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Abbreviations

R	ring	Ch	chain
vsp	Very small picot	DNRW	Do not reverse work
RW	Reverse work	SS	Switch shuttles
Cl	close	Lj	Lock join
LCh	Lock chain	SCMR	Self closing mock ring
btwn	between	T & C	Tie and cut
S	start	DPB	Down picot with bead – see below
Lp	Long picot	LBP	Long beaded picot

DBP is made by working 2 first half ds, bead, 2 second half ds.

Materials required – 2 shuttles and two size 11 seed beads for eyes and 4/5 for collar when using size 20 thread.

Wind two shuttles CTM with 4 ½ yards on Sh1 and 4 on Sh2 with 1 eye bead on each shuttle thread. Using Sh1 start and follow the directions of the arrows shown in Fig. 1. Red is where you start, green is the next direction worked after R1 then follow the direction of blue after SCMR2.

Left Ear

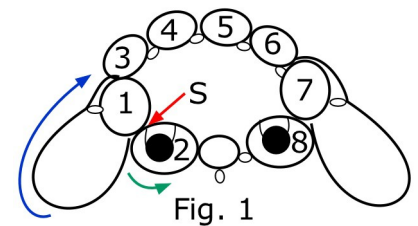
R1: 3 vsp 3 vsp 6 Cl DNRW SS

Left Eye

SCMR2: 2 DPB 2 SS

R: 4 vsp 2 vsp 2 Cl SS

SCMR2: 5 Cl DNRW



Left Ear

Ch: 24 Lj (1st vsp R1) 3 Lj (2nd vsp R1) SS

Top of Head

SR3: 4 / 3 vsp 1 Cl

SR4: 4 / 1 + (vsp SR3) 2 vsp 1 Cl

SR5: 4 / 1 + (vsp SR4) 2 vsp 1 Cl

SR6: 4 / 1 + (vsp SR5) 3 Cl RW SS

Right Ear

R7: 6 vsp 3 vsp 3 Cl RW

Ch: 3 Lj (2nd vsp R7) 24 Lj (1st vsp R7) RW

Right Eye – bead at back of hand

R8: 2 DBP 2 + (1st vsp SCMR2) 5 Cl RW

Lower Face and Nose – follow direction of arrows starting with green, then blue and finally purple.

Ch: 8 SLT RW

Ch: Place pin on CORE thread to make a vsp 4 SS

R9: 3 + (vsp SCMR2) 3 Cl SS

Ch: 4 vsp 5 Lj vsp on Ch after removing pin. Continue

Body

With the head held right way up continue with

Ch: 3 LBP (6 beads) 1 RW

SR10: 4 / 3 vsp 1 Cl

SR11: 6 / 1 + (vsp SR10) 4 vsp 1 Cl

SR12: 4 vsp 2 / 1 + (vsp SR11) 5 Cl

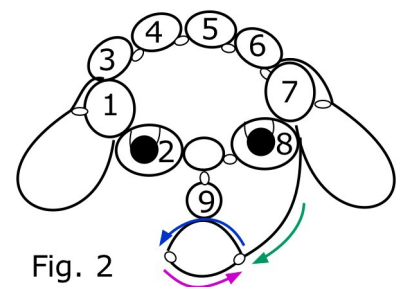


Fig. 2

Front leg

SR13: 2 + (vsp SR12) 5 / 7 vsp 1 CI
 SR14: 4 vsp 2 / 1 + (vsp SR13) 5 CI
 R15: 2 + (vsp SR14) 12 CI SS
 LCh: 5 Lj (vsp btwn SR14 & SR13) 5 Lj (vsp btwn SR13 & SR12) DNRW SS

Lower body

SR16: 8 / 7 vsp 1 CI
 SR17: 8 / 1 + (vsp SR16) 7 CI RW SS

Haunches

R18: 9 vsp 3 vsp 9 CI RW
 Ch: 9 vsp 2 RW
R19: 9 + (vsp R18) 3 vsp 9 CI RW SS

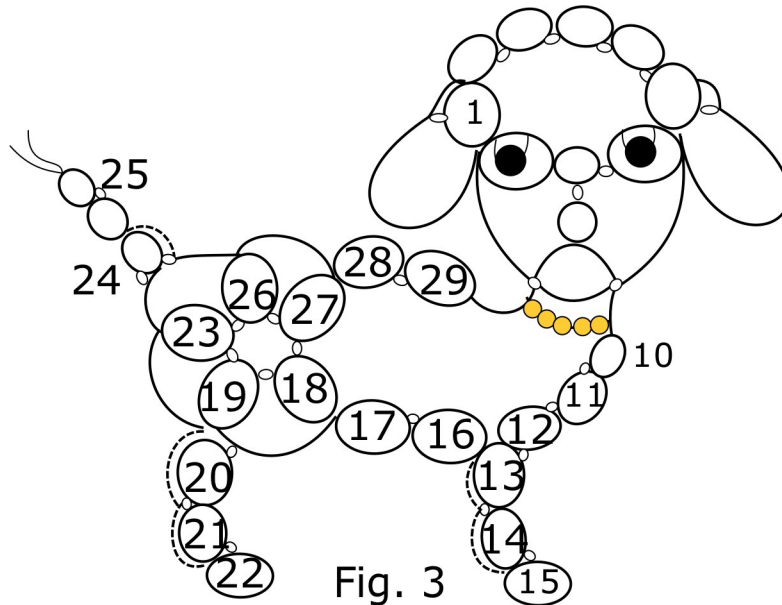


Fig. 3

Back leg

SR20: 2 + (vsp last Ch) 6 / 7 vsp 1 CI
 SR21: 4 vsp 2 / 1 + (vsp SR20) 5 CI
 R22: 2 + (vsp SR21) 12 CI SS
 LCh: 5 Lj (vsp btwn SR21 & SR20) 5 Lj (space btwn SR20 & R19) continue

Back

Ch: 12 RW
R23: 9 + (vsp R19) 3 vsp 9 CI RW
 Ch: 4 vsp 1 SS DNRW

Tail

SR24: 1 + (vsp on Ch) 3 / vsp 4 CI SS
 SCMR25: 3 SS
 R: 3 Lp 2 vsp 1 CI SS
 SCMR25: 1 + (vsp ring) 2 CI
 LCh: 3 Lj (vsp SR24) continue
 Ch: 4 RW
R26: 9 + (vsp R23) 3 vsp 9 CI RW
 Ch: 10 RW
R27: 9 + (vsp R26) 3 + (vsp R18) 9 CI RW SS
 SR28: 8 / 7 vsp 1 CI
 SR29: 6 / 1 + (vsp SR28) 5 CI RW
Ch: 4 + (LBP) 2 + (vsp on mouth Ch) SLT RW
 Ch: 8 T & C to base of left ear.

Cut and 'fluff' the LP on the tail. If a fluffier end of the tail is required – replace the LP with a very small picot and then add tufts of thread to that instead.