



Bridget Bracelet

BY CORA SPARIDAANS
www.csbeaddesign.nl



Bridge Beads, Navette Beads, Microspacers and some Swarovski bling are in this layered fun bracelet.

Skill Level: Intermediate and up

Techniques to know: Peyote stitch, ending/adding thread, familiarity stitching with multi-holed beads

Finished size: approximately 6 inches

MATERIALS

20 Bridge beads
19 Navette beads
60 Faceted microspacers
7g size 11° seed beads
10 rose montees 4mm

1 clasp and 2 open Jump rings
2 size12 beading needles
6lb. Fireline to match/blend in
Pliers to work jump rings
Scissors or thread zapper

BRACELET BASE

Attach a needle on a thread.

FIGURE 1: Pick up one Bridge, one Navette, one Bridge, one 11°, one Microspacer and one 11°. Repeat this the desired length. **NOTE:** For a 6-inch bracelet (without the clasp) you will need ten Bridge beads.

Figure 2: After exiting the last Bridge, pick up one 11°, one Microspacer, five 11°, one Microspacer and one 11°. Sew through the third hole of the first Bridge/Navette/Bridge set.

Pick up one 11°, one Microspacer, one 11° and go through the next Bridge/Navette/Bridge set. Repeat the entire length of the bracelet.

After exiting the end Bridge, pick up one 11°, one Microspacer, five 11°, one micro-spacer and one 11°. Sew through the top hole of the same Bridge, Navette and Bridge set.

BRACELET EMBELLISHMENT

FIGURE 3: Pick up three 11°s, one chaton and three 11°s. Sew through the third hole of the Bridge that is opposite the exiting thread direction (beads will lay diagonally). Continue through the next Navette and Bridge.

FIGURE 4: Pick up three 11°s go through the chaton. Pick up three 11°s and go through the first hole of the same Bridge/Navette/Bridge set. Continue through the next 11°, micro-spacer, 11°, and Bridge/Navette/Bridge.

FIGURE 5: Repeat Figure 3 and 4 on all the Bridge, Navette and Bridge sets.

FIGURE 6: Exit the three 11°s of the X made over a Bridge/Navette/Bridge set. Pick up one Microspacer, one Navette and one micro-spacer. Sew through the next three 11°s, the chaton and three 11°s. Repeat the entire length of the bracelet.

Figure 7: Exit the three 11°s of the X made over a Bridge/Navette/Bridge. Pick up one Microspacer go through the empty hole of the next Navette added in the previous step. Pick up one Microspacer go through the next three 11°s, the chaton and three 11°s. Repeat the entire length of the bracelet.

Figure 8: Secure thread within the beadwork and trim the excess. Use pliers to open jump rