



Kaarvan Crafts Foundation

Crafting Livelihoods



CRAFT DIRECTORY





Aksai
Chin

Gilgit
Gilgit-Baltistan

**Khyber
Pakhtunkhwa**

Mingora
Mardan
Peshawar
Rawalpindi
ISLAMABAD
AJK

Jammu and Kashmir

FATA

Sialkot
Sargodha
Faisalabad
Lahore

Punjab

Multan
Bahawalpur

Chaman
Quetta

Zhob

Balochistan

Dera Murad
Jamali
Khuzdar
Sukkur

Sindh

Larkana
Nawabshah
Mirpur Khas
Hyderabad
Karachi



OUR IMPACT



15

DISTRICTS



MORE THAN
24000

WOMEN EMPOWERED



MORE THAN
1000

VILLAGES



MORE THAN
250

DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

KAARVAN CRAFTS FOUNDATION

Kaarvan Crafts Foundation is a Not-for-Profit company and also a hub of innovation, passion and humility. Kaarvan provides life skills to Pakistani Rural Female Artisans in order to build their confidence to participate in local decision-making and carving connections with relevant urban markets. It's all integration and working within the multidimensional network of stakeholders and connecting institutional silos. Kaarvan is deeply humbled to work side by side with The British Asian Trust, DFID - UK Department for International Development, Punjab Skills Development Fund (PSDF), Center for Economic Research in Pakistan (CERP), Samsung and many other affiliates to expand Pakistani Rural Female Artisans personal capacities to act with others for socially constructive purposes. With Kaarvan's Theory of Change revolving around education, enablement and empowerment of women's economic capacities — Kaarvan places women in the heart of development.

With integrated holistic developmental approach that caters to both human dignity and individual integrity — Kaarvan is thinking global and acting locally.



Polle stitch and dandi kanka: Satin Stitch & stem stitch



Crosstitch



Ari kanka



Kashmiri Kanka



Taar Kashi with tilla on velvet



Kacha Kanka & polle kanka



Mirror work on schiffie fabric



Kacha tanka on schiffliie fabric



Rilli, cut work with zari taar and schiffie fabric



croche flower in silk thread with dandi tanka



lazy daisy, dandi and sondi tanka with beads



woolen pompom with dandi tanka



kacha tanka with zanjeer tanka outline



rilli with natural dyed block printed muslin





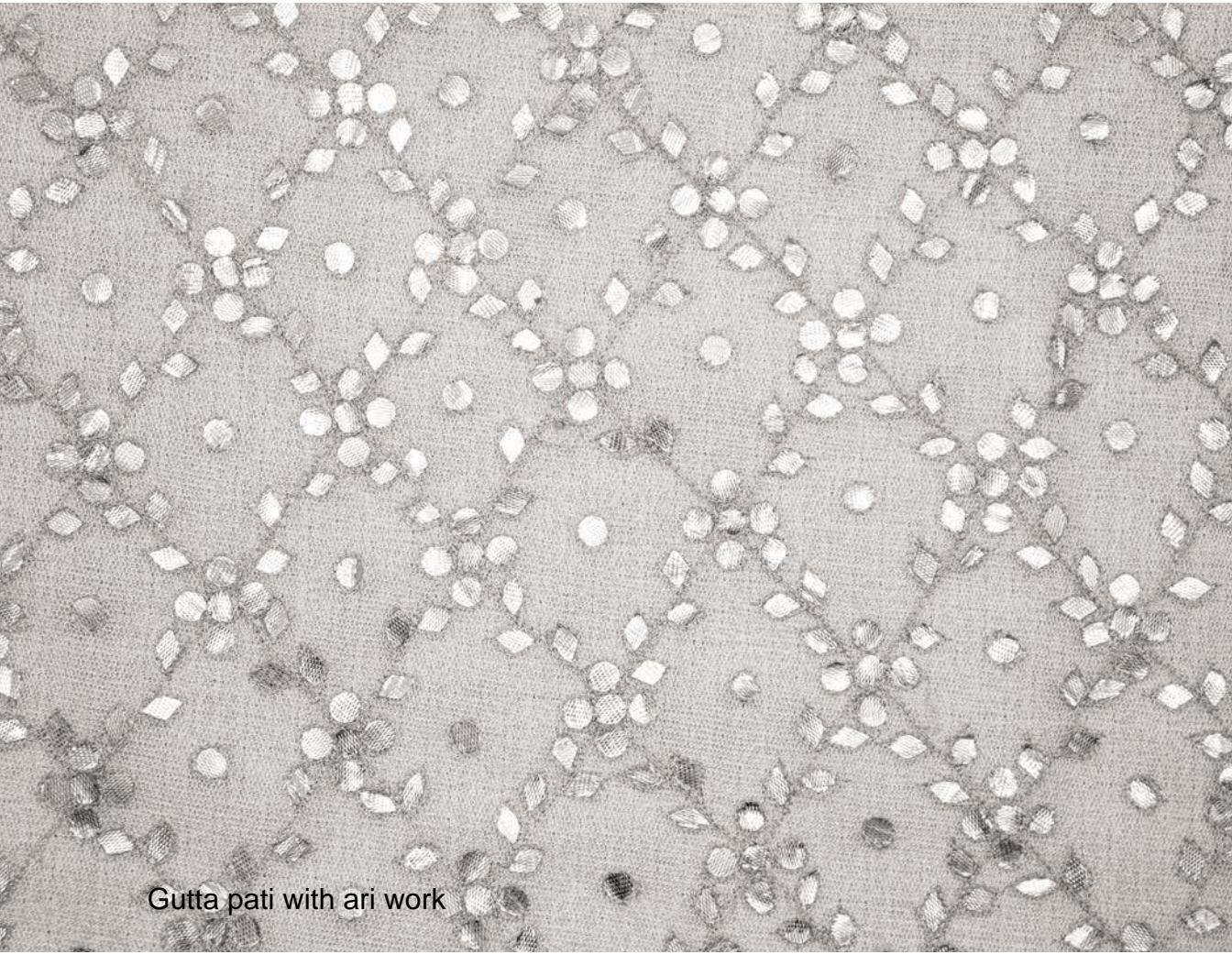
Rilli technique (lawn on lawn)



Pati rilli with ari chain tanka



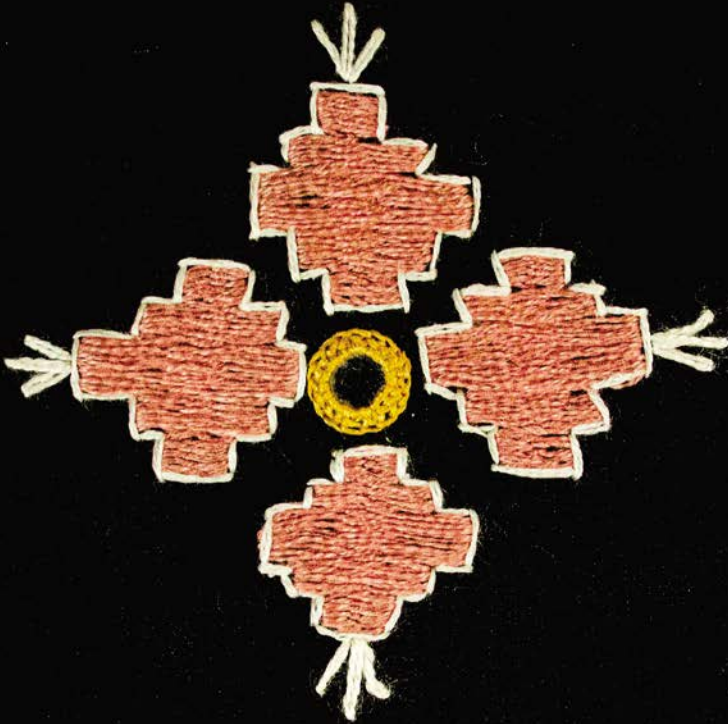
rilli with traditional pattern



Gutta pati with ari work



Polle tanks, people ghara and firki tanka



Bolochi tanka

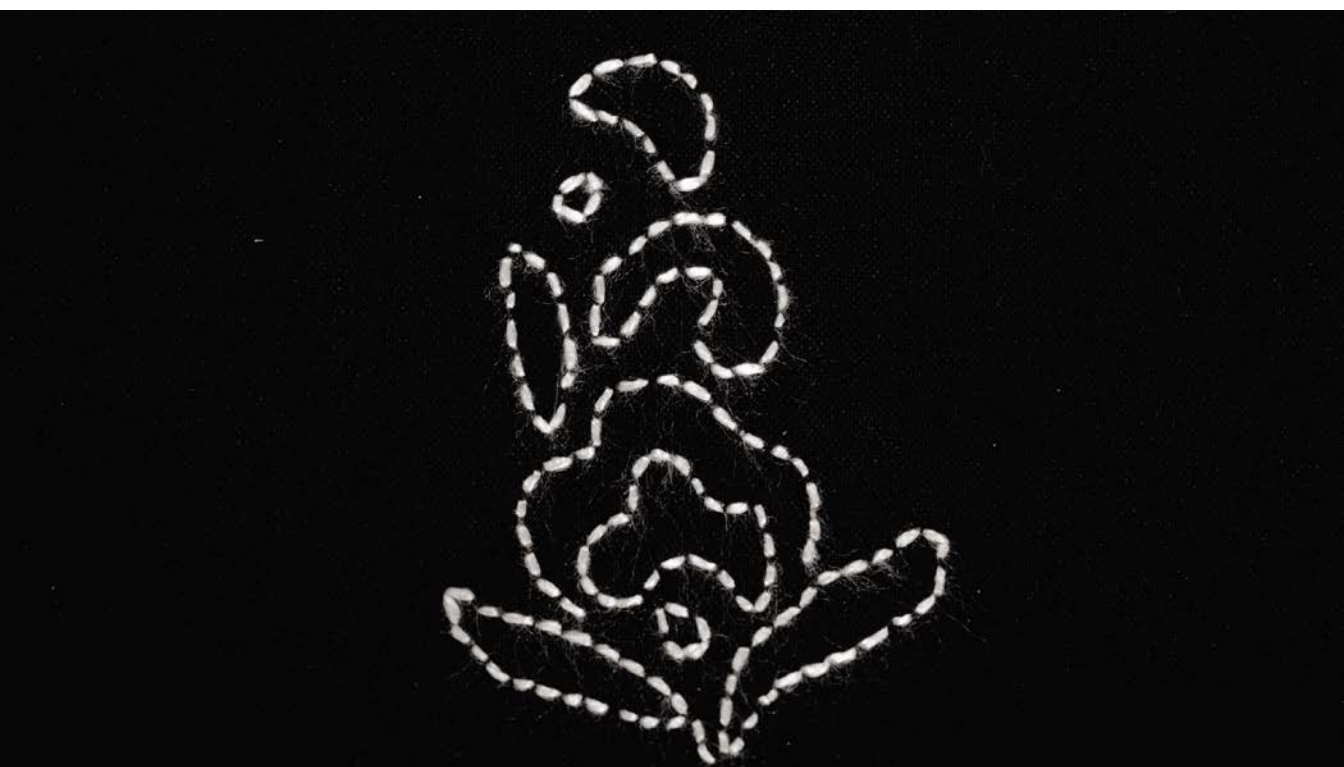
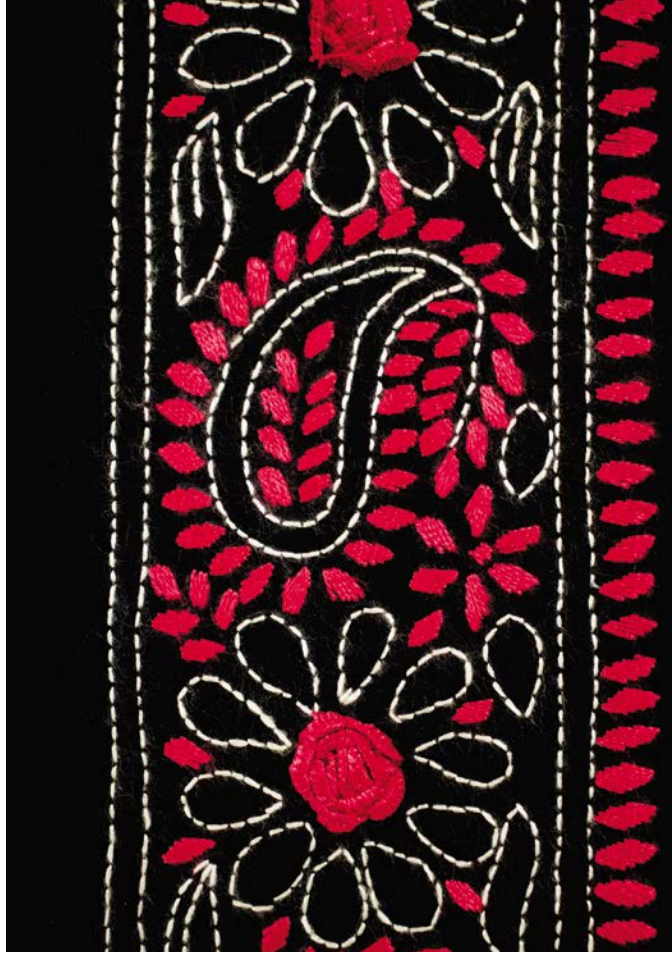


