

Romanian Point Lace Table Center



This design was drawn from a photograph of an antique piece of Renaissance lace originally made as a rather impractical but very beautiful lady's handkerchief.

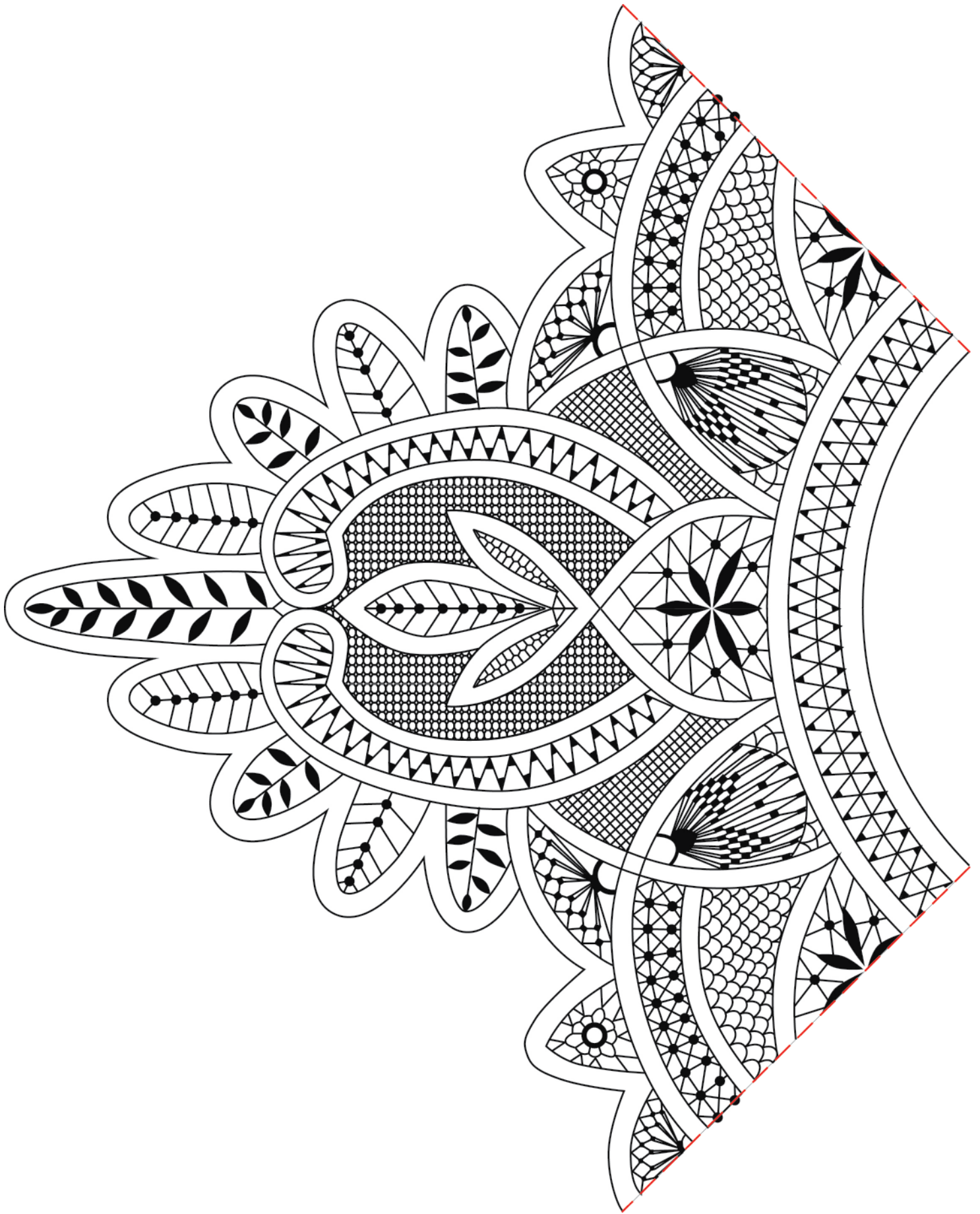
Print 4 copies of the pattern on the next page, cut along the red dashed lines and tape together carefully to form a circle. Transfer the design to your backing material and baste the cord along the double lines (refer to the photos for guidance as necessary).

Requires approximately 10.75 meters (11 2/3 yards) of crocheted cord, made with size 10 crochet thread and a size 1.3mm (US 10) steel crochet hook.

Adapt the filling stitches as you choose. The photographs here show the design split along one corner for use as a yoke for a crocheted top. The filling (in progress) is done with size 30 crochet thread and size 80 tatting cotton. Substitute threads at will for the filling stitches. To use as a table center, work the lace around a piece of linen fabric, cut into a circle of the appropriate size and neatly hemmed. Alternatively, fill the center with another coordinating point lace design of your choosing.

Finished size: 35.6 x 35.6 cm (14 x 14")

To learn more about making Romanian Point Lace, visit the Romanian Point Lace group on Ravelry at <http://www.ravelry.com/groups/romanian-point-lace>.



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