

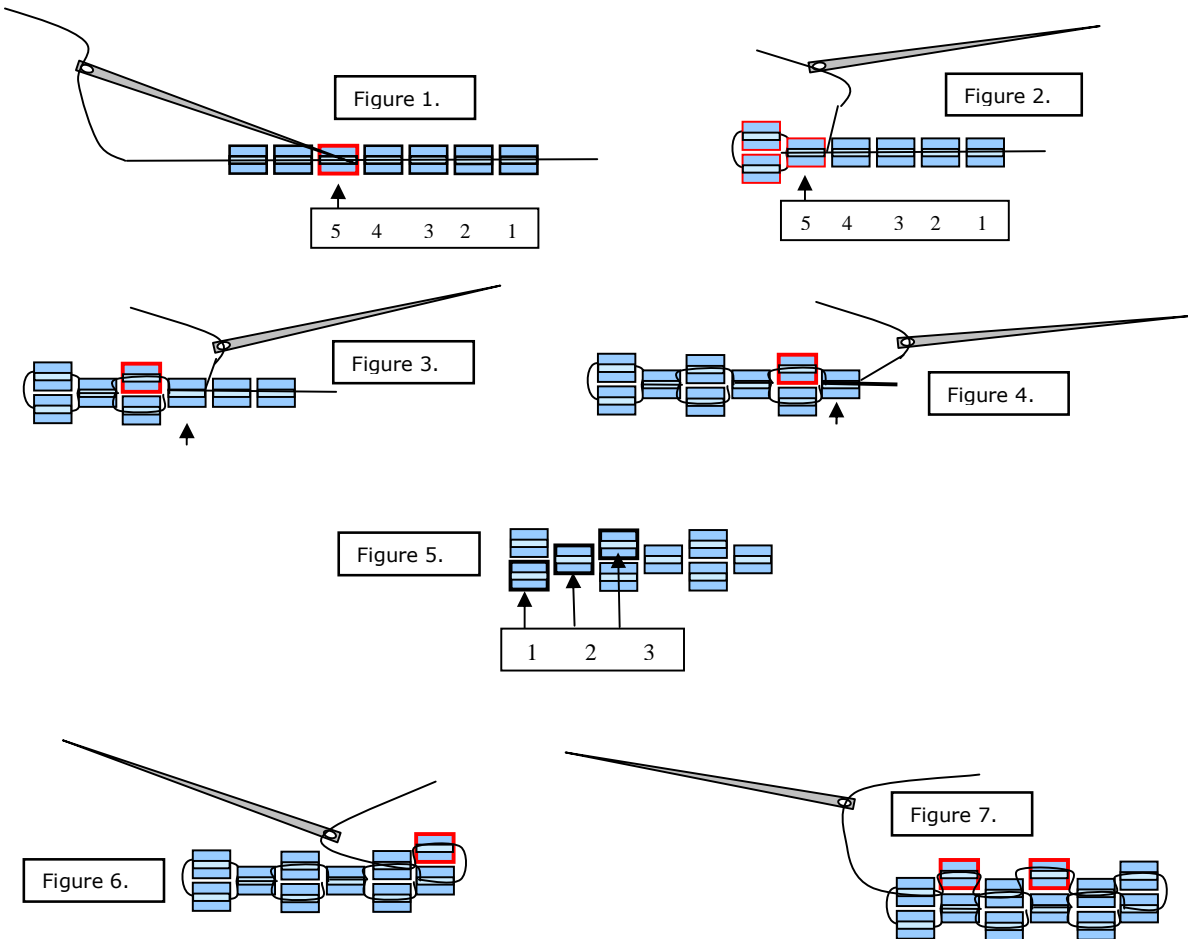


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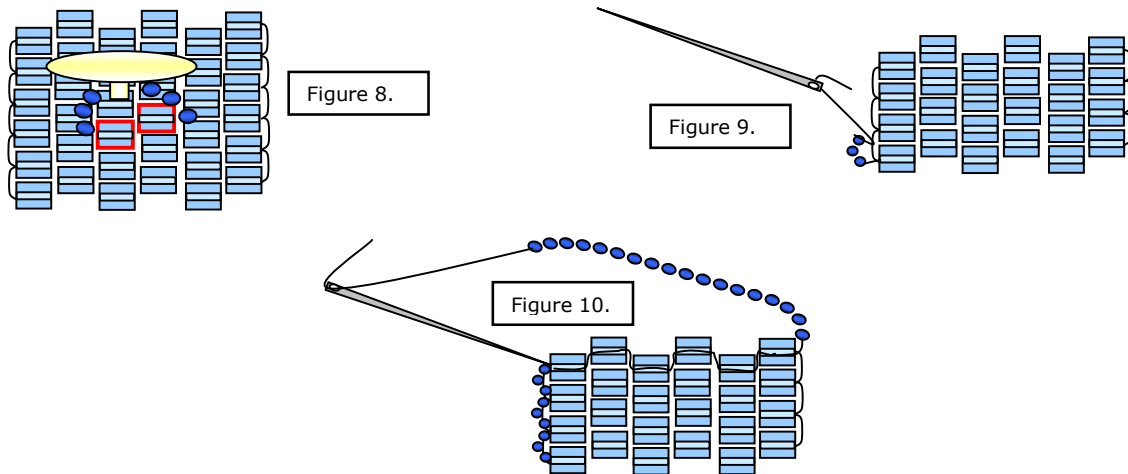
Supplies

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 12 grams 8° Delica beads▪ 2 grams 15° seed beads▪ 1 button | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 3 yards thread▪ beading needle▪ Scissors |
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1. Cut 2 yards of thread off. String on a stop bead leaving a 12" tail.
2. (Figure 1) We are going to make this bracelet 6 peyote rows wide. To start, pick up **7** 8° Delica beads.
3. (Figure 2) Turn around into the 5th bead picked up. This will cause the 7th bead to sit on top of the 6th bead. **Keep pulling your thread tight.**
4. (Figure 3) Pick up another 8° Delica bead. Skip a bead and pass through the next bead.
5. (Figure 4) Repeat step 4. At the end of this row, the tail thread and the working thread will be exiting out of the end bead.
6. Tighten up your work. I use my fingernails to push the beads to the end while pulling on the working thread and tail thread.
7. (Figure 5) You just created 3 rows of Peyote. Peyote is counted on the diagonal.
8. (Figure 6) Start the 4th row by picking up an 8° Delica bead. Turn around into the first bead sticking up. This is the second bead in the line, but the first bead sticking up.
9. (Figure 7) Pick up another 8° Delica bead and pass through the next bead sticking up. Continue this way until you reach the end of the row.



10. Repeat steps 8 and 9, heading back in the other direction.
11. Continue to add rows until you reach the desired length of bracelet. Keep your thread tight!