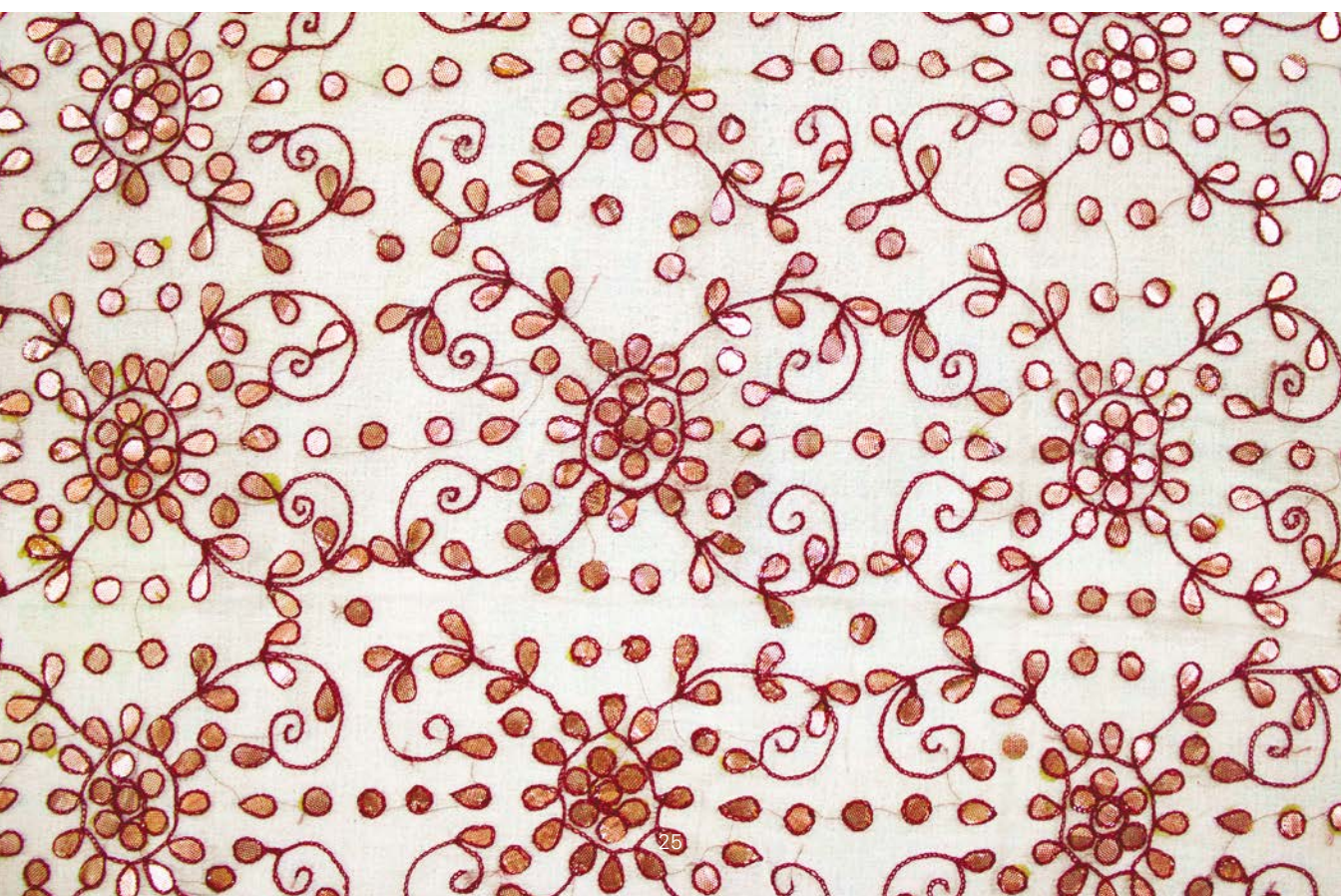
Bolochi tanka and komal tanka



kacha tanka

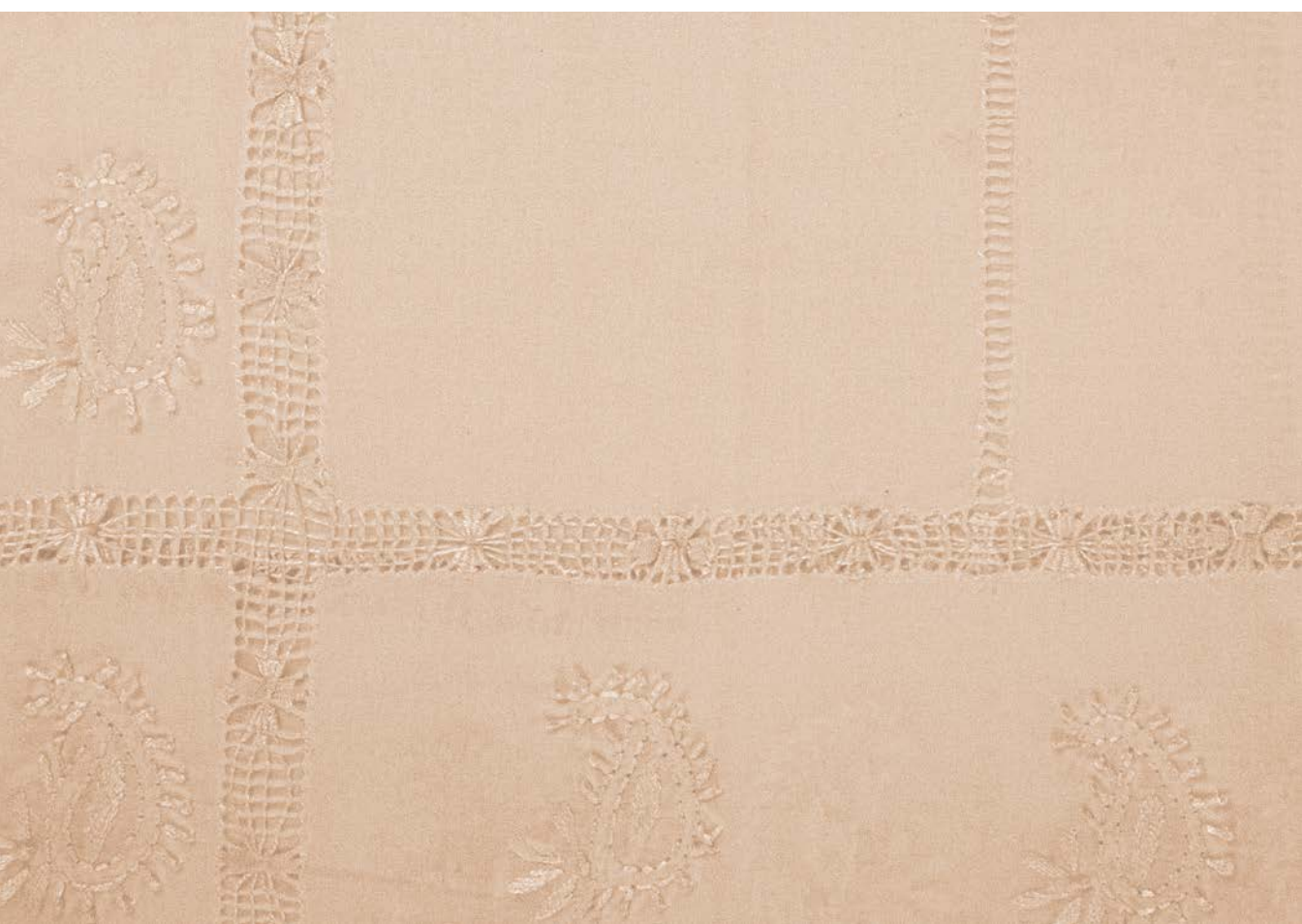






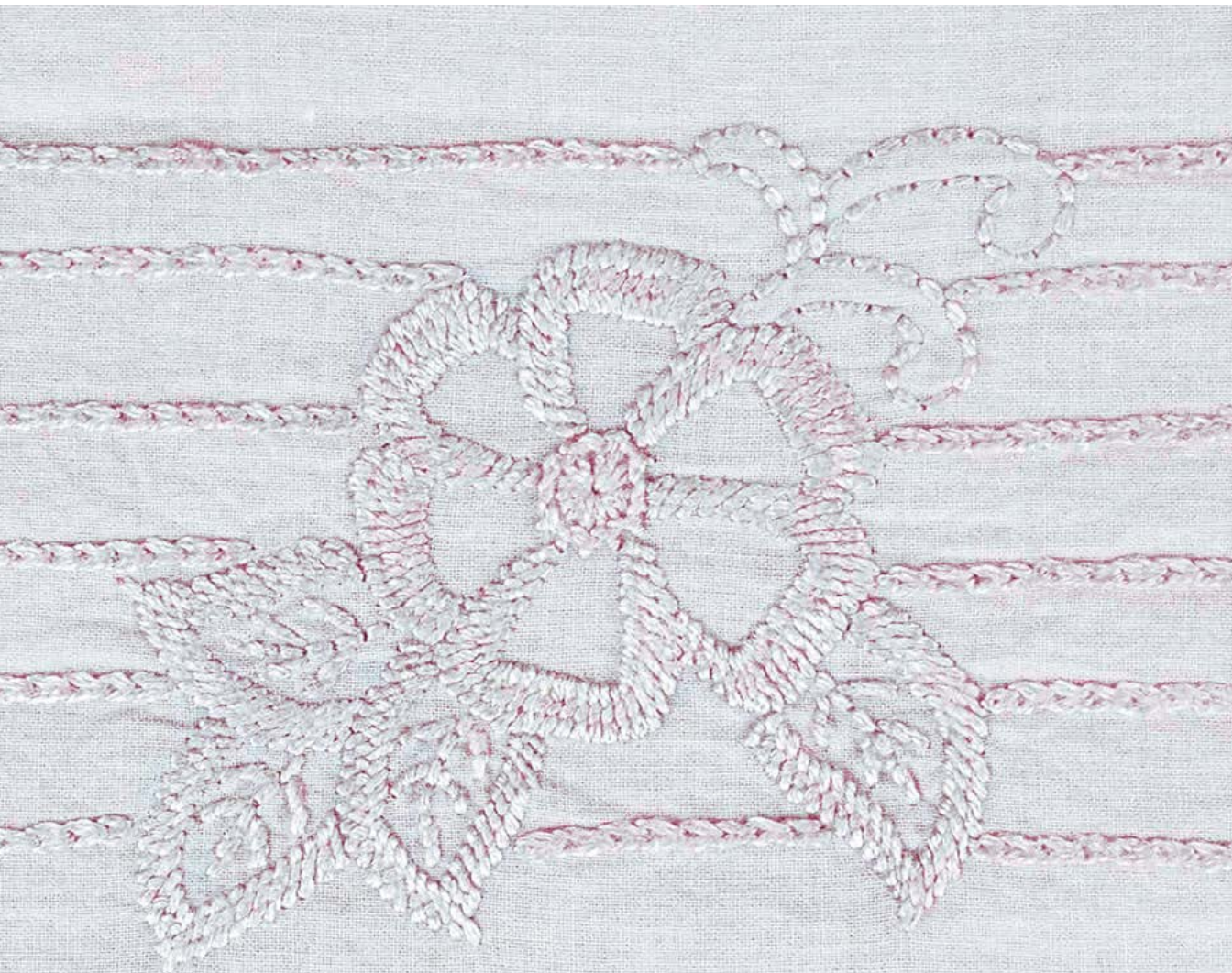


