UK treble), **sp** space, **st** stitch, **beg** beginning, **rnd** round.
sk skip.
ch-3 sp: the gap under three chains; the hook goes in the gap.
[ ] 11 times: work what is inside 11 times in all. **( )**: all of it goes into the one place.
(12 dc): the stitches you have when the round is done. **How to read a pattern**.

Special stitches

picot: Ch 3, sl st in the 3rd ch from hook.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.
☐ **Rnd 1**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), 11 dc in ring, pull the tail to close the ring, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (12 dc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 5 (counts as dc, ch 2), **[**dc in next dc, ch 2**] 11 times**, join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-5 (12 dc, 12 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 3**	Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 3, **[**sc in next dc, ch 3**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc (12 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Rnd 4**	Sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 3, **[**sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc (12 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Rnd 5**	Sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, 2 sc in same sp, ch 3, **[**2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc (24 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Rnd 6**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, **[**sk next sc, sc in next sc, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc (24 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)

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☐ **Rnd 7**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, **[**sk next sc, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(36 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Rnd 8**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next sc, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(36 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Rnd 9**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next sc, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(36 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 10**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(48 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 11**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(48 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 12**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(60 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 13**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 3 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 4 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(60 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 14**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(72 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 15**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 4 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(72 sc, 12 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 16**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 4 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(72 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 17**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 4 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(72 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 18**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(84 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 19**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 5 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 6 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(84 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)

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☐ **Rnd 20**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(96 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 21**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 6 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 7 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(96 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 22**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(108 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 23**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 7 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 8 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(108 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 24**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(120 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 25**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 8 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 9 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(120 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 26**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(132 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 27**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 9 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 10 sc, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(132 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 28**	Sl st in next sc, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5, **[**sk next sc, sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 5**] 11 times**, join with sl st in first sc	(144 sc, 12 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 29**	Sl st in next sc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 10 sc, ch 2, dc in next ch-5 sp, ch 2, **[**sk next sc, dc in each of next 11 sc, ch 2, dc in next ch-5 sp, ch 2**] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3	(144 dc, 24 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 30**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 2, [dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2] twice, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 10 dc, ch 2, [dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2] twice**] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3	(144 dc, 36 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 31**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 8 dc, ch 1, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 9 dc, ch 1, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1**] 3 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3	(144 dc, 48 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Rnd 32**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 7 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2**] 4 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 8 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2**] 4 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3	(144 dc, 60 ch-2 sps)

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☐ **Rnd 33**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 6 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2**] 5 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 7 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2**] 5 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (144 dc, 72 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 34**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 5 dc, ch 1, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 6 dc, ch 1, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1**] 6 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (144 dc, 84 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Rnd 35**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2**] 7 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 5 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2**] 7 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (144 dc, 96 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 36**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2**] 8 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2**] 8 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (144 dc, 108 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 37**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 1, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1**] 9 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 1, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1**] 9 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (144 dc, 120 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Rnd 38**	Sl st in next dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in next dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2**] 10 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2**] 10 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (144 dc, 132 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 39**	Sl st in next dc, ch 5 (counts as dc, ch 2), **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2**] 11 times**, **[**sk next dc, dc in next dc, ch 2, **[**dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2**] 11 times] 11 times**, join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-5 (144 dc, 144 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 40**	Sl st in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, sk next ch-2 sp, (4 dc, picot, 4 dc) in next ch-2 sp, sk next ch-2 sp, **[**sc in next ch-2 sp, sk next ch-2 sp, (4 dc, picot, 4 dc) in next ch-2 sp, sk next ch-2 sp**] 35 times**, join with sl st in first sc (288 dc, 36 sc, 36 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 scallop and picot drawn evenly, and let it dry.

In all: 40 rounds; 2 ends to weave in.

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