Knock on Wood

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This is a slitherlink variant. See the intro sheet for basic instructions. This variant describes tree rings - these will be exactly three nested

loops: the two outer loops, and the given 1x1 center square. Like any slitherlink, the loops will not cross or meet at a corner. The central 1x1

loop and other sections are started for you. The Slitherlink Tips article gives more tips and starting points.

				1		3		1		3	2			1
	3		3	1		3				3			3	2
2	2		2	2			1		2				3	
2			1				3				2		2	1
	2			3	3		3		3	1			3	
	3	3						3		0		3		
3	0	1	2		0				1				2	2
3			3				4		2		2		1	2
3					0	1	1			3				3
	3	3		3				1		3		3	0	3
0		2			1		1		2				2	3
2				1			3				3			3
	1	3	3		3		1	2	3	3				3
3			2			3		3	0		1	3		3
	1									0			3	

Once you have filled the grid, read the answer **around** by adding up the numbers between the two outer loops. Add each 5x5 section separately - to hear the answer to all of your knocking.