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Designed just to amuse myself this bell is worked from the outside to the inside. The only skills required are the knowledge of split rings and adding a few beads.

Abbreviations

R	ring	SR	Split ring
Ch	chain	vsp	Very small picot
Cl	close	RW	Reverse work
BBBB	Move 3 beads into place leaving a joining space btwn	SS	Switch shuttles
SLT	Shoe lace trick (tie knot)	RoCh	Ring on chain
DNRW	Do not reverse work	Lj	Lock join
btwn	between		

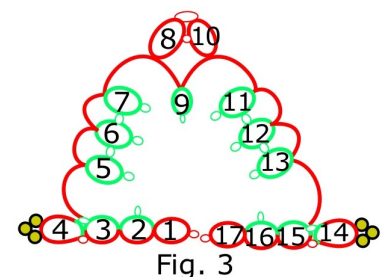
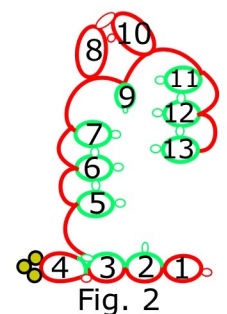
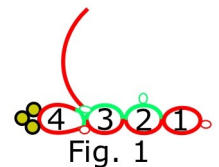
Materials required

2 shuttles, size 20 thread and seed beads. The finished bell measures roughly 2" excluding the large bottom bead.

Start with the colour you want to be on the OUTSIDE (in the diagrams this is red) with 3¼ yards of thread and 4 beads (R18) followed by 6 more (SR4 & SR14) added. Add 3 yards to the other shuttle.

Outer round

- R1: 6 vsp 6 Cl
- SR2: 6 / 2 vsp 4 Cl
- SR3: 5 vsp 1 / 5 vsp 1 Cl Move 3 beads to back of hand before starting next SR
- SR4: 1 + (vsp SR3) 10 BBB 7 / 1 + (vsp SR3) 1 Cl DNRW SS
- Ch: 10 RW
- R5: 8 vsp 4 - 4 Cl RW
- Ch: 8 RW
- R6: 4 + B (R5) 4 vsp 4 - 4 Cl RW
- Ch: 10 RW
- R7: 4 + B (R6) 4 vsp 8 Cl RW
- Ch: 10 DNRW SS
- RoCh8: 8 LBP (9 beads) 2 vsp 6 Cl DNRW SS
- Ch: 6 RW
- R9: 4 vsp 4 Cl RW
- Ch: 6 DNRW SS
- RoCh10: 6 + (vsp R8) 2 + (LBP on R8) 8 Cl DNRW SS
- Ch: 10 RW
- R11: 8 vsp 4 - 4 Cl RW
- Ch: 10 RW
- R12: 4 + B (R11) 4 vsp 4 - 4 Cl RW
- Ch: 8 RW
- R13: 4 + B (R12) 4 vsp 8 Cl RW
- Ch: 10 SS DNRW Move 3 beads to back of hand before starting next SR
- SR14: 7 BBB 10 vsp 1 / 1 vsp 1 Cl
- SR15: 1 + (vsp SR14) 5 / 1 + (vsp SR14) 5 Cl



SR16: 6 / 4 vsp 2 CI

R17: 6 vsp 6 CI RW

Inner round – the arrow shows the direction of work.

Ch: 2 + (vsp SR16) 6 + (vsp R13) RW Move 4 beads to back of hand before starting next R

R18: 5 BBBB 4 CI RW

Ch: 6 + (vsp R12) RW

R19: 3 + (R18 btwn 2 beads) 3 CI RW

Ch: 6 + (R11) 4 + (vsp R9) 4 + (vsp R7) 6 + (vsp R6) RW

R20: 3 + (R18 btwn 2 beads) 3 CI RW

Ch: 6 + (R5) RW

R21: 4 + (R18 btwn 2 beads) 5 CI RW

Ch: 6 + (vsp SR2) 2 T & C base R1

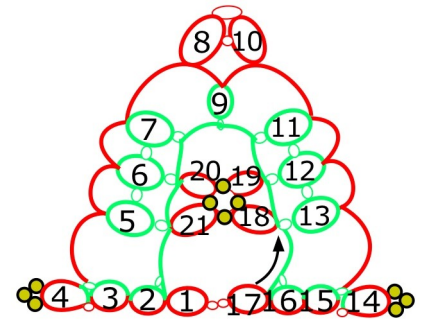


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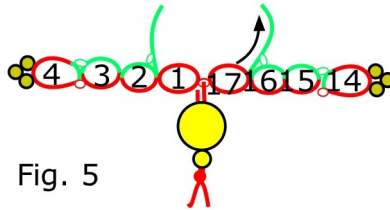


Fig. 5

Take a doubled thread through the vsp's on R1 and R17 then through a large bead. Add another seed bead and tie an overhand knot. A dab of glue can be added for security and when that dries the ends can be cut close to the knot.