

## Lace Challenge – 2011 – Intermediate/Advanced

The lace challenge for this year is to take an unmarked pricking and create piece of Torchon lace as viewed in the diagram. Your choices are:

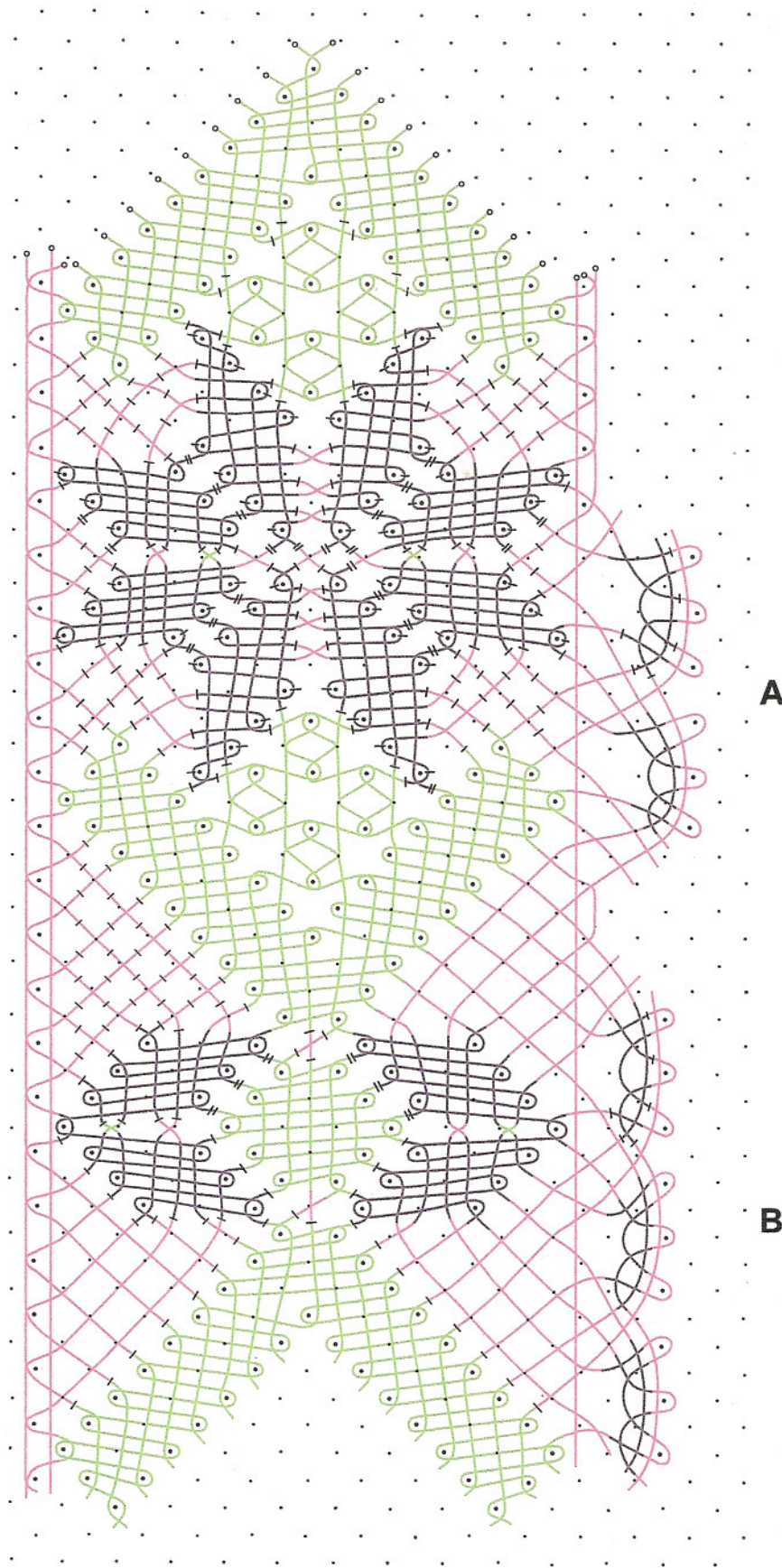
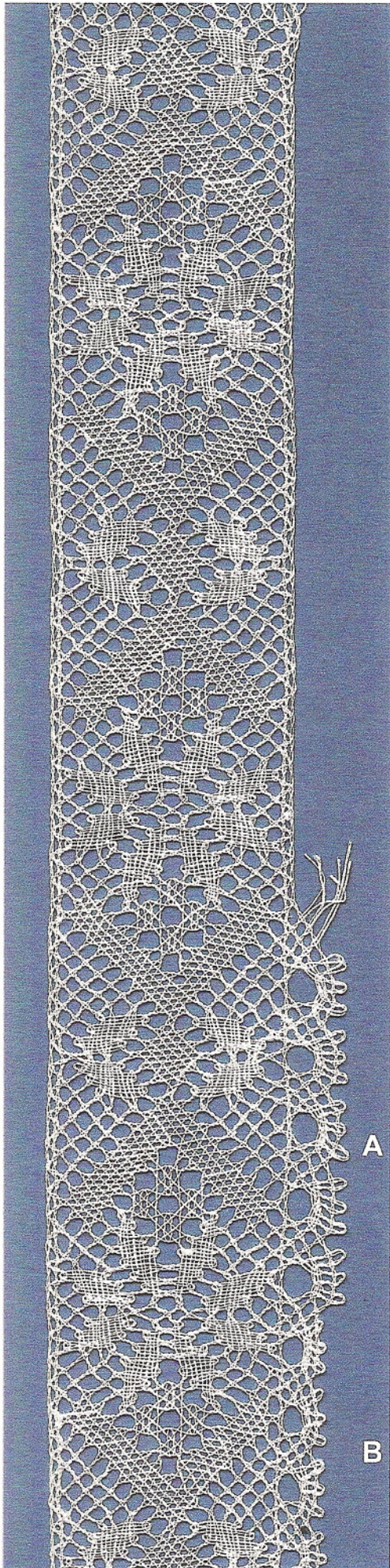
- Make a bookmark using at least one 'star' repeat
- Make an insertion of any desired length
- Make an edging with the 'A' diagram of any desired length
- Make an edging with the 'B' diagram of any desired length

The choice of thread is up to the lacer. Ground stitches can be changed and an alternative to the rose ground can be used. Lacers can be as creative with the design as they like. There are no written instructions but the diagram is quite good for following. The 'green' areas are half stitch, the 'black' indicates cloth stitch and the 'red' indicates ground stitch.

Feel free to 'add' threads such as gimp to the work and/or metallics for a different look. This is your opportunity to let your imagination run wild.

You have until January of 2012 to complete your piece. Most lacers should be familiar with all three stitches being used. The pricking sheet gives an idea of the type and size of thread. If you would prefer to use a different size thread, you would need to either size the pricking sheet up or down according to your preference.

Happy Lacing  
Mary Blumenstein  
President - GCL



A

B

# Standardraster Standard pricking

Standardmönster (STM) I för  
Bockens lintråd 50/2 till 60/2,  
motsvarar 2 mm rutpapper.

STM I finns att köpa hos  
Föreningen Svenska Spetsar  
i Vadstena:

*Delsbospets 4 mm nålavstånd*  
(= STM I).

Storlek: 100×420 mm

Pris (år 2010) = 165,- SEK

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Standardraster I für Bockens  
Leinengarn von NeL 50/2 bis  
NeL 60/2, entspricht 2 mm-  
Karopapier.

Standard pricking I for  
Bockens linen thread NeL 50  
to 60/2, corresponds to 2 mm  
squared paper.