



# Lacy Frames

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**Finished Measurements:** Frames can be made to fit any mat.

**Aunt Lydia's® "Classic Crochet," Size 10:** 1 ball 450 Aqua

**GAUGE:** ¾" (2 cm) wide using Size 6 (1.8 mm) hook.  
**CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

**Note:** Frame strips are worked from corner to corner. Four strips are then sewn together at corners to form frame. For each frame, make 4 strips. For a 5" x 7" (12.5 cm x 18 cm) frame make two 5" (12.5 cm) and two 7" (18 cm) strips. For an 8" x 10" (20.5 cm x 25.5 cm) frame make two 8" (20.5 cm) and two 10" (25.5 cm) strips.

## Special Abbreviations

**sc2tog (sc 2 stitches together)** = [Insert hook into next st, yarn over, draw up a loop] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook

[ ] = work directions in brackets into stitch or space indicated

( ) = Gives more information

## FRAME

Ch 2

### Beginning Miter

**Row 1:** 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook - 2 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, 2 sc in first sc, sc in next sc - 3 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sc, 2 sc in last sc - 4 sc.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, turn, 2 sc in first sc, sc in last 3 sc - 5 sc.

### Frame Strip

**Row 1:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn, sk 1 st, dc in next st, ch 3, sk 2 sts, sl st in next sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), turn, [dc, ch 1] in ch-3 sp 7 times, dc in next dc, dc in top of turning ch - 10 dc.

**Row 3:** Ch 3, turn, sk first dc, dc in next dc, ch 3, sk next ch-1 sp, sk next dc, sl st in next ch-1 sp; leave remaining sts unworked.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures ½" (1.5 cm) less than desired length ending with Row 2. For example, if a 7" (18 cm) strip is desired, work until piece measures 6½" (16.5 cm).

### Ending Miter

**Row 1:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 dc, sc in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, sc in next ch-1 sp; leave remaining sts unworked - 5 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc2tog, sc in last 3 sc - 4 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sc, sc2tog - 3 sc.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, turn, sc2tog, sc in last sc - 2 sc.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, turn, sc2tog - 1 sc.

Fasten off.

Repeat to make 4 strips of desired lengths.



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## Finishing

Make 4 strips of desired lengths. Matching mitered edges of strips, lay out strips to form frame. Sew corner edges together. Weave in all ends.

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**Aunt Lydia's® “Classic Crochet,” Size 10, Art. 154,**  
350 yds/320 m

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**ABBREVIATIONS:** **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet;  
**hdc** = half double crochet; **sc** = single crochet; **sk** = skip;  
**sl st** = slip stitch; **sp** = space; **st(s)** = stitch(es)



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