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### Abbreviations

R	ring	SR	Split ring
Ch	chain	B	bead
RW	Reverse work	vsp	Very small picot
btwn	between	Sh1	Shuttle 1
Sh2	Shuttle 2	MB	Move bead along core thread
Cl	close	SS	Switch shuttles
LCh	Lock chain – first half flipped, second half wrapped. Repeat given numbers of times		

**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.

**Materials required:** Number 20 thread (gives a bird with a wingspan of 3”), size 11 seed bead (one only).

Wind 4 yards on Sh1 & 3½ on Sh2. Tie both shuttle ends together with an overhand knot.

### Right Wing

B on Sh1

LCh: 6 RW

B at back of hand

SR1: 6 vsp 2 / 2 MB 7 Cl

SR2: 2 + (vsp SR1) 5 / 7 vsp 4 – 4 Cl

SR3: 8 / 7 vsp 1 Cl RW SS

*R4: 1 + (vsp SR3) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 Cl*

*R5: 1 + (vsp SR4) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 Cl RW SS*

SR6: 6 / 1 + (vsp R5) 4 vsp 1 Cl

SR7: 5 / 1 + (vsp SR6) 3 vsp 1 Cl

SR8: 4 / 1 + (vsp SR7) 3 Cl RW

LCh: 4 RW

R9: 2 – 2 vsp 1 Cl SS

Ch: 1 + (vsp R9) 1 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 (5 picots) RW

*R10: 3 + (vsp btwn SR8 & SR7) 3 Cl RW*

Ch: 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 (4 picots) Lj (R5) 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 (4 picots) Lj (R4) 4 vsp 4 T & C picot on SR2

### Left Wing

Hold hummingbird with the head up and wing facing to the left when making the join in R11.

*R11: 1 vsp 7 + (vsp SR2) 8 Cl RW SS*

R12: 1 + (vsp R11) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 Cl

R13: 1 + (vsp SR12) 5 vsp 5 vsp 1 Cl RW SS

*SR14: 6 / 1 + (vsp R13) 4 vsp 1 Cl*

*SR15: 5 / 1 + (vsp SR14) 3 vsp 1 Cl*

*SR16: 4 / 1 + (vsp SR15) 3 Cl RW*

LCh: 4 RW

*R17: 2 – 2 vsp 1 Cl SS*

*Ch: 1 + (vsp R17) 1 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 (5 picots)*

*RW*

R18: 3 + (vsp btwn SR16 & SR15) 3 Cl RW

*Ch: 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 (4 picots) Lj (R13) 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 (4 picots) Lj (R12) 4 vsp 4 Lj*

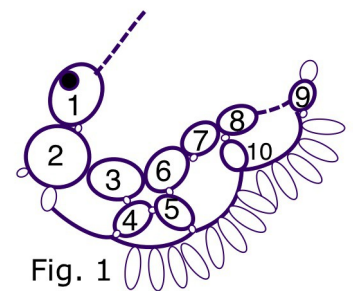


Fig. 1

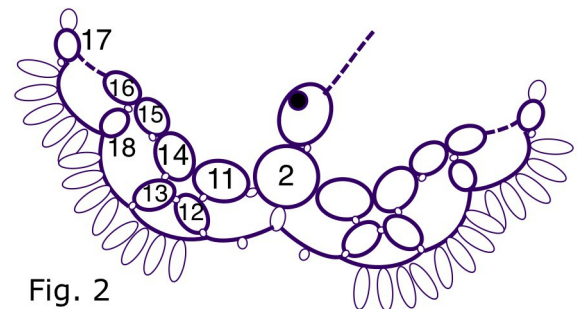


Fig. 2

*(picot SR2 – the same picot as the last wing) RW*

**Body**

SR19: 4 + (vsp last Ch on right wing) 1 / 4 + (vsp last Ch on left wing) 1 vsp 1 vsp 1 vsp 1 vsp 1 vsp 1 (5 vsp's) CI SS

**Tail**

LCh: 12

Ch: 5 vsp 1

\*LCh: 12 Lj (next vsp SR19) 12

Ch: 1 + (vsp last Ch) 4 vsp 1

Rep from \* twice then

LCh: 12 Lj (next vsp SR19) 12

Ch: 1 + (vsp last Ch) 5

LCh: 12 T & C to last vsp on SR19.

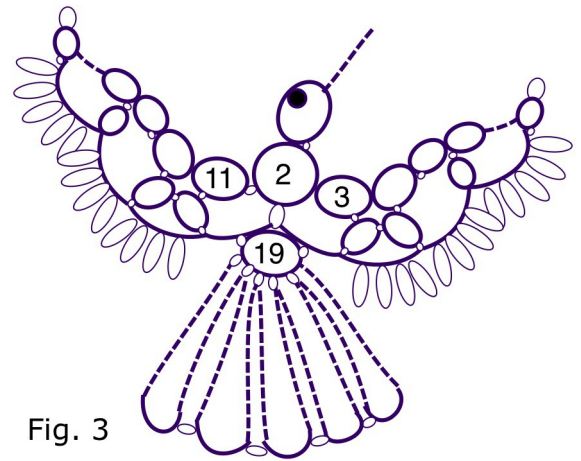


Fig. 3

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