



OBJECT ID	2004.5.3.B
OBJECT NAME	Doily
MEASUREMENTS	25.0825000000 cm. Diameter, Item (Overall)
MATERIAL	Cotton Crochet Thread
OBJECT ENTITIES	Tifiksis, Mina (created by) Gravenites, Helen (is related to) Tifiksis, Mina (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	doily Myteline, Greece Off-white Thread

OBJECT DESCRIPTION

Crocheted, off-white doily. The doily could even be considered beige. In the center is a flower-like design. The "petals" of this design are connected by a scalloped edge. Surrounding this central flower is a radial design that forms a spiral shape. The edges are adorned with repeating triangles that point toward the center.

ORIGIN

This crocheted doily was handmade by Mina Tifiksis in Myteline, Greece. It is unknown how or when the donor acquired this textile.

Doilies are mostly used as accessories for home decor. They can decorate tables, trays, or even be framed and hung.

CITATION

Doily, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 04/19/24.