

BREA BEAD WORKS



RIDGEBACK BRACELET

MATERIALS

- ▷ Seed beads; 11° [2-3 color; 10 grams each]
- ▷ Clasp of your choice [1 qty]
- ▷ Fireline thread; 6 lb
- ▷ Thread Heaven; *optional*

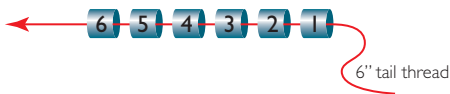
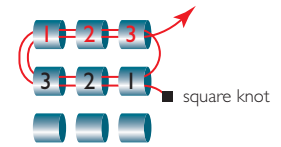
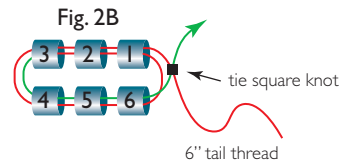
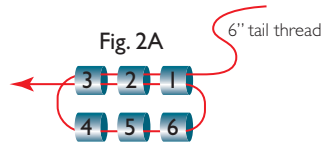
TOOLS

- ▷ Beading needle; size 12
- ▷ Scissors or Thread Zapper

-  seed bead color A (SB-A)
-  seed bead color B (SB-B)



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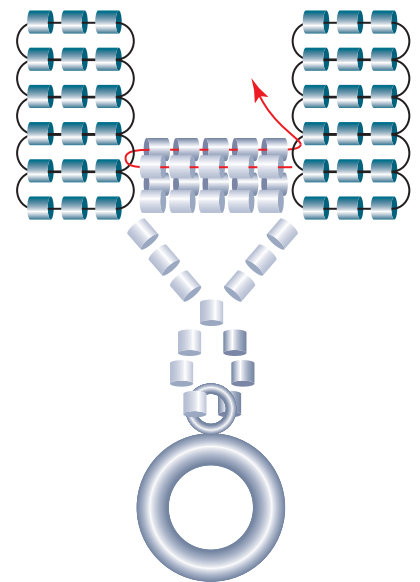
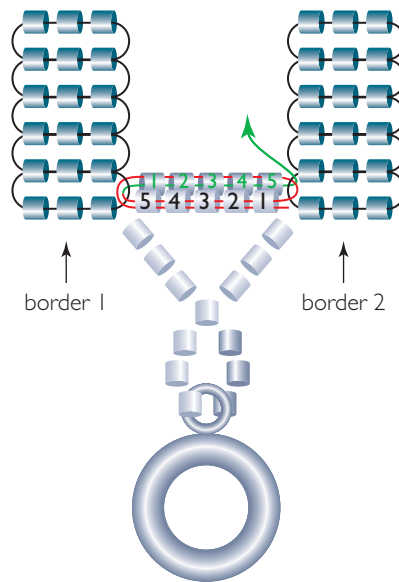
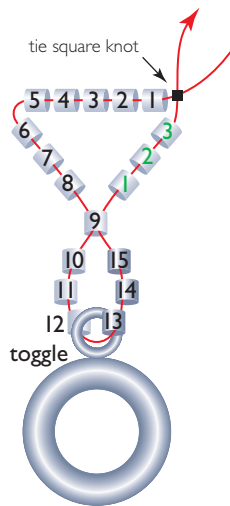


1. Thread needle with 8 feet of thread and condition with Thread Heaven if desired. String on 6 seed bead color A (SB-A) and position 6 inches from end of thread.

2. Needle through first three seed beads and pull taut, holding onto tail thread (Fig. 2A). Be sure that each grouping of 3 seed beads are positioned next to each other. Needle through next three seed beads and tie a square knot to secure (Fig. 2B). Make sure you have about 6 inches of tail thread.

3. Needle through first three seed beads again. *String on 3 SB-A and loop back through first 3 SBs and new 3 SBs.*

Repeat from * to * until you've reached desired length and put aside. Create another identical piece for the other border.



4. Thread needle with 8 feet of thread and condition with Thread Heaven if desired. String on 12 SB-B, toggle, 3 SB-B and position 6 inches from end of thread. Needle through 9th SB-A just strung to create a loop for the toggle. String on 3 SB-B and tie a square knot using the 6 inch tail of thread.

5. Needle through first 5 SB-B and needle **down through** first thread loop of border 1. String on 5 SB-B and needle **up through** first thread loop of border 2.

6. String on 5 SB-B and needle **down through** next thread loop of border 1. String on 5 SB-B and needle **up through** next thread loop of border 2.

Repeat this step until you reach the end of the borders. Attach other toggle end in the same fashion as first side, excluding the addition of the first 5 SB-B.

Tie half-hitched knots to secure all thread ends.

Needle through all beads and toggle again to reinforce.