

Schortenbont band

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This pattern is for those of you who are already familiar with Baltic style weaving.

Schortenbont is a traditional fabric from Zeeland (Zeeland is a Dutch province), it is usually black and white and sometimes red and white.

For this band you need 183 warp threads. I used thin thread for this band. 183 yarns was a lot for my Schacht inkle loom. The pegs of a Schacht loom are 12,5 cm wide.

Material

White thread, I used an unknown brand. It is crochet thread #10.

Red thread, Scheepjes Sweet treat.

Black yarn, Schachenmayr Catanita Fine

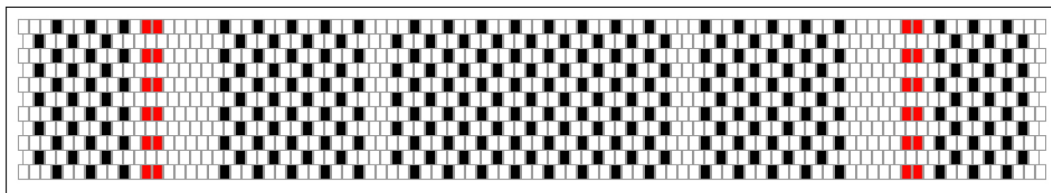
For the weft I used the white thread.

The black yarn I used is a little thicker than the white and red thread. Because it is thicker, the black yarn lay on top of the band.

Technique

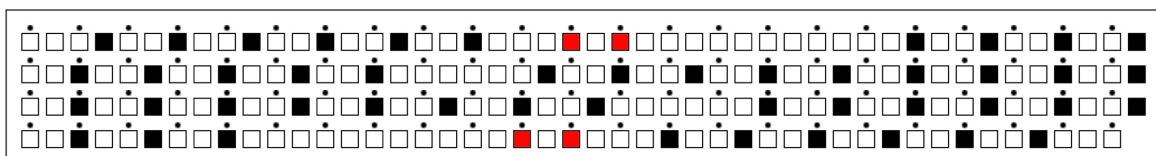
This band is mostly made with Baltic style technique. The white parts in the band are plain weave and the red blocks are made with pick up. The dotted borders are warped like Baltic style, but woven as if it was plain weave.

Warping



Pattern 183 threads

Each box below represents one thread on your loom. This is a plain weave, so every other thread will go through the heddles. Heddles are marked with a dot above the thread.



Pattern

The repeats of the different patterns are not the same. This will make it harder to keep track of where you are. Read my blog about this, to find out how I managed.

