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## Materials and tools:

Size 20 thread, two shuttles, a paperclip a for picot gauge and the usual tatting tatting equipment

## Abbreviations:

CTM = continuous thread method
SR. = split ring, $\mathrm{cl}=$ close ring, $\mathrm{p}=$ picot,
vsp $=$ very small picot, $\mathrm{CH} .=$ chain,
Orj $=$ onion ring join, $\mathrm{sj}=$ shuttle join

Wind two shuttles CTM with about 3 metres on shuttle 1 and bout 2 metres on shuttle 2
Start the split rings using shuttle 1 .
/ Indicates where you change to shuttle 2


## Row 1

SR.A 4, p, $4 / \mathrm{vsp}, 6, \mathrm{cl}$
*SR.B 4, p, 4/6, cl

## Repeat from *five times more

SR.H $4 / 6$, join to vsp on SR.A (using the technique of joining to the second side of a split ring) 4, cl, tie the threads together to make a false picot to
match the size of the other picots on the split rings.


## Row 2

Use shuttle 2 to work with and treat shuttle 1 as a ball thread.
CH. 3, p, 5, p, 3, sj to the picot on the adjacent split ring Repeat this chain 6 more times

CH. 3, p, 5, p, 3, sj to the false picot on SR.H


## Row 3

Use shuttle 2 to work with and treat shuttle 1 as a ball thread.
CH. 2, Orj into the first picot on the adjacent chain,
$3, \mathrm{p}, 3$, Orj to the second picot on the same chain, 2
sj to the small space above the sj on the previous row
Repeat this chain 6 more times then
CH. 2, Orj into the first picot on the adjacent chain, $3, \mathrm{p}, 3$, Orj to the second picot on the same chain, 2

Cut and tie to the start of the row. Secure the ends.


## Row 4

Wind about 2 metres on your shuttle. Do not cut.
R.A $6,+$ to the picot on one of the chains on row $3,6, \mathrm{cl}, \mathrm{RW}$

CH. $4,(\mathrm{p}, 3) \times 6, \mathrm{p}, 4$ tension to curve as in the picture $\left(1 \frac{1}{4}\right.$ inches $(32 \mathrm{~mm})$ ), RW
*R.B $6,+$ to the picot on the adjacent chain on row $3,6, \mathrm{cl}, \mathrm{RW}$
CH. $4,(\mathrm{p}, 3) \times 6, \mathrm{p}, 4$ tension to curve as in the picture ( $11 / 4$ inches $(32 \mathrm{~mm})$ ), RW
Repeat from * six more times to complete the row then cut and tie to the base of ring A


## Row 5

Wind about 5 metres on your shuttle. Do not cut
R.A 8 , + to the last but one picot on one of the chains on row $4,8, \mathrm{cl}$,
R.B 8, miss the first picot on the adjacent chain and + to the second one, $8, \mathrm{cl}$, RW

CH. $\quad 4,(\mathrm{p}, 3) \times 5$, tension to curve as in the picture $(5 / 8$ inch $(16 \mathrm{~mm}))$, RW
R.C 6 , miss one picot on the same chain then + to the following one, $6, \mathrm{cl}, \mathrm{RW}$

CH. $\quad(3, \mathrm{p}) \times 5,4$, tension as before, RW
*R.D 8, miss one picot on the same chain as last time then + to the next one, $8, \mathrm{cl}$
R.E 8, miss the first picot on the adjacent chain and + to the second one, $8, \mathrm{cl}, \mathrm{RW}$

CH. $4,(\mathrm{p}, 3) \times 5$, tension to curve as in the picture $(5 / 8 \mathrm{inch}(16 \mathrm{~mm})$ ), RW
R.F $\quad 6$, miss one picot on the same chain then + to the following one, $6, \mathrm{cl}, \mathrm{RW}$

CH. (3, p) x 5, 4, tension as before, RW
Repeat from * six more times to complete the row
Cut and tie to the base of rings A \& B then secure the ends.
Block and stiffen as required.


