Celtic Catrin Ice Drop

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Requirements:

Size 20 thread, a cabochon size ¾ inch (19 mm),
and the usual tatting equipment

Abbreviations:

R. = Ring, p = picot, cl = close ring, RW = reverse work,
CH. = Chain, + = join

Row 1

Wind about 2½ meters on your shuttle. Do not cut.

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R.A	6, p, 4, p, 6, cl, (Fig 1) RW
R.B	2, (p, 2) x 8, cl, (Fig 2) fold ring B down behind ring B
CH.	18, tension to measure ¾ inch (19 mm), (Fig 3), RW
R.C	6, + to ring A, 4, p, 6, cl, (Fig 4) RW
R.D	2, (p, 2) x 2, + to ring B, 2, (p, 2) x 5, cl,
	Fold ring D down behind ring D
CH.	18, tension to measure ¾ inch (19 mm), RW
R.E	6, + to ring C, 4, p, 6, cl, RW
R.F	2, (p, 2) x 2, + to ring D, 2, (p, 2(x 5, cl
	Fold ring F down behind ring E
CH.	18, tension to measure ¾ inch (19 mm), RW
R.G	6, + to ring E, 4, p, 5, cl, RW
R.H	2, (p, 2) x 2, + to ring F, 2, (p, 2) x 5, cl
	Fold ring H down behind ring G
CH.	18, tension to measure ¾ inch (19 mm), RW
R.I	6, + to ring G, 4, p, 6, cl, RW
R.J	2, (p, 2) x 2, + to ring H, 2, (p, 2) x 5, cl
	Fold ring J down behind ring I
CH.	18, tension to measure ¾ inch (19 mm), RW
R.K	6, + to ring I, 4, + to ring A, 6, cl
	Slip the cabochon between the two sets of rings
R.L	2, (p, 2) x 2, + to ring J, 2, (p, 2) x 2,
	+ to ring B, 2, (p, 2) x 2, cl, RW
CH.	18, tension to ¾ inch (19 mm)
	Cut and tie to the base of rings A and B.
	Secure the ends.

Fig 1
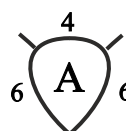
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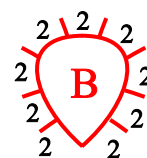
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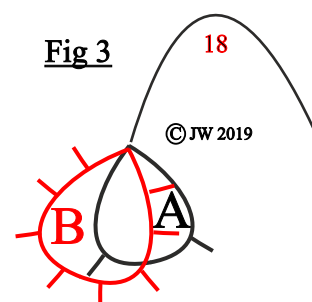
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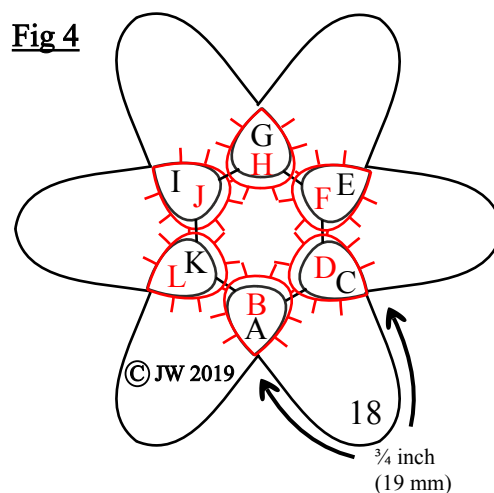
Row 2

Wind about 4 meters on your shuttle. Do not cut.

*R.A	6, p, 4, p, 2, cl
R.B	2, + to previous ring, 4, (p, 2) x 4, p, 4, p, 2, cl
R.C	2, + to previous ring, 4, p, 6, cl, RW
CH.	22, tension to measure ¾ inch (19 mm), (Fig 5), RW**

Fig 6

Fig 5

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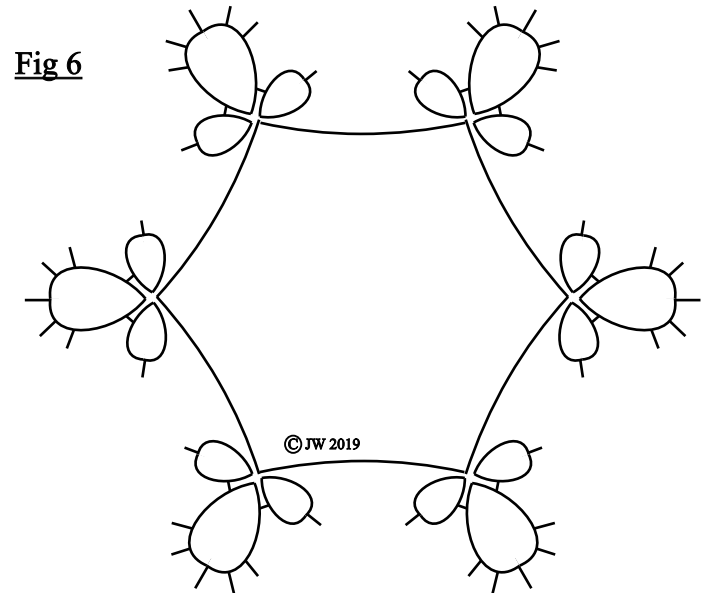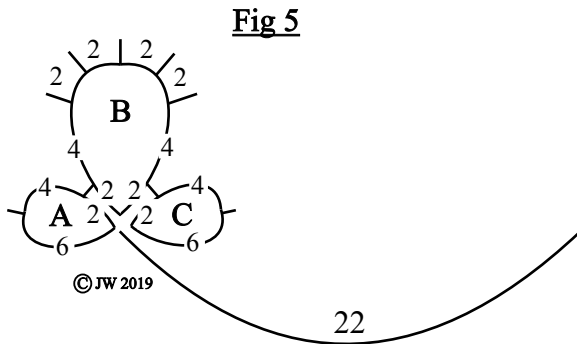
Repeat from * to ** five more times.
Cut and tie to the base of the first three ring group.
Secure the ends.

Assembling the ice drop

Place row 1 inside row 2 then draw each of the three ring groups in turn, through the chains of row 1.
Block and stiffen as required.

Fig 6

Fig 7

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