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NOTE – all joins are made by pulling thread UP through the picots in order to avoid ‘specks’ of colour showing in the joins. Also for those who prefer front side/back side tating the text in italics and red indicates where the worker needs to use the second half of the ds first.

Materials required size 20 thread (black and white), 3 beads – 2 should be size 9 (9 beads to an inch - eyes) and the third slightly smaller (mouth).

Abbreviations

R	ring	Ch	chain
P or -	picot	vsp	Very small picot
RW	Reverse work	Cl	close
+ B	Add bead to centre of ring	FVSP	False very small picot
SS	Switch shuttles	SCMR	Self closing mock ring
DNRW	Do not reverse work	Btwn	between
T & C	Tie and cut	AJ	Alligator join

Eyes

Using black thread and one shuttle

R1: 2 vsp 2 vsp 2 vsp 2 vsp 6 vsp 2 + B (centre of R) Cl leave thread space of ¼"

R2: 2 + (last vsp R1) 6 vsp 2 vsp 2 vsp 2 vsp 2 + B (centre of R) Cl T & C

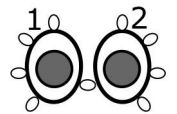


Fig. 1

Face

2 shuttles – 1 black, 1 white. Using white thread make

R3: 5 + (thread btwn 2 eyes) 5 + B (centre of R) Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 4 RW

R4: 6 + (last vsp R2) 3 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 8 RW

R5: 3 + (vsp R4) 3 + (next vsp R2) 3 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 6 RW

R6: 2 + (vsp R5) 2 + (next vsp R2) 2 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 4 vsp 1 DNRW SS

R7: 1 + (vsp last Ch) 10 vsp 1 Cl SS

Ch: 1 + (vsp R7) 2 RW

R8: 2 + (vsp R6) 2 + (next vsp R2) 2 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 4 RW

R9: 2 + (vsp R8) 4 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 4 RW

R10: 2 + (vsp R9) 2 + (last vsp R1) 2 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 2 vsp 1 DNRW SS

R11: 1 + (vsp last Ch) 10 vsp 1 Cl SS

Ch: 1 + (vsp R11) 4 RW

R12: 2 + (vsp R10) 2 + (next vsp R1) 2 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 6 RW

R13: 3 + (vsp R12) 3 + (next vsp R1) 3 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 8 RW

R14: 3 + (vsp R13) 3 + (next vsp R1) 6 Cl RW

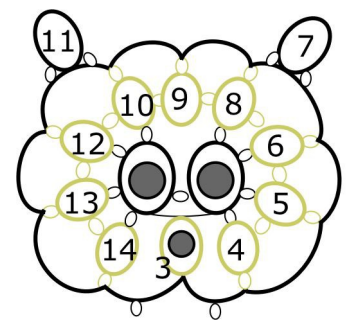


Fig. 2

Ch: 4 vsp 4 T & C base R3.

Centre of body

Two shuttles with white and two with black are needed. Start with the two white shuttles.

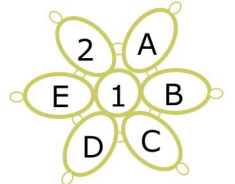


Fig. 3

SCMR1: 3 SS
RA: 3 - 6 vsp 6 - 3 CI SS
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RB: 3 + (RA) 6 vsp 6 - 3 CI SS
SCMR1: 3 SS
RC: 3 + (RB) 6 vsp 6 - 3 CI SS
SCMR1: 3 SS
RD: 3 + (RC) 6 vsp 6 - 3 CI SS
SCMR1: 3 SS
RE: 3 + (RD) 6 vsp 6 - 3 CI SS
SCMR1: 3 CI SCMR SS

SR2: 3 + (RE) 6 / 3 + (RA) 6 CI SS. Change chain thread to black.

Ch: vsp 5 vsp 5 Lj (RA) vsp 14 Lj (RB) change white thread to black and continue chain 6 SS

R3: 10 vsp 4 vsp 6 CI SS

Ch: 6 Lj (RC) DNRW

SCMR4: 8 + (2nd vsp R3) 4 SS
R: 6 + (1st vsp R3) 2 - 2 - 2 - 8 CI SS
SCMR: 12 CI

Ch: 14 Lj (RD)

SCMR5: 12 SS
R: 8 - 2 - 2 - 2 vsp 6 CI SS
SCMR: 4 vsp 8 CI

Ch: 6 DNRW SS

R6: 6 + (vsp 1st part SCMR5) 4 + (2nd part SCMR) 10 CI SS

Ch: 6 Lj (RE) 14 Lj (vsp above SR2) SS

Left Arm

SR7: FVSP 3 - 3 / FVSP 3 - 3 CI RW + (vsp on Ch btwn R3 & R14 on head)

Ch: 8 RW

R8: 3 + (SR7) 3 vsp 3 - 3 CI RW

Ch: 7 RW

R9: 2 + (R8) 2 vsp 4 CI RW

Ch: 4 vsp 1 SS

R10: 1 + (vsp last Ch) 3 - 2 - 2 - 3 vsp 1 CI SS

Ch: 1 + (vsp R10) 3 Lj (vsp R9) 4 Lj (vsp R8) 5 AJ (round base SR7) SLT RW 3 Lj (vsp Ch btwn RA & SR2) SS

R11: 2 + (SR7) 4 - 2 CI SS

Ch: 3 Lj (top RA) SS

R12: 3 + (R11) 3 + (vsp Ch btwn R3 & R 4 on face) 3 - 3 CI RW

Right Arm

Ch: 5 RW

R13: 3 + (R12) 3 vsp 3 - 3 CI RW

Ch: 4 RW

R14: 2 + (R13) 2 vsp 4 CI

Ch: 3 vsp 1 SS

R15: 1 + (vsp last Ch) 3 - 2 - 2 - 3 vsp 1 CI SS

Ch: 1 + (vsp R15) 3 Lj (vsp R14) 7 Lj (vsp R13) 8 Lj (12) T & C

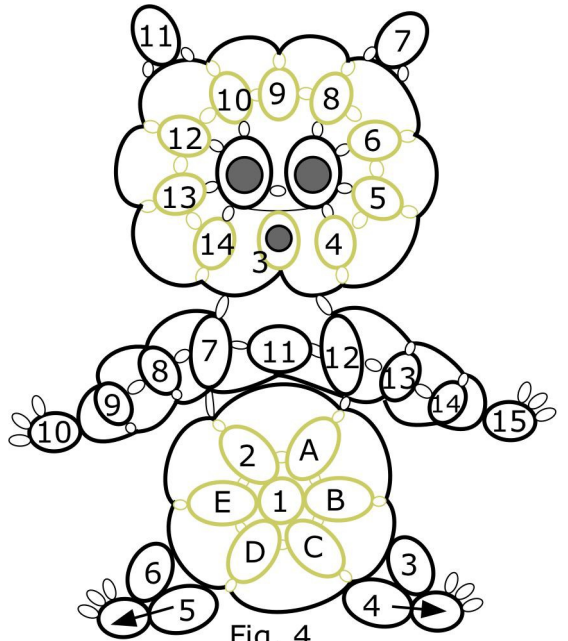


Fig. 4

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