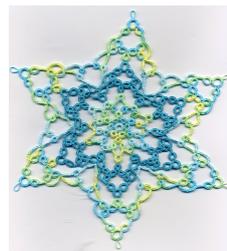


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In over 50 years of tatting I have never designed a doily – until now!!!  
Using a size 20 thread the doily measures 7 1/2"

**Abbreviations**

R	ring	Ch	chain
SS	Switch shuttles	Fvsp	False very small picot
SR	Split ring	vsp	Very small picot
Cl	close	RW	Reverse work
CR	Centre ring	DNRW	Do not reverse work
T & C	Tie and cut	+	Normal join
Lj	Lock join		

Note: for those who prefer front side/back side tatting the text in italics and red indicates where the worker needs to use the second half of the ds first.

**Skills required** – knowledge of split rings

**Materials required** – thread and 2 shuttles

**Note** On round 4 you will be told to join to base of SR's. It is easy to put your hook through the place where the following chain starts to pick up your joining thread.

**Centre Ring**

CR: 3 vsp 3 vsp 3 vsp 3 vsp 3 vsp 3 (5 vsp's) Cl DNRW

**Round 1**

SR1: Fvsp 3 vsp 6 / Fvsp 3 Cl

R2: 4 vsp 4 vsp 4 Cl

\*SR3: 6 / 3 + (next vsp on CR) 3 Cl

R4: 4 vsp 4 vsp 4 Cl

Repeat from \* 3 times

SR11: 6 / 3 + (next vsp on CR) 3 + (vsp SR1) Cl

SR12: 4 vsp 4 / 4 Cl. Continue to next round

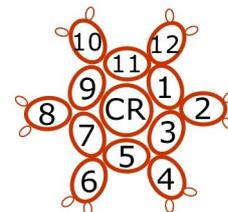


Fig. 1 - round 1

**Round 2**

SR1: Fvsp 6 / Fvsp 6 Cl SS

\*Ch: 2 SS

SR2: 3 vsp 3 / 6 Cl SS

Ch: 2 RW

*R3: 6 + (1<sup>st</sup> p on next R last round) 6 Cl RW*

Ch: 5 SS

SR4: 6 vsp 6 / 3 Cl SS

Ch: 5 RW

*R5: 6 + (2<sup>nd</sup> p on next R last round) 6 Cl RW*

Repeat from \* 4 times (see fig. 2) followed by

Ch: 2 SS

SR22: 3 vsp 3 / 6 RW SS

Ch: 2 RW

*R23: 6 + (next p on last round) 6 Cl RW*

Ch: 5 SS

SR24: 6 vsp 6 / 3 Cl

Ch: 5 RW T & C to base SR1

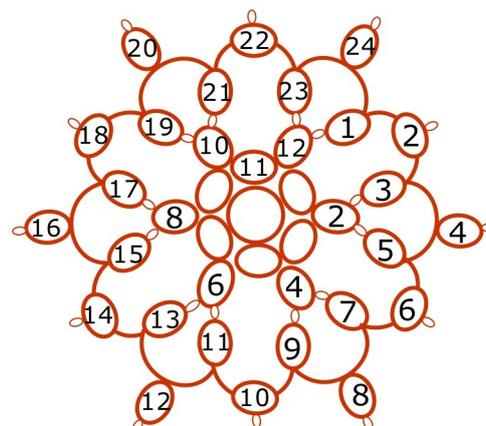


Fig. 2 - round 2

### Round 3

R1: 1 vsp 5 vsp 1 vsp 5 CI RW SS

R2: 1 + (vsp R1) 5 + (p on larger SR last round) 5 vsp 1 CI RW SS – see fig. 3

SR3: 5 vsp 1 / 1 + (vsp R2) 5 CI

R4: 1 + (vsp SR3) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 CI

SR5: 1 + (vsp R4) 5 / 6 CI RW

\*Ch: 8 RW

R6: 2 vsp 2 vsp 4 CI RW

Ch: 6 + (next SR round 2) 6 Lj (2<sup>nd</sup> p R6) 8 RW

SR7: 5 vsp 1 / 6 CI

R8: 1 + (vsp R8) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 CI

SR9: 1 + (vsp R8) 5 / 5 vsp 1 CI RW SS

R10: 1 + (vsp SR9) 5 + (next SR round 2) 5 vsp 1 CI RW SS

SR11: 5 vsp 1 / 1 + (vsp R10) 5 CI

R12: 1 + (vsp SR11) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 CI

SR13: 1 + (vsp R12) 5 / 6 CI RW

Repeat from \* 4 times then continue as follows

Ch: 8 RW

R46: 2 vsp 2 vsp 4 CI RW

Ch: 6 + (next SR round 2) 6 Lj (2<sup>nd</sup> p R46) 8 RW

SR47: 5 vsp 1 / 6 + (vsp R1) CI

SR48: 1 + (vsp SR47) 5 / + (2<sup>nd</sup> vsp R1) 1 + (next vsp R1) 5 CI SS continue to next round

### Round 4

Ch: vsp 3 SS

\*SR1: 7 vsp 1 / 8 CI

SR2: 1 + (SR1) 7 vsp 7 vsp 1 / 3 CI

SR3: 1 + (vsp SR2) 7 / 8 CI SS

Ch: 3 Lj (vsp R of next clover on round 3) 6 vsp 6 Lj

(base SR5 on round 3) 6 Lj (vsp R6 on round 3) vsp 6 Lj

(base SR7) 6 vsp 6 Lj (vsp R8) 3 SS

Repeat from \* all round joining before working the last 3ds to vsp on first Ch . T & C

