Snow Fower Ice Drop
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## Requirements:

Size 20 thread, a $3 / 4$ inch ( 19 mm ) cabochon, size 11 seed beads 54 blue and 54 silver, or any colour combination you prefer, A Big Eye Needle for stringing the beads and the usual tatting equipment.

## Abbreviations:

R. = ring, $\mathrm{p}=$ picot, $\mathrm{cl}=$ close ring, $\mathrm{RW}=$ reverse work, CH. $=$ chain, $+=$ join, $\mathrm{B}=$ bead

## Row 1

String the 54 blue beads then the 54 silver beads, then wind about 3 meters, with all the silver beads leaving the blue ones on the ball thread.
R.A 5, p 2, p, 2, p, 5, cl, (Fig 1)|RW
R.B Bring 3 beads from the shuttle ino the ring round your hand 6, p, 2, 3B, 2, p, 6, cl, (Fig 2) fold ring B down behind ring A

* CH . 2, bring up a bead from the shuttle and a bead from the ball, 1 , bring up a bead from the shuttle and a bead from the ball, I, bring up a bead from the shuttle and a bead from the ball, 1 , bring up 3 beads fron the shuttle, 2 ,
1 , bring up a bead from the shuttle and a bead from the ball, 1 , bring up a bead from the shuttle and a bead from the ball, 1 , bring up a bead from the shuttle and a bead from the ball, 2, tension to shape into a pointed curve, (Fig 4) RW**
R.C 5 , + to ring A, 2, p, 2, p, 5, cl, RW
R.D Bring 3 beads from the shuttle into the ring round your hand 6 , + to ring $\mathrm{B}, 2,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2, \mathrm{p}, 6, \mathrm{cl}$, fold down behind ring C
CH. Repeat from * to ${ }^{* *}$
R.E 5, + to ring C, 2, p, 2, p, 5, cl, RW
R.F Bring 3 beads from the shuttle into the ring round your hand $6,+$ to ring $\mathrm{D}, 2,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2, \mathrm{p}, 6, \mathrm{cl}$, fold down behind ring E
CH. Repeat from * to **
R.G 5, + to ring E, 2, p, 2, p, 5, cl, RW
R.H Bring 3 beads from the shuttle into the ring round your hand 6 , + to ring $\mathrm{F}, 2,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2, \mathrm{p}, 6, \mathrm{cl}$, fold down behind ring G
CH. Repeat from * to **
R.I 5, + to ring G, 2, p, 2, p, 5, cl, RW
R.J Bring 3 beads from the shuttle into the ring round your hand $6,+$ to ring $\mathrm{H}, 2,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2, \mathrm{p}, 6, \mathrm{cl}$, fold down behind ring I
CH. Repeat from * to **
R.K 5, + to ring I, 2, p, 2, + to ring A, 5, cl, RW

Slip the cabochon in between the two sets of rings.
R.L Bring 3 beads from the shuttle into the ring round your hand

CH. Repeat from * to **
Cut and tie to the base of rings A and B. (Fig 4)
Secure the ends.


Fig 2


Fig 3


