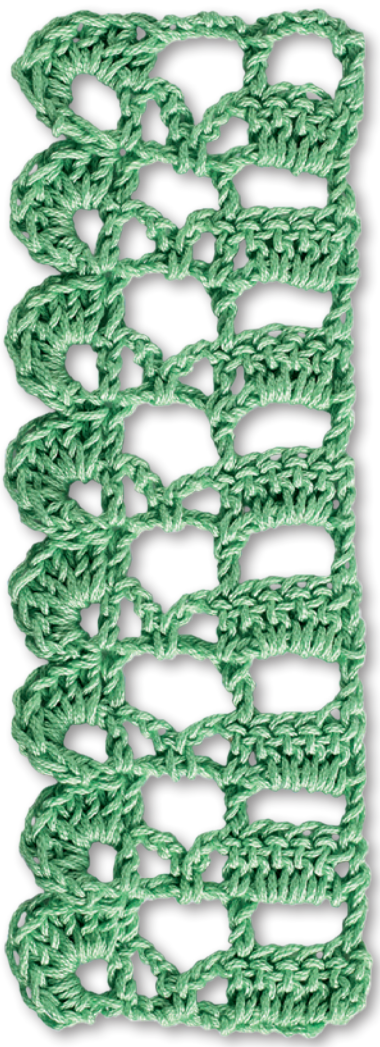
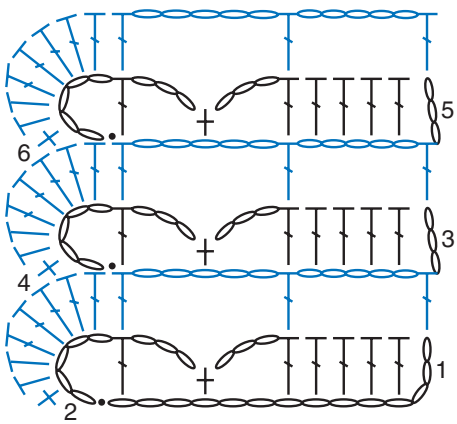
Edgings and Trims

Edgings are crocheted separately and then sewn onto a finished garment, accessory, or home décor item. Some are crocheted in a predetermined length, working from edge to edge in long rows. Others are started at one narrow end and worked in many short rows to the desired length. Decorative edging can turn a very simple item into an elegant fashion piece.





VENETIAN TRIM

Skill Level: Intermediate

Note: Work from the narrow end.

Ch 14.

Row 1: 1 dc in 4th ch from hook, 1 dc in each of the next 4 ch, ch 3, skip next 2 ch, 1 sc in next ch, ch 3, skip next 2 ch, [1 dc, ch 5, 1 Sl st] in last ch, turn.

Row 2: [1 sc, 2 hdc, 5 dc] in first ch-5 space, 1 dc in next dc, ch 5, skip next 2 ch-3 spaces, 1 dc in next dc, ch 5, skip next 4 dc, 1 dc in top of turn ch, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 4 dc in next ch-5 space, 1 dc in next dc, ch 3, 1 sc in next ch-5 space, ch 3, [1 dc, ch 5, 1 Sl st] in next dc, turn.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 for pattern.