### Round 5

R1: 1 vsp 7 vsp 1 vsp 7 CI RW SS

R2: 1 + (vsp R1) 7 + (p on larger SR round 3) 7 vsp 1 CI RW SS

SR3: 7 vsp 1 / 1 + (vsp R2) 7 CI

R4: 1 + (vsp SR3) 7 vsp 7 vsp 1 CI

SR5: 1 + (vsp R4) 7 / 8 CI SS

Ch: vsp 10 SS DNRW

\*SR6: 3 vsp 3 / 6 CI SS

Ch: 6 Lj (vsp round 4) 6 Lj (next vsp round 4) 6 Lj (next vsp round 4) 6 SS DNRW

SR7: 3 vsp 3 / 6 CI SS

Ch: 10 SS

SR8: 7 vsp 1 / 8 CI

R9: 1 + (vsp SR8) 7 vsp 7 vsp 1 CI

SR10: 1 + (vsp R9) 7 / 7 vsp 1 CI RW SS

R11: 1 + (vsp SR10) 7 + (next SR round 4) 7 vsp 1 CI RW SS

SR12: 7 vsp 1 / 1 + (vsp R11) 7 CI

R13: 1 + (vsp SR12) 7 vsp 7 vsp 1 CI

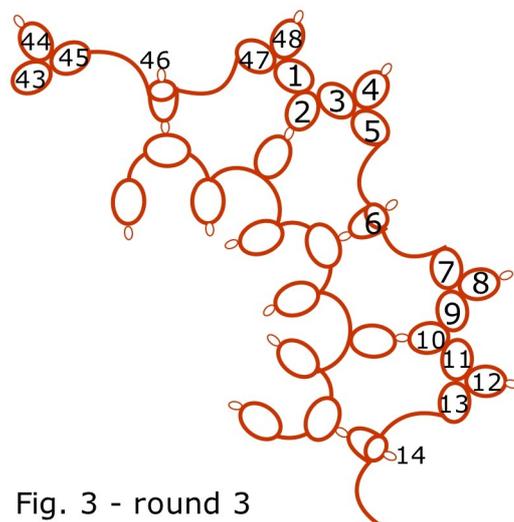


Fig. 3 - round 3

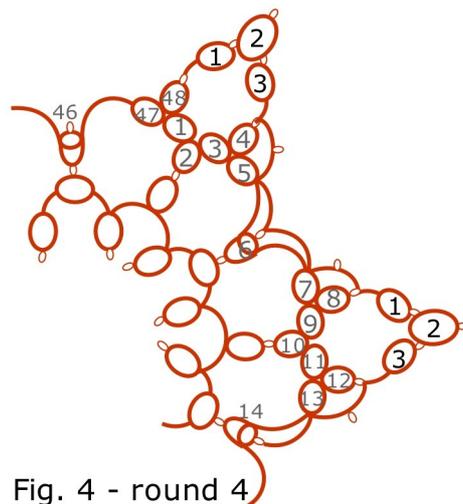


Fig. 4 - round 4

SR14: 1 + (vsp R13) 7 / 8 CI SS  
Ch: 10 SS

Repeat from \* 4 times then continue as follows

SR51: 3 vsp 3 / 6 CI SS

Ch: 6 Lj (vsp round 4) 6 Lj (next vsp round 4) 6 Lj (next vsp round 4) 6 SS DNRW

SR52: 3 vsp 3 / 6 CI SS

Ch: 10 SS

SR53: 7 vsp 1 / 8 + (1<sup>st</sup> vsp R1) CI

SR54: 1 + (vsp SR53) 7 / 1 + (vsp R1) 7 CI SS continue to next round

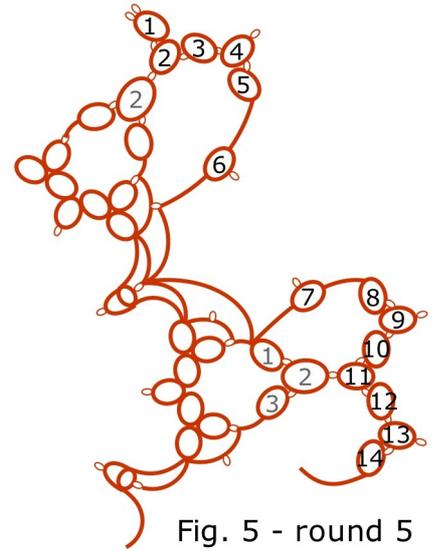


Fig. 5 - round 5

### Round 6

Ch: vsp 5 SS

\*SR1: 7 vsp 1 / 8 CI

SR2: 1 + (vsp SR1) 9 - 9 vsp 1 / 5 CI

SR3: 1 + (vsp SR2) 7 / 8 CI SS

Ch: 5 Lj (R4 round 5) 16 Lj (base SR5 on round 5) 14 RW

*R4: 5 + (vsp SR6 on round 5) 5 CI RW*

Ch: 8 RW

*R5: 5 + (vsp SR7 on round 5) 5 CI RW*

Ch: 14 Lj (base SR8 round 5) 16 Lj (vsp R9 round 5) 5 SS

Repeat from \* four times then continue

SR26: 7 vsp 1 / 8 CI

SR27: 1 + (vsp SR26) 9 - 9 vsp 1 / 5 CI

SR28: 1 + (vsp SR27) 7 / 8 CI SS

Ch: 5 Lj (R4 round 5) 16 Lj (base SR5 on round 5) 14 RW

*R29: 5 + (vsp SR6 on round 5) 5 CI RW*

Ch: 8 RW

*R30: 5 + (vsp SR7 on round 5) 5 CI RW*

Ch: 14 Lj (base SR8 round 5) 16 T & C to vsp at start of first Ch

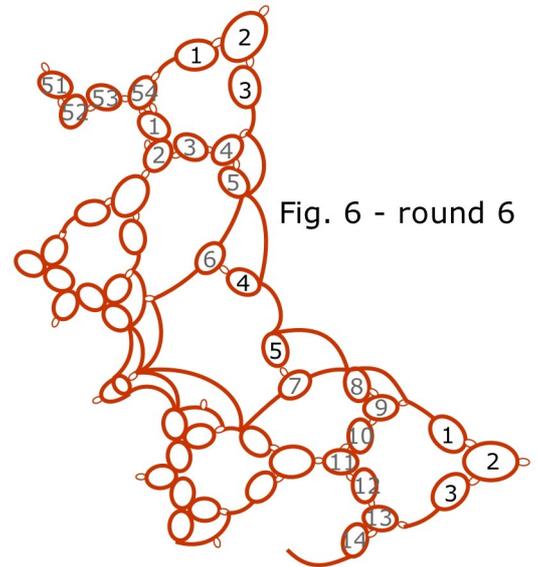


Fig. 6 - round 6

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