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This doily is based on the motif [which can be found here](#).

Abbreviations

R	ring	Ch	chain
vsp	Very small picot	- or p	picot
Cl	close	RW	Reverse work
SR	Split ring	SS	Switch shuttles
T & C	Tie and cut	SCh	Split chain
SLT	Shoe lace trick	Vsfp	Very small false picot (really a small space)
SS	Switch shuttles	SCh	Split chain

Rounds 1, 2 and 3 are worked without cutting between rounds.

Materials required - Two shuttles.

Skills required – knowledge of split ring and split chain. The split chain can be avoided with a cut and tie.

Note – for those who prefer front side/back side tatting the text in italics and red indicates where the worker needs to use the second half of the ds first.

Round 1 & 2– 2 shuttles and starting with colour 2.

R1: 3 vsp 2 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 4 RW

R2: 3 + (R1) 2 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 4 RW

R3: 3 + (R2) 2 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 4 RW

R4: 3 + (R3) 2 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 4 RW

R5: 3 + (R4) 2 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 4 RW

R6: 3 + (R5) 2 + (R1) 3 Cl RW

SCh: 4 / SLT Lj (base R1) 4 SLT OR CUT, TIE and join again to a picot of this round to begin round two.

Ch: Vsfp 6 vsp 6 Lj (next vsp round 1) 6 vsp 6 Lj (next vsp round 1) 6 vsp 6 Lj (next vsp round 1) 6 vsp 6 Lj (next vsp round 1) 6 vsp 6 Lj (next vsp round 1)

Sch: 6 / SLT Lj (vsfp start of round 2) 6 SLT. Continue using the thread colour which showed on the chain as the core thread.

Round 3

Ch: place pin on core thread to make a vsp 2 SS

SR1: 4 vsp 2 / 3 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 3 vsp 7 RW

SR2: 4 / 2 vsp 2 Cl SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R3: 6 + (SR1) 6

R4: 6 vsp 6 Cl RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR5: 4 / 2 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 7 vsp 3 RW

SR6: 2 + (R4) 4 / 3 vsp 3 Cl SS

Ch: 2 + (next vsp round 2) 2 SS

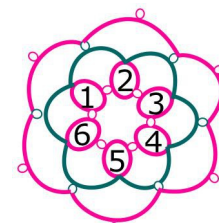


Fig. 1

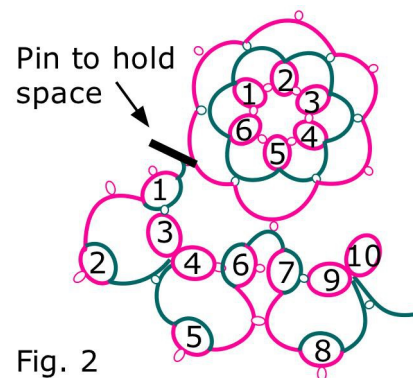


Fig. 2

SR7: 4 vsp 2 / 3 + (vsp SR6) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR8: 4 / 2 vsp 2 SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R9: 6 + (SR7) 6 CI

R10: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR11: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 7 vsp 3 RW

SR12: 2 + (R10) 4 / 3 vsp 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 + (next vsp round 2) 2 SS

SR13: 4 vsp 2 / 3 + (vsp SR12) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR14: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R15: 6 + (SR13) 6 CI

R16: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR17: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 7 vsp 3 RW

SR18: 2 + (R16) 4 / 3 vsp 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 + (next vsp round 2) 2 SS

SR19: 4 vsp 2 / 3 + (vsp SR18) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR20: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R21: 6 + (SR19) 6 CI

R22: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR23: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 7 vsp 3 SS

SR24: 2 + (R22) 4 / 3 vsp 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 + (next vsp round 2) 2 SS

SR25: 4 vsp 2 / 3 + (vsp SR24) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR26: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R27: 6 + (SR25) 6 CI RW

R28: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR29: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 7 vsp 3 RW

SR30: 2 + (R28) 4 / 3 vsp 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 + (next vsp round 2) 2 SS

SR31: 4 vsp 2 / 3 + (vsp SR30) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR32: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R33: 6 + (vsp SR31) 6 CI

R34: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR35: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 7 + (vsp on first Ch) 3 RW

SR36: 2 + (vsp R34) 4 / 3 + (vsp SR1) 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 Join to space left at the start - removing the pin. T & C

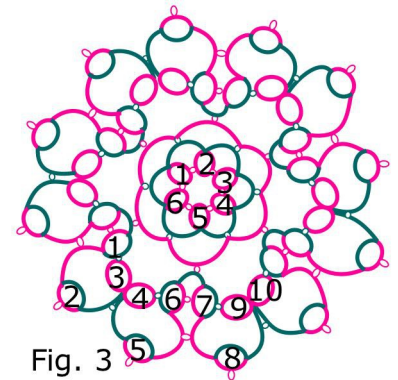


Fig. 3

Round 4 – 2 shuttles and starting with colour 1. This is a repeat of round 3.

R1: 6 vsp 6 CI

R2: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 vsp 5 SLT RW SS

SR3: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 7 vsp 3 RW

SR4: 2 + (R2) 4 / 3 vsp 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 + (vsp on SR of round 3) 2 SS

*SR5: 4 vsp 2 / 3 + (vsp SR4) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR6: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 vsp 3 RW

R7: 6 + (SR5) 6 CI

R8: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 5 SLT RW SS

SR9: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI RW

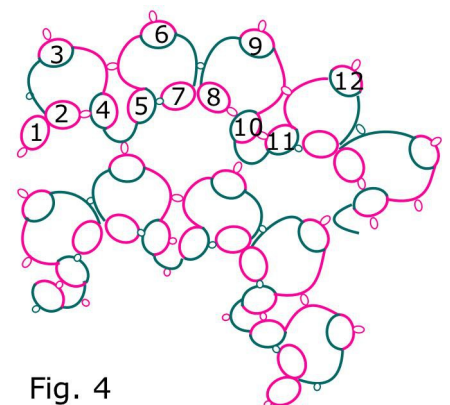


Fig. 4

Ch: 7 vsp 3 RW

SR10: 2 + (R8) 4 / 3 vsp 3 CI SS

Ch: 2 + (next vsp round 3) 2 SS

Repeat from * all round until the last joining chain to previous round has been made.

Continue as follows.

SR: 4 + (vsp R1) 2 / 3 + (vsp last SR) 3 CI RW

Ch: 3 + (vsp last Ch) 7 RW

SR: 4 / 2 vsp 2 CI SLT RW SS

Ch: 5 + (vsp on first Ch) 3 T & C to space between R1 and R2.

Round 5 – 2 shuttles and using shuttle 1 to start.

R1: 5 – 10 + (vsp round 4) 5 CI

SR2: 6 / 5 CI

R3: 5 + (next vsp round 4) 10 – 5 CI RW

Ch: 5 – 5 RW

* R4: 4 + (last R) 8 – 4 CI RW

Ch: 4 – 4 RW

R5: 3 + (last R) 6 – 3 CI RW

Ch: 6 RW

SR6: 3 + (last R) 3 – 3 / 3 – 3 – 3 CI RW

Ch: 6 RW

R7: 3 + (SR) 6 – 3 CI RW

Ch: 4 – 4 RW

R8: 4 + (last R) 8 – 4 CI RW

Ch: 5 – 5 RW

R9: 5 + (last R) 10 + (next vsp on SR of round 4) 5 CI

SR10: 6 / 5 CI

R11: 5 + (next vsp on SR of round 4) 10 – 5 CI RW

Ch: 5 + (last Ch) 5 RW

Repeat from * all round until the final repeat. Join the second picot of ring 8 on this repeat to the first picot on ring 1 and the following chain to the chain between rings 3 and 4. T & C to the space between R1 and SR2.

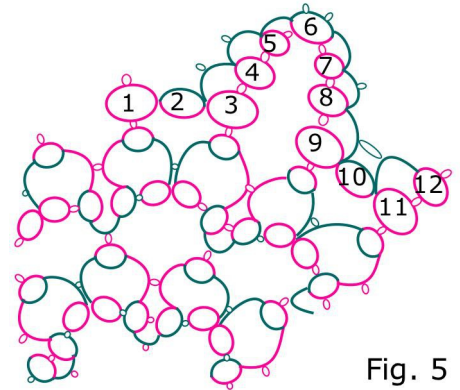


Fig. 5

Round 6 - 1 shuttle and chain thread.

R1: 8 + (picot on Ch of round 5 – see fig. 6) 5 vsp 3 CI

* *Ch: 4 RW*

R2: 3 + (vsp last R) 5 + (picot on next Ch of round 5 – see fig. 6) 8 CI RW

Ch: 8 – 8 RW

R3: 8 + (1st p on SR of round 5) 6 vsp 2 CI RW

Ch: 6 – 6 RW

R4: 8 + (vsp last R) 4 vsp 4 CI RW

Ch: 8 – 8 RW

R5: 4 + (vsp last R) 4 vsp 8 CI RW

Ch: 6 – 6 RW

R6: 2 + (vsp last R) 6 + (next p on SR round 5) 8 CI RW

Ch: 8 – 8 RW

R7: 8 + (p on next Ch round 5) 5 vsp 3 CI RW

Repeat from * all round joining to the base of R1 and T & C

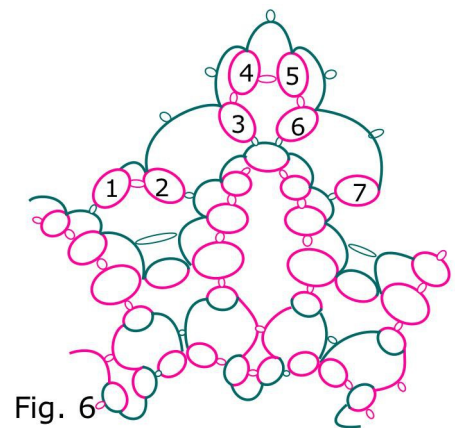


Fig. 6

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