

FRAMED IN PANSIES

Materials: 1 cone Lily Frost-tone Crochet cotton in ecru
Lily Sil-Toned mercerized crochet cotton
2 balls each yellow, orange, lavender and purple
1 skein Lily six strand floss in light green
Crochet hooks sizes 10 and 12
Size: 20 inches



Center: In Frost-Tone and size 10 hook, ch 7, sl st in 1st st. Ch 3, 17 dc in ring, sl st in 3-ch.

Row 2: Ch 10, dtr in next dc, (ch 3, dtr in next dc) 16 times, ch 3, sl st in 7th st of 10-ch.

Row 3: Ch 1, * (2 sc, ch 5, sl st in last sc for a p and 2 sc) all in next sp, sc in dtr. Repeat from * around. Sl st in 1st 1-ch.

Row 4: Ch 12, turn, tr midway between next 2 sps, (ch 7, tr between next 2 sps) repeat around. Ch 7, sl st in 5th st of 12-ch.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn. (2 dc, 1 hdc, 1 sc, 1 hdc and 1 dc) in next lp, * (dc in same lp, dc in next tr and dc in next lp) holding back the last lp of each on hook, thread over and pull thru all 4 lps at once for a cluster, (dc, hdc, sc, hdc and dc) in bal. of lp. Repeat from * around. In last half of final lp, make hdc, a 2-dc-cluster, sl st in 1st dc.

Row 6: Ch 3, dc in same st, * dc in next st, hdc in next, ch 1, sl st in next sc, ch 1, hdc in next st, dc in next, 3 dc in next. Repeat from * around. Complete 1st scallop with ch 1, hdc, 2 dc, sl st in 1st 3-ch.

Row 7: Turn, (ch 7, sc in 5th ch st from hook for a p, ch 9, p, ch 3, sc in center dc of next scallop) repeat around. Cut 6 inches long, thread to a needle and fasten off on back.

Row 8: Turn, join to one loop, (ch 8, p, ch 9, p, ch 4, sc in next lp) repeat around. Fasten off on back.

Row 9: Turn, join to one lp, (ch 15, sc in next lp) 17 times, ch 8, dtr in next lp.

Row 10: Ch 3, turn. 5 dc in dtr, (ch 9, 6 dc in 1 lp of center st of next lp) repeat around. Join final 9-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 11: Ch 10, turn, (dc in next 3 dc, ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, ch 7) repeat around. End with 2 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 10-ch.

Row 12: Ch 3, turn, * 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next, ch 4, 1 dc in next dc, 2 dc in next, 1 dc in next, ch 3, sc under center of next 2 lps, ch 5, sl st in sc for a p, sc under same lps, ch 3, dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join final 3-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 13: Ch 7, turn, (dc in next 4 dc, ch 5, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3) repeat around. End with 3 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 7-ch.

Row 14: Ch 3, turn, * 2dc in next dc, dc in next 2 dc, ch 5, dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join final 2-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 15: Ch 6, turn, * (5 dc, ch 5 and 5 dc) across next leaf, ch 3 and repeat from * around. End with 4 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 6-ch.

Row 16: Ch 3, turn, (2 dc in next dc, dc in 3 dc, ch 5, dc in 3 dc, 2 dc in next dc, 1 dc in next, ch 3, dc in next dc) repeat around. Join final 3-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 17: Ch 9, turn, * (6 dc, ch 5, 6 dc) across next leaf, ch 6 and repeat from * around. End with 5 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 9-ch.

Row 18: Ch 3, turn, * 2 dc in next dc, 4 dc across, ch 5, (4 dc, a 2 dc increase and 1 dc) across next group, ch 3, dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join final 3-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 19: Ch 6, turn, * (sc, a 5-ch p, sc) under next 2 lps, ch 3, (7dc, ch 5, 7 dc) across next leaf, ch 3 and repeat from * around. End with 6 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 6-ch.

Row 20: Ch 3, turn, (dc in next 2 dc) worked off tog. into 1 st for a decrease, dc in next 4 dc, * ch 5, dc in next 5 dc, a dec in next 2 dc, ch 9, a dec in 1st 2 dc of next group, dc in next 5 dc. Repeat from * around. Join final 9-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 21: Ch 11, turn, * (6 dc, ch 5, 6 dc) across next leaf, ch 8 and repeat from * around. End with 5 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 11-ch.

Row 22: Ch 3, turn, a dec in next 2 dc, dc in next 3 dc, * ch 5, 4 dc and a dec across next group, ch 4, (sc, a p, sc) under center of next 2 lps, ch 4, a dec in next 2 dc, dc in next 4 dc. Repeat from * around. Join final 4-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 23: Ch 17, turn, * a dec in next 2 dc, dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3, 2 dc in next dc, dc in 2 dc, a dec in next 2 dc, ch 14 and repeat from * around. End with 2 dc in 1st dc of final group, 1 dc in next dc, a dec in next 2 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 17-ch.

