January: Keep Calm

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Pattern Notes

• This pattern is worked turning after every row.

• **What if I hold the hook in my LEFT hand?** Follow the pattern *as written* (trust me)! There are separate directions for left-hand hooks where necessary.

• **Single Block Size is** 20 by 18 inches (51 by 46 cm).

• **To chain or not to chain?** This project suggests using traditional chain starts for all blocks. This is due to the fact that half of the blocks use a filet "hole" in the first and last rows. So for consistency I've made all the starts chain starts.

• **New to Mayhem & Majesty filet patterns?** Please read the Help Guide on page 3.

• **Need the Graph?** It's on the final page.

• **The most awesome thing you can do to support this free CAL is to post pictures on social media!** When you do, please tag @mayhemandmajesty <u>IN</u> your Instagram photo, rather than tagging me in the caption **and** also use #2025KeepCalmMosaicCAL #MayhemandMajestydesigns in your hashtags. **THANK YOU!!!** 💗

Yarn Amounts - for Worsted Weight (#4 / Aran / 10ply)

10% has been added to all yarn amounts to provide a cushion for looser stitchers. DK will take less than worsted, so if you prefer DK and a 4mm hook you can safely plan by the below numbers have have more than enough yarn!

☐ Stitch Markers

☐ 5.5mm Hook

☐ **Block Body + SC Edging:** 306 yards (280 m)

☐ **Granny Rnd/Join Total:** 288 yards (263 m)

　　Per Block: 32 yards per block (29 m)

Stitches & Terms Used in this Pattern - US Crochet Terms

st(s) - stitch(es)

sk - skip

ch - chain

slst - slip stitch

sc - single crochet

dc - double crochet

Help Guide for Numerical Filet

Numerical Example 1: 8 , 4 , 8

More "traditionally" this reads: 8dc, ch1, sk 1 st, 4dc, ch1, sk 1 st, 8dc

Numerical Example 2: 5 , (1 ,) x3 then 5

More "traditionally" this reads: 5dc, ch1, sk 1 st, (dc, ch1, sk 1 st) rep between ( ) three times total, 5dc

- **Each number** is an amount of dc stitches.

- **Each comma** represents the "ch1, sk 1 st" sequence - some people think of this as the "hole." The commas are the black spaces on the graph that make up the picture or design.

- **"Ch2, turn" is made at the end of every row, and it always counts as the first dc of the next row.** Make sure you begin your second dc of the row in correct stitch (into the second to last dc of the row below).

- **If a Row begins with "1 , "** then you need to chain 3 before turning to count for your first dc and your first "ch1, sk 1 st" (the first comma). Be sure to start the next dc into the 3rd st of the row below.

- **The parenthesis "( )" indicate a repeated section** and the "x" notes the number of times to repeat that section. For example, "x3" means to repeat what is inside parenthesis 3 times total.

- **Repeats can occur inside of other repeats.** If this happens, I use a bracket [ ] for the outer most repeat to help avoid confusion.

- **I use "then"** after a repeat when there is not a comma directly after the repeated section to help avoid confusion with the repeat number.

- **Commas may begin or end a repeat ( ) section,** so watch carefully.

- **NEVER "ch1, sk 1 st" unless you see a comma!** Unless there is a comma, you will not make a filet hole.

IF YOU ARE STILL STUCK, YOU CAN:

Ask for help in our <u>Facebook Group</u> - lots of helpful folks can point you in the right direction! Email me - <u>becca@mayhemandmajesty.com</u> and I'll answer your questions within 36 hours Monday - Friday.

Chain 59; begin Row 1 in the 4th ch from hook, working in the 'back bumps' of the chain. Remember that your chain 3 at the beginning counts as your first dc of row 1.

Row 1: dc across - 57sts

Row 2: 8 , (9 ,)x4 then 8

Row 3: (3 , 3 , 1 ,)x5 then 3 , 3

Row 4: 6 , (3 , 5 ,)x4 then 3 , 6

Row 5: 1 , (3 , 5 ,)x5 then 3 , 1

Row 6: 2 , 1 , (3 , 3 , 1 ,)x5 then 2

Row 7: 3 , (9 ,)x5 then 3

Rows 8-9 (2 rows): dc across - 57sts

Row 10: 7 , 1 , 1 , 5 , 7 , 3 , (1 ,)x3 then 3 , 11 , 5

Row 11: 5 , 11 , 9 , 3 , 7 , 3 , 7 , 5

Row 12: 4 , 12 , 7 , 3 , 9 , 11 , 5

Row 13: work across making 'holes' in the exact same places as the previous row.

Row 14: 4 , 12 , (1 ,)x4 then 3 , 9 , (5 ,)x3

Row 15: 5 , 4 , 1 , 4 , 9 , 3 , 7 , 12 , 4

Row 16: 4 , 12 , 7 , 3 , 9 , (3 ,)x3 then 5

Row 17: 5 , 2 , 5 , 2 , 9 , 4 , 5 , 4 , 7 , 5

Row 18: 7 , 1 , 1 , 7 , 1 , 1 , 5 , 9 , 1 , 7 , 1 , 5

Rows 19-21: (3 rows): dc across - 57sts

Row 22: 8 , 7 , 3 , (1 ,)x3 then 3 , (1 ,)x3 then 3 , 16

Row 23: 16 , 9 , 9 , 4 , 6 , 8

Row 24: 8 , 5 , 5 , 9 , 9 , 16

Row 25: 16 , 9 , 9 , 6 , 4 , 8

Row 26: 8 , 1 , 1 , 7 , 1 , 1 , 5 , 1 , 1 , 5 , (1 ,)x3 then 10

Row 27: 9 , 6 , 9 , 9 , 6 , 4 , 8

Row 28: 8 , 5 , 5 , 9 , 9 , 7 , 8

Row 29: 9 , 6 , 9 , 9 , 4 , 6 , 8

Row 30: 8 , 7 , **[** 3 , (1 ,)x3 **]x3 then** 10

Rows 31-32 (2 rows): dc across - 57sts

Row 33: 3 , (9 ,)x5 then 3

Row 34: 2 , 1 , (3 , 3 , 1 ,)x5 then 2

Row 35: 1 , (3 , 5 ,)x5 then 3 , 1

Row 36: 6 , (3 , 5 ,)x4 then 3 , 6

Row 37: (3 , 3 , 1 ,)x5 then 3 , 3

Row 38: 8 , (9 ,)x4 then 8

Row 39: dc across - 57sts - do not cut yarn, continue below following the directions for which hand you hold your hook in.

SC Edging (right hooks): ch1, ***** rotate to work down the side of your block first. You will be working around the posts of the stitches on the end of the rows. Make 2sc account the first row, 1sc around the next row, now continuing to work around the posts repeat this 3-row pattern { 2sc, 2sc, 1sc} along the side ending with 2sc around the final row. Rotate to work along the bottom of the block. 2sc into the first st, sc in each across, 2sc in the final st ***** Repeat between * to finish remaining 2 sides. Join with a slst to first sc.

SC Edging (left hooks): ch1, ***** turn to work across the top of the block first. 2sc into the first st, sc in each across, 2sc in the final st (corner). Rotate to work along the long side next. You will be working around the posts of the stitches on the end of the rows. Make 2sc account the first row, 1sc around the next row, now continuing to work around the posts repeat this 3-row pattern { 2sc, 2sc, 1sc} along the side ending with 2sc around the final row/post. ***** Repeat between * to finish remaining 2 sides. Join with a slst to first sc.

SC Edging Stitch Count
top/bottom: 57 sc
sides: 65 sc
corners: 1 sc - mark corners with a stitch marker to make things easier when we turn these into grannies while joining.

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Graph

White spaces are dc & **black spaces** are the "ch1, sk 1 st" that create the design in filet crochet.