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Note – In all patterns leave beads on shuttle until required (unless otherwise stated) and then move into place. All doodles are made with threads wound CTM again unless stated otherwise.

There are two sizes of squirrel below.

Abbreviations

R Ring Ch chain

RW Reverse work S Starting place

SR Split ring Smp Small picot (not a vsp)
- or p Picot vsp Very small picot

SS Switch shuttles Lj Lock join

MB Move bead into place DNRW Do not reverse work

Squirrel - small - 2 shuttles.

1 yard on each shuttle with bead on Sh1. Leave B on shuttle.

R1: 4 - (ear) 4 MB (eye) 2 smp (nose) 3 vsp 1 Cl RW

Ch: vsp 2 RW

SR2: 2 + (vsp R1) 3 - (front leg) 4 / 2 vsp 6 Cl

SR3: 3 - (back leg) 6 / 6 CI DNRW SS

Ch: 1 - (7 times) 1 Lj (vsp SR2) - 1 - 1 RW SS

Ch: Lj (vsp Ch) – 1 (7 times) Tie overhand knot and cut.

Larger version - 2 shuttles

11/4 yard on each shuttle with bead on Sh1. Leave B on shuttle.

R1: 9 - (ear) 3 MB (eye) 3 smp (nose) 4 vsp 1 Cl RW

Ch: 1 vsp 2 RW

SR2: 2 + (vsp R1) 5 - (front leg) 5 / 3 vsp 8 Cl

SR3: 5 - (back leg) 5 / 8 CI DNRW SS

Ch: 1 - (9 times) 1 Lj (vsp SR2) - 1 - 1 - 1 Lj (vsp Ch) - 1 - 1 - 1

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SLT RW

Ch: - 1 (6 times) Tie overhand knot and cut.

Acorn - 1 shuttle & chain thread.

1 yard on Sh1 & $\frac{1}{2}$ yard on Sh2.

SR: 10 - 10 / vsp 8 Cl SS

Ch: 5 Lp 5 Lj (vsp) T & C (vsp SR)