Row 24: Ch 3, turn, a dec in next 2 dc, dc in next dc, * 2 dc in next dc, ch 1, 2 dc in next dc, dc in 2 dc, a dec in next 2 dc, ch 16, a dec in next 2 dc, dc in next 2 dc. Repeat from * around. Join final 16-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 25: Ch 13, turn, * (sc, a p, sc) under center of next 2 lps, ch 10, (a dec in next 2 dc, dc in next 2 dc) twice, a dec in next 2 dc, ch 10 and repeat from * around. Across final leaf make a dec in 1st 2 dc, dc in 2 dc, a dec in next 2 dc, 1 dc, a dec in next 2 dc, sl st in 3rd st of 1st 13-ch.

Row 26: Ch 3, turn, (a dec 2dc and a dec) across leaf. * ch 12, a 2 dc-cluster in next p, ch 12, (a dec 3 dc and a dec) across next leaf. Repeat from * around. Join final 12-ch to 1st 3-ch.

Row 27: Ch 18, turn, * a 2-ch-cluster in next cluster, ch 15, (a dec 1 dc and a dec) across next leaf, ch 15 and repeat from * around. End with 2 dec's and a sl st in 3rd st of 1st 18-ch.

Row 28: Ch 3, turn, a dec in next 2 dc, * ch 16, a 2-dc-cluster in next cluster, ch 16, a 3-dc-cluster in end of leaf. Repeat from * around. Join final 16-ch to 1st dc.

Row 29: Ch 7 for a dtr, turn, * (ch 5, dtr) 3 times in same st, ch 11, sc in next cluster, ch 11, dtr in next cluster. Repeat from * around. Join final 11-ch to 7th st of 1st lp. Fasten off.

1st Pansy: In orange sil-tone and size 12 hook, ch 7, sl st in 1st st. Ch 3, 15 dc in ring, sl st in 1st 3-ch, ch 1, (1 hdc, 2 dc and 1 tr) all in back lp of next dc, (1 tr, 1 dc, 1 hdc and 1 sl st) all in back lp of next dc. This little added shell forms the center "eye" of the large, bottom petal. Cut 6 inches long, thread to a needle and fasten off on back with several back sts.

Row 2: Make a sl knot on hook in purple and counting from end of last row, make a sl st in back lp of each of next 3 dc on center circle, ** ch 5, (1 dtr, ch 1, 1 dtr) in same st with last sl st, ch 1, (1 dtr, ch 1, 1 dtr, ch 5, st st) all in back lp of next dc, * sl st in next 2 dc, ch 5, 1 dtr in same dc with last sl st, (ch 1, 1 dtr) 3 times in same dc, ch 5, sl st in same dc. Repeat from * once. Sl st in next 2 dc and repeat from ** to *. Sl st in next 2 dc, ch 5, (1 dtr, ch 1, 1 dtr) all in 1st st on little added shell, (ch 1, 1 dtr) twice in each of next 6 sts, ch 5, sl st in next st. Make these 2 rows the same colors in all pansies. Cut end 6 inches long and fasten off on back as before.

Row 3: Turn and join yellow between last 2 petals, * ch 1, (1 sc, ch 1, 1 sc, ch 1, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 dc) all in next 5-ch lp, (ch 1, 1 dc) twice in each of next three 1-ch sps, (ch 1, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 sc, ch 1, 1 sc) all in next 5-ch lp, ch 1, sl st in center ring between petals. Repeat from * around next 3 small petals, ch 1, (1 sc, ch 1, 1 sc, ch 1, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 dc) all in next 5-ch lp, ** ch 1, 1 dc in next 1-ch sp, (ch 1, 1 dc) twice in next sp. Repeat from ** 5 times. Ch 1, 1 dc in next sp, ch 1, (1 dc, ch 1, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 sc, ch 1, 1 sc) all in next 5-ch lp, ch 1, sl st in center ring between petals.

Row 4: * Ch 1, dc between next 2 sc, ch 1, dc in next 1-ch sp, (ch 1, tr) twice in each of next 9 sps, (ch 1, dc in next sp) twice, ch 1, sl st in center ring.

Repeat from * around next 3 small petals. Cut 3 inches long.

Row 5: Turn, join lavender in same place, * (ch 1, dc in next 1-ch sp) twice, ch 1, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next sp. Repeat from * around all petals with a ch 1, sl st between petals.

Row 6: (Ch 3, sc in next 1-ch sp) repeated around. Fasten off on back. Lap large bottom petal over side petals. Lap side petals over top petals. Lap top right petal over top left petal. Tack in place lightly. In Lt green floss, embroider an inverted "V" on the bottom of center ring in Row 1.

2nd Pansy: Make row 3 in lavender, rows 4 and 5 in yellow and row 6 in orange.

3rd Pansy: Make row 3 in yellow, bal. of rows in lavender.

4th Pansy: Make rows 3 and 4 in lavender, rows 5 and 6 in yellow.

5th Pansy: Repeat 1st Pansy.

6th Pansy: Make row 3 in yellow, bal. of rows in orange.

Repeat these 6 Pansies twice (18 in all). Tack tog in order, by 3 lps on each side. Lap 2 top petals of each over edge of center between points and sew in place on back. Pin right side down in true shape on a padded board or table, stretching several inches to open out pattern. Steam and press dry thru a cloth.

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