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**Materials required:-** No. 20 thread, 2 shuttles with 1 size 9 bead on Sh1 and a soft fine thread for the mane (embroidery floss, polyester etc). The completed horse measures approx. 1 3/4" x 1 1/2".

**Abbreviations**

R	ring	Ch	Chain
- or p	picot	SR	split ring
/	after the / make 2nd half of SR	RW	reverse work
MB	move bead on core thread	SS	Switch shuttles
btwn	between	vsp	very small picot
T & C	Tie and cut	+	join
SLT	Shoe Lace Trick (tie a knot)	Cl	close
S	start	DNRW	Do not reverse work
Lj	join made with closest thread to joining place		

**Back leg – using Sh1**

- R1: 3 vsp 3 Cl
- SR2: 3 / 3 Cl
- R3: 9 vsp 1 Cl DNRW SS
- Ch: 1 + (vsp R3) 3 Lj (space btwn SR2 & SR1) 4 Lj (vsp R1) SLT RW

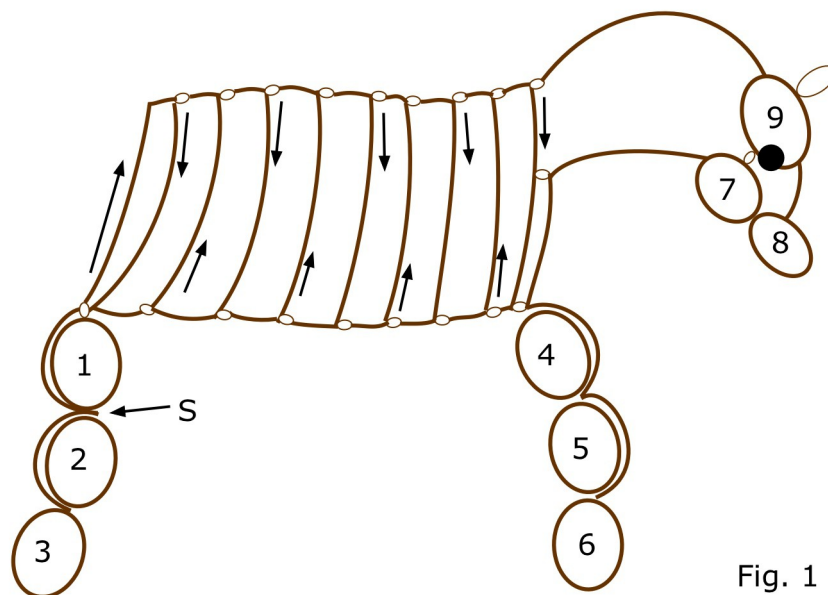


Fig. 1

**Body** - Continue with block tatting as follows. [A link to the easy way to do block tatting.](#)

- Ch1: 10
- Ch2: 1 vsp 10 + (vsp Ch R1)
- Ch3: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch4: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch5: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch6: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch7: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch8: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch9: 1 vsp 9 Lj (vsp last Ch)
- Ch10: 1 vsp 4 vsp 5 Lj (vsp last Ch) SS

**Front Leg**

SR4: 3 / 3 CI

SR5: 3 / 3 CI

R6: 9 vsp 1 CI DNRW SS

Ch: 1 + (vsp R6) 3 + (space btwn SR5 & SR4) 4 Lj (vsp SR4) 5 Lj (vsp Ch10) RW SLT

**Lower Neck**

Ch: 6 SS

**Head**

SR7: 2 vsp 2 / 4 CI

SR8: 2 / 8 CI RW

Ch: 4 RW

SR9: 1 MB 2 + (vsp SR7) 3 / 4 - 4 CI RW

**Upper Neck**

Ch: 8 + (vsp on last Ch of body) T & C

**Finishing off**

**Tail.** Using a fine thread loop several strands through Ch1 and tie in an overhand knot.

**Mane.** Take single strands through the chain between SR9 and the final join and again tie an overhand knot at the top of the chain. Press and or stiffen the mane down over the chain.