12. (Figure 8) When you reach the end, work your way back to the 4th row, third bead in, needle pointing to the outer edge. Add the button by looping around the 2 center beads in the 4th and 5th rows. Pick up 3 15° seed beads, the button and 3 more 15° seed beads. Enter into the bead one up on the diagonal from where you are currently, needle pointing towards the center of the bracelet. Reinforce the button and loop by passing through the all these beads two more times if you have room in the beads to do so.
13. Work your way back to the outer edge on either side.
14. (Figure 9) Wrap the edge of your work with 15° seed beads to hide the thread and give it a finished look. Pick up 3 15° seed beads. Pass your needle under the first loop of thread at the end that is on the edge of the bracelet. **You must pull your thread tight.** Continue this process down the edge of the bracelet, wrapping beads around the loops.
15. (Figure 10) When you reach the end, cross over to the other side of the bracelet by passing through the beads at the end of the row. Pick up enough 15° seed beads to make a button loop that just fits over the button. Do not make it too loose. Enter into the end 8° Delica bead on the other side of the bracelet.
16. Work your way back through the last 2 rows to get to the other end and reinforce the loop you just made. Work your way back to the other end again and wrap the edge of the bracelet just like you did in step 14.
17. Retrace the thread path in the bracelet on both the tail and the working thread about one inch into the bracelet. Clip the thread. You're done.



Making a narrower bracelet:

If you want to make a narrower bracelet, start with 5 cubes instead of 7. Turn around in the same fashion, and keep beading using the peyote stitch.