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Tatted Ice Cream Cone



It's been a hot summer in Colorado. Earlier this month, I was hot and was trying to talk myself out of cooling down with some ice cream. Then it hit me--why not tat an ice cream cone instead? So I did, and saved myself a bunch of calories in the process!

This is an intermediate-level 2-shuttle pattern using simple rings and chains. It was tatted using Flora size 20 thread.

ds	double stitch	R	ring
Ch	chain	j	join
р	picot	bj	beaded join
lp	long picot	lj	lock join

You will need:

Flora thread in your choice of color for the cone, size 20 Flora thread in white for the ice cream, size 20 10 2-3mm tiger eye beads 2 tatting shuttles Sewing needle and matching thread

Cone

Round 1 Use thread in your choice of color R: 8ds p 6ds p 2ds, close R: 2ds j to last p (3ds p) 8 times, 2ds, close R: 2ds j to last p 6ds p 8ds, close, turn Ch: 10ds lj to p on last R Ch: (3ds p) 3 times, 3ds, Ij to 3rd p of large R Ch: (3ds p) 3 times, 3ds, Ij to center p of large R, do not turn At this point, either do the shoelace trick or change to the second shuttle. R: 3ds j to last p of previous Ch (3ds p) 6 times, 3ds, close, do not turn At this point, either do the shoelace trick or change to the second shuttle. Ch: 3ds j to last p of previous R (3ds p) twice, 3ds lj to 7th p of large R Ch: (3ds p) 3 times, 3ds lj to center p of next R Ch: 10ds, cut and tie to base of clover leaf.

Round 2

Tie thread to first available p at the top of the cone Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, skip next p lj to next p Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, turn R: 4ds j to center p of next ch on previous round 4ds, close, turn Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, turn R: 8ds j to 3rd p of R on previous round 8ds, close, turn Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, turn R: 6ds p 6ds, close, turn Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds p 1ds, do not turn R: 2ds j to last p of previous Ch 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds p 2ds, close, do not turn Ch: 1ds j to last p of previous R 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, turn R: 6ds j to center p of corresponding R 6 ds, close, turn Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, turn R: 8ds j to 5th p of R on previous round 8ds, close, turn Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, turn R: 4ds j to center p of next ch on previous round 4ds, close, turn Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, lj to 1st p on next Ch on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 3 times, 3ds, li to last p on same Ch on previous round Cut and tie

Ice cream

Round 1 Use white thread Thread 2 beads onto shuttle thread R: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds lp (2ds p) 5 times, 2ds lp 2ds p 2ds p 3ds, close, turn Repeat previous R J to bottom of prevous R *Slide down one bead R: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds bj to lp of previous R (2ds p) 5 times, 2ds lp 2ds p 2ds p 3ds, close, turn Repeat previous R J to bottom of previous R* Repeat between * one more time

Repeat between * one more time Round 2 Ch: 9ds bj to lp of previous R, 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times, 3ds, skip one p and lj to next p Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to first p after bj on next R of previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 5 times, 3ds, skip 3 p, j to next p (should be last p before bj on same R) Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, skip 3 p after bj, j in next p Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times, 3ds, bj to next available lp Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to center p of R on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 8 times, 3ds, lj to center p of next R on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 8 times, 3ds, lj to center p of next R on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to center p of next R on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to center p of next R on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to next available lp Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to next available lp Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to center p of next R on previous round Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to next available lp Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 7 times, 3ds, lj to next available lp

Cut and tie next to first bj on this round. Steam in shape and sew using needle and thread to the cone.

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