Taar kashi with silk thread and polle tanka





Banarsi tanka

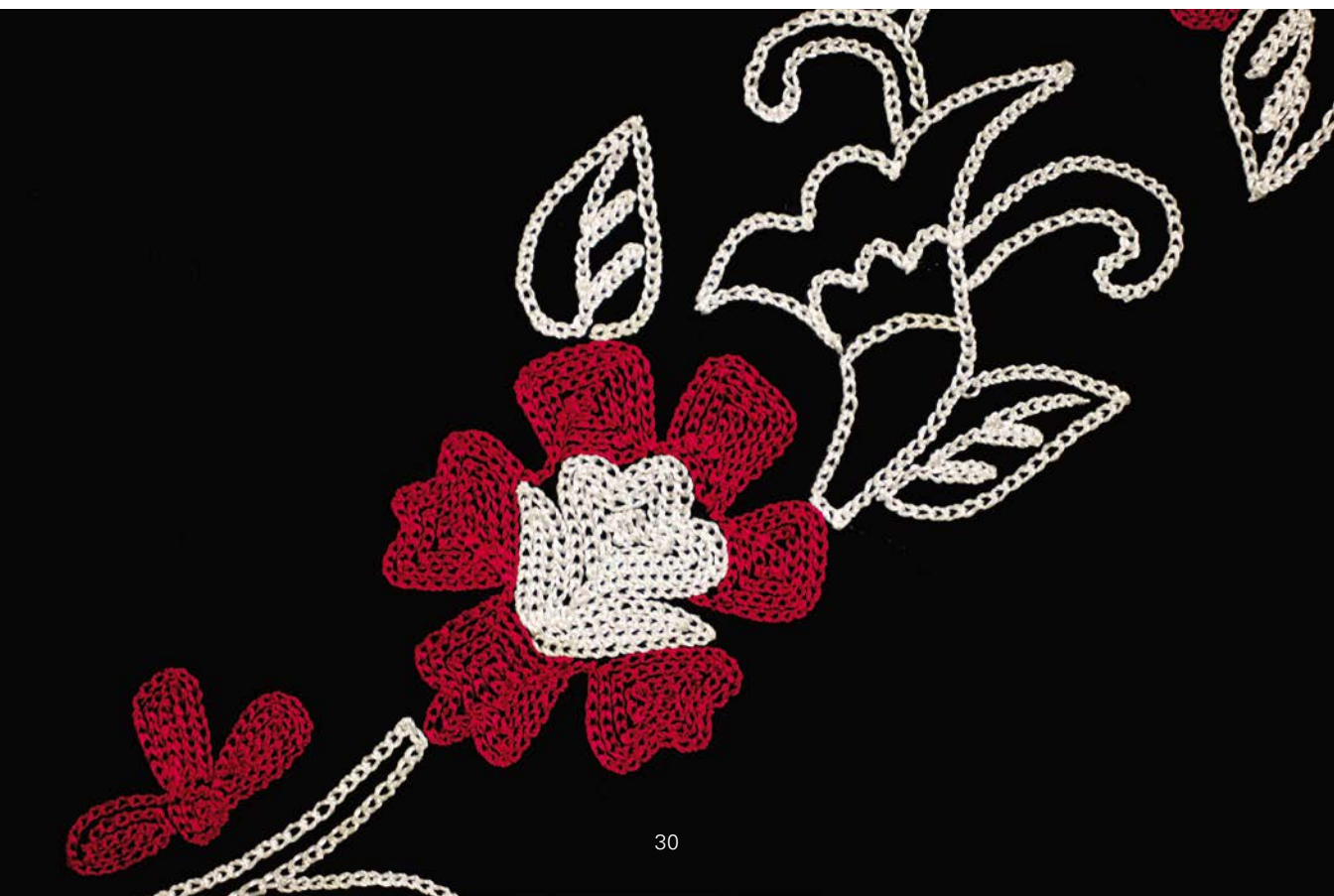


Lazy daisy and chain tanka

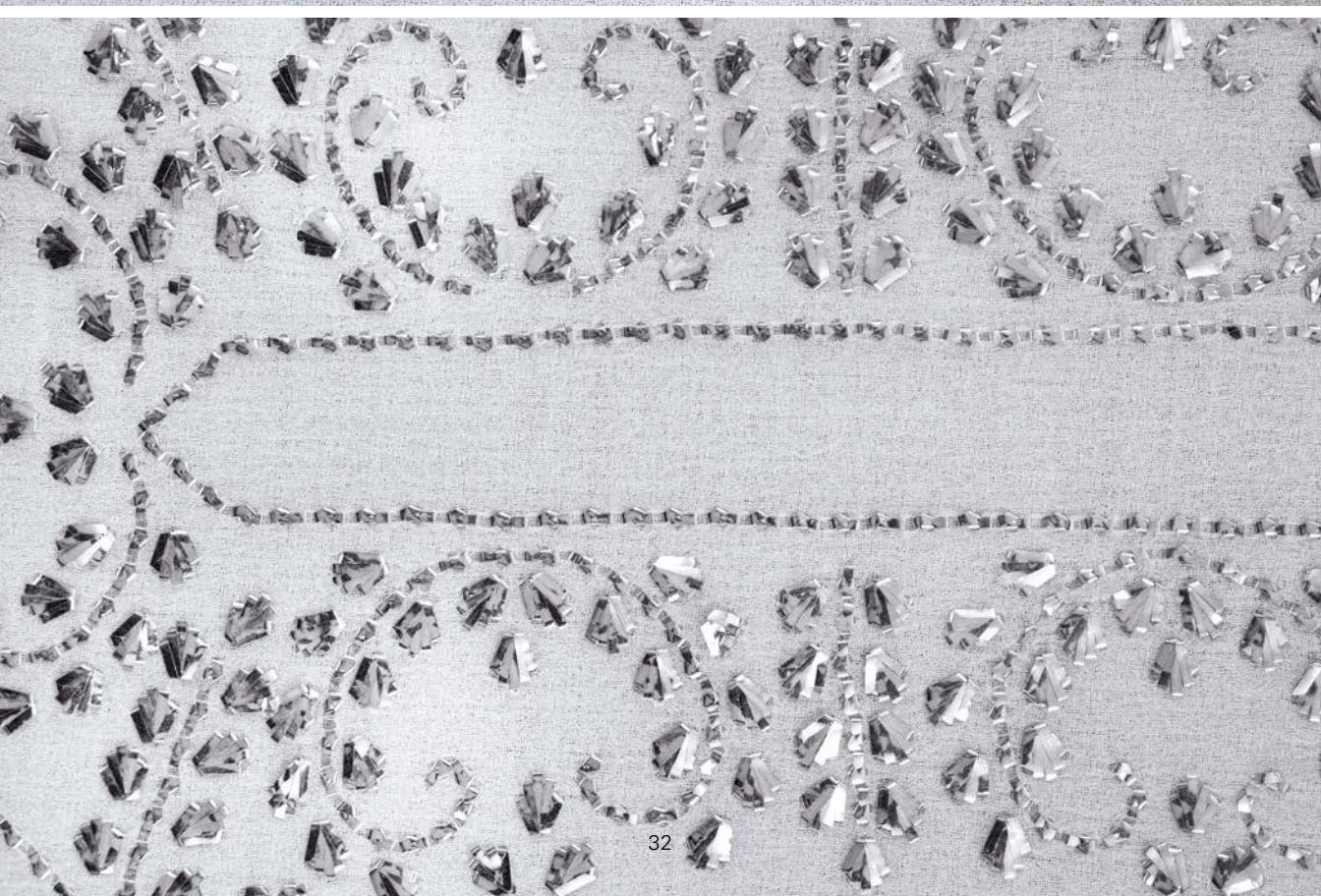




Chain stitch

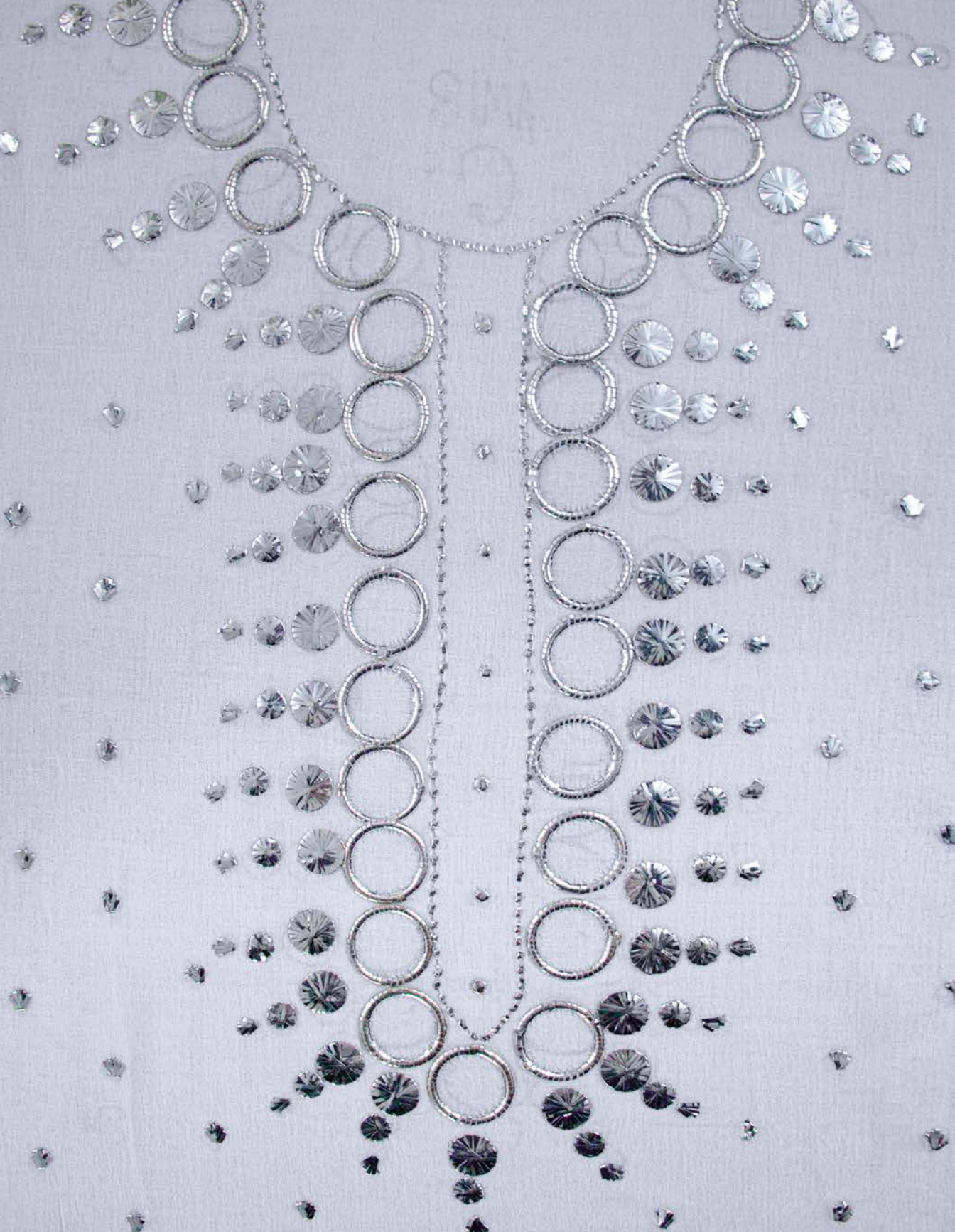




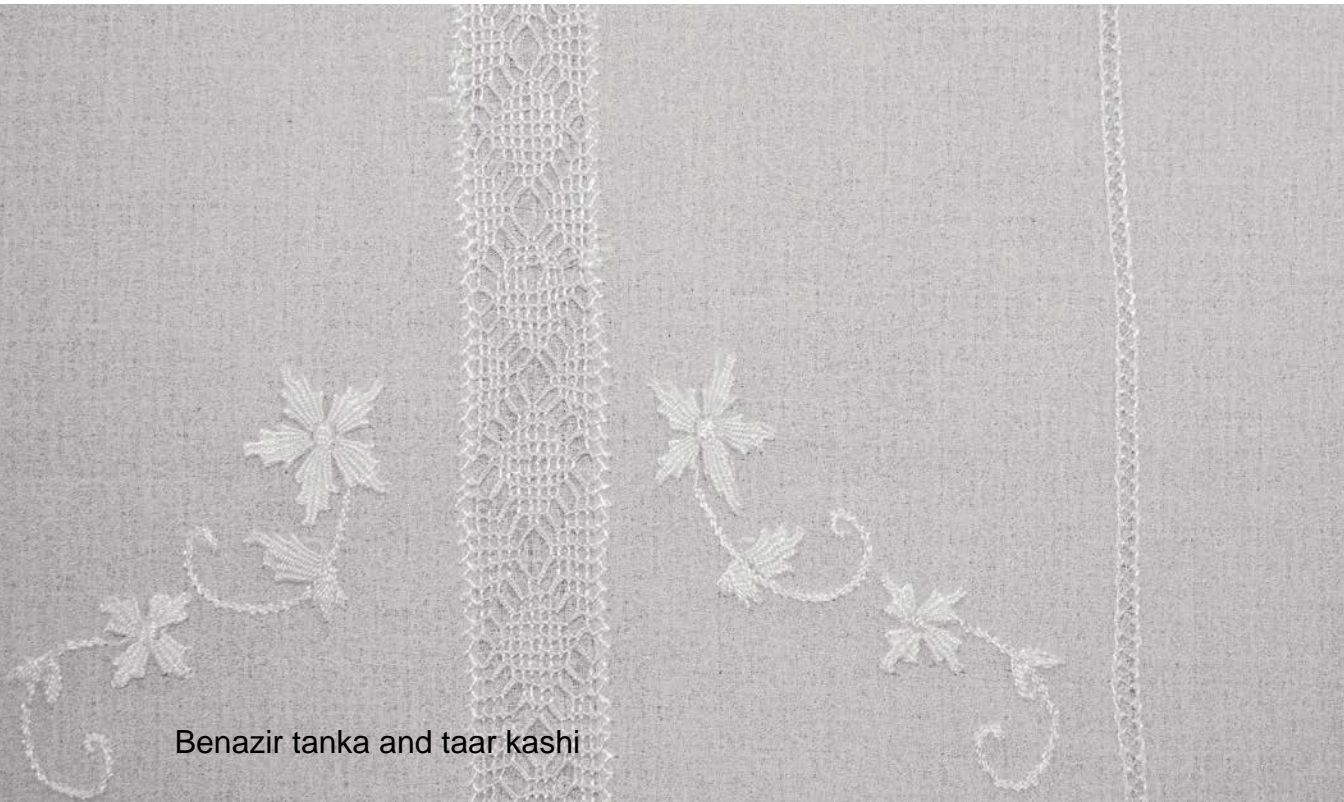




Taar Kashi



Mukesh rings and mukesh chawal tanka



Benazir tanka and taar kashi







Pati rilli with ari work



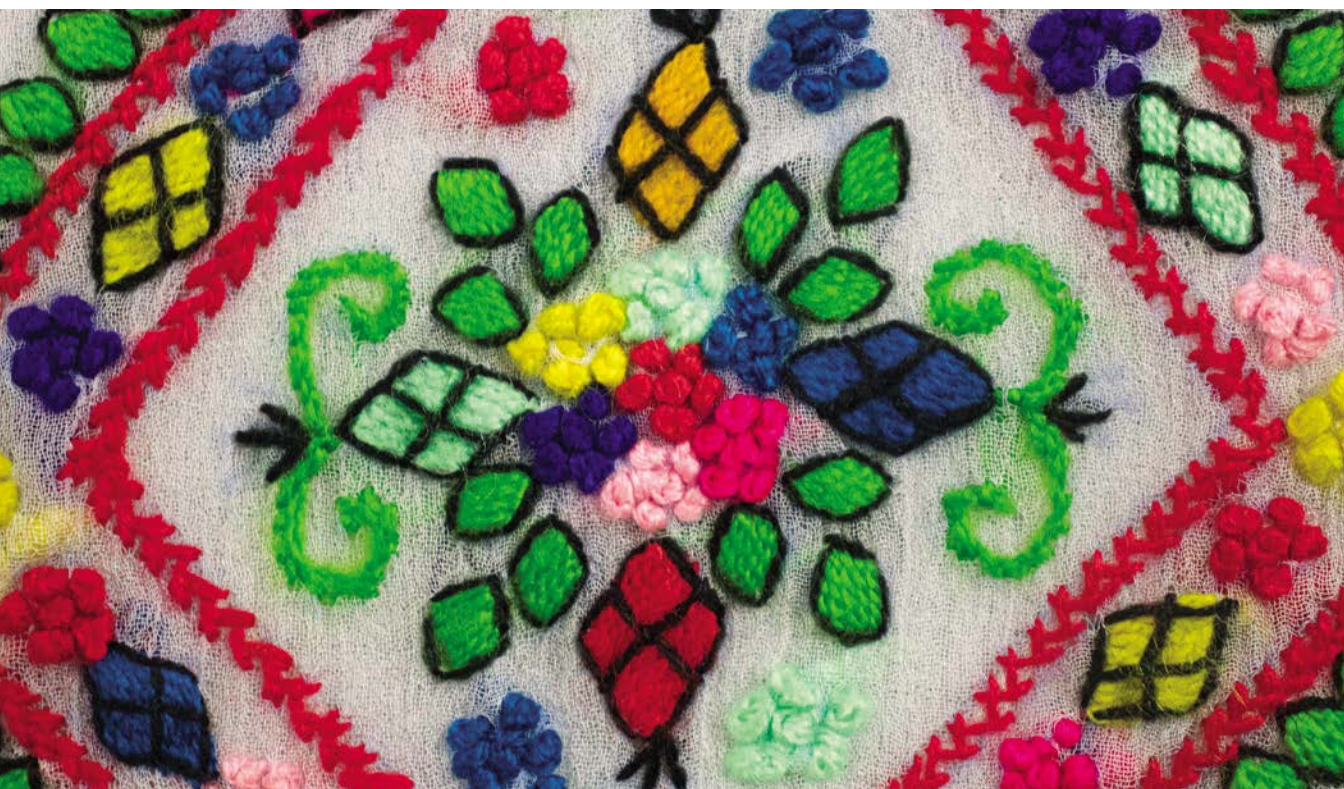


Kacha Tanka and chikan kari





Bolochi Tanka







Delicate rilli of natural dyed fabric on chiffon





Chikan Kari shadow work and polle tanka





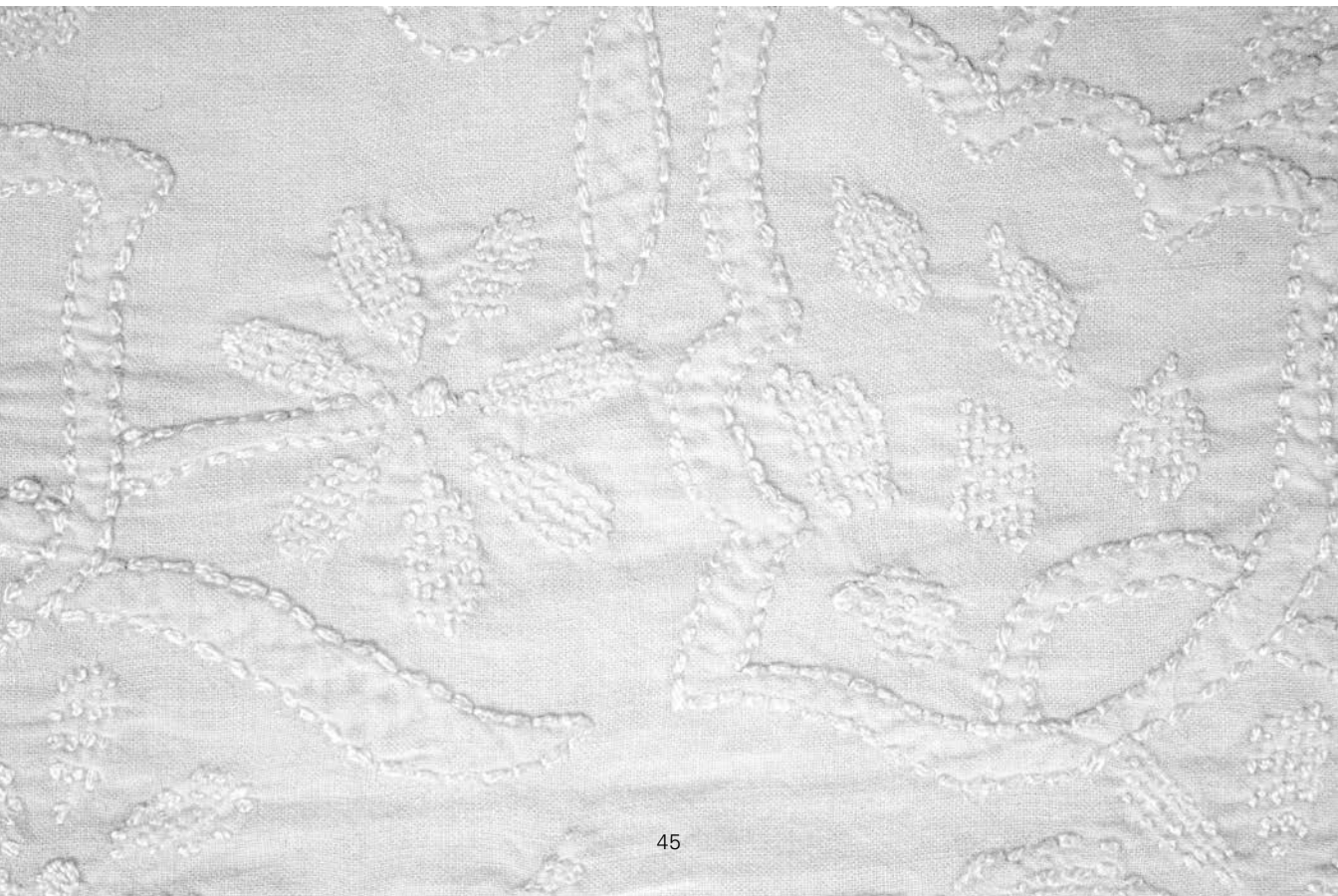
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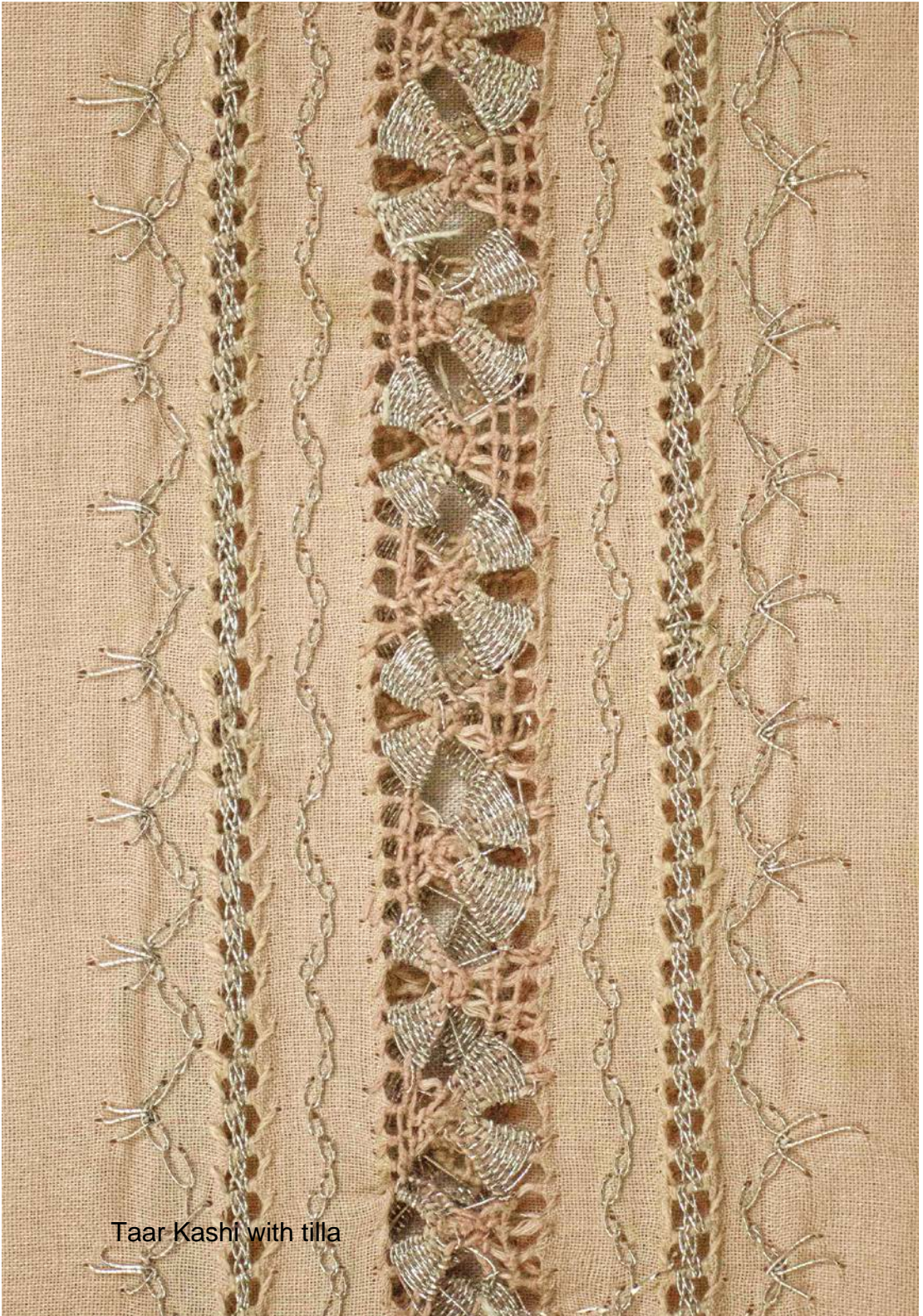


Banarsi tanka

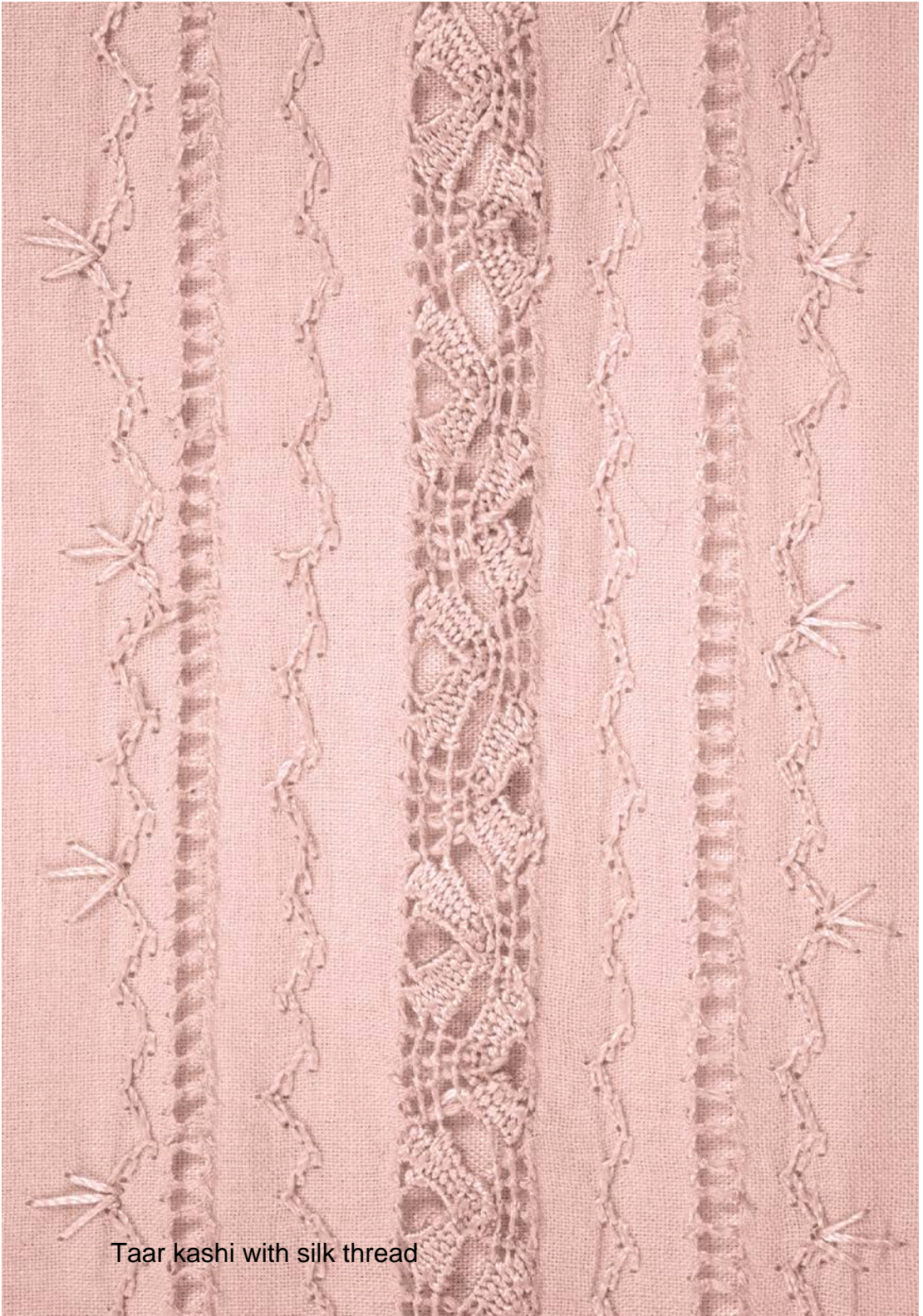


Shadow work





Taar Kashi with tilla



Taar kashi with silk thread



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