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This is the smallest fish and it measures 2 3/4" in length x $\mathbf{2 "}^{\prime \prime}$ in height. Skills needed knowledge of split rings and rings on split rings.

## Materials

No. 20 thread, 1 bead and two shuttles.

## Abbreviations

SR split ring
Wsh1 working shuttle 1
btw between

RoSR ring on SR
vip very small picot Li

T\&C tie and cut join using shuttle thread

The bead is added to the core thread which is pulled down through the $1^{\text {st }}$ vsp towards the centre of the ring. Once the bead has been added to this, pass the shuttle through the loop before tightening the ring.

In order to simplify the instructions the pattern tells the worker to join to a - or vip of a previous SR. In fact, you will find that it is a - or vip on a chain which has previously been joined to the SR which you actually need to join to. In the instructions for the insert opposite it would therefore read:-
SR: 4 + (SR) 4 / 4 vip 4

Centre of body using two shuttles - Wsh1
R1: 3 - 3 vip 3 vip 3 +B (see abbreviations)
SR2: 2 vip $2 / 2 \operatorname{RoSR}(2 \mathrm{vsp} 2 \mathrm{Cl}) 2$
SR: 3 vsp 3 / 3 RoAR ( 3 vip 3 Cl ) 3
SR: 4 vsp 4 / 4 RoSR (4vsp 4 Cl) 4
SR: 3 vip $3 / 3 \operatorname{RoSR}(3 \operatorname{vsp} 3 \mathrm{Cl}) 3$
SR: 2 vip $2 / 2$ RoSR ( 2 vip 2 Cl ) 2
Change to Wsh2
Ch: 3 vip 3 Rm SLT
Change to Wsh1 - see fig. 1
SR: $2+($ RoSR on SR6) $2 / 2$ vip 2
SR: $3+$ (RoSR on SR5) $3 / 3$ vsp 3
SR: $4+($ RoSR on SR4) $4 / 4$ vip 4
SR10: $3+$ (RoSR on SR3) $3 / 3$ vip 3
SR11: $2+($ RoSR on SR2) $2 / 2$ vip 2
SR12: $1+\left(1^{\text {st }} p\right.$ on R1) $2 / 1$ - see fig. 2
SR13: 2 vip $1 / 1$
SR14: 2 vip $2 / 2 \operatorname{RoSR}(2+[S R 11] 2 \mathrm{Cl}) 2$
SR15: $3 \mathrm{vsp} 3 / 3 \operatorname{RoSR}(3+[S R 10] 3 \mathrm{Cl}) 3$
SR16: $4 \mathrm{vsp} 4 / 4 \operatorname{RoSR}(4+[S R 9] 4 \mathrm{Cl}) 4$
SR17: 3 vip $3 / 3 \operatorname{RoSR}(4+[S R 8] 4 \mathrm{Cl}) 3$
SR18: 2 vip $2 / 2 \operatorname{RoSR}(3+[S R 7] 3 \mathrm{Cl}) 2$
Change to Wsh2


Fig. 1

shoe lace trick (tie knot)
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Fig. 2


Ch: 3 vip $3+$ (base of SR7) T \& C - see fig. 3

Edge - Wsh1 - do not leave spaces btwn SR's
Upper fin + p on SR4
SR1: $8 / 8$
SR2: 10 / 4 vsp 4
R3: $6-4$ vsp 2
Change to Wsh2
Ch: $2+(v s p$ on R3) 4
R4: $4+(v s p$ on SR2) 4


Fig. 4

Ch: 2 Lj (SR5 on body) 4 Lj (SR6 on body) 6 Lj (p on Ch1 on body)
Change to Wsh1 - see fig. 4
Tail fin - leave very small spaces btwn SR's
SR1: $8 / 4$ vsp 4
SR2: 7 vsp $1 / 4$ vsp 4
R3: $1+(\mathrm{SR} 2) 5-5 \mathrm{vsp} 1$
Change to Wsh2
Ch: $1+$ (vsp on R3) 2 Lj (vsp on SR2) 3 Lj (space btwn SR2 \& SR1) 3 Lj (vsp on SR1) - 3 Lj ( $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{Ch}$ on body - as start of SR1) 6 Lj ( $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{Ch}$ of body) Change to Wsh1


Fig. 5

SR4: $4+(-$ on SR1) $4 / 4$ vsp 4
SR5: 7 vsp $1 / 4$ vsp 4
R6: $1+(\mathrm{SR} 5) 5-5 \mathrm{vsp} 1$
Change to Wsh2
Ch: $1+(R 6) 2$ Lj (vsp on SR5) 3 Lj (space btwn SR5 \& SR4) 3 Lj (vsp on SR4) 3 Lj ( $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{Ch}$ of body) 6 Lj (SR18 on body). - see fig. 5.
Continue chain to

## Lower body to finish - leave very small spaces btwn SR's

Ch: 3 vsp 1 Lj (SR17 on body)
Change to Wsh1
R1: $1+($ vsp on last Ch) 3-6
Change to Wsh2
Ch: 5 vsp 1 Lj (SR16 on body)
Change to Wsh1
R2: $1+($ vsp on last Ch) 3-6
Change to Wsh2
Ch: 5 vsp 1 Lj (SR15 on body)
Change to Wsh1
R3: $1+($ vsp on last Ch) 3-6
Change to Wsh2
Ch: 6 Lj (SR14 on body) 4 Lj (SR13 on body) 8 Rw \& SLT
Change to Wsh1
R4: $3+\left(2^{\text {nd }} p\right.$ of R1 of body) 3 Rw \& SLT
Change to Wsh2
Ch: 14 Lj ( $3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{p}$ of R1 of body) 4 Lj (vsp on SR2 of body) 4 Lj (vsp on SR3 of body) 4 Lj (vsp on SR4 of body)
T \& C - see fig. 6
If you should need help with this pattern, please email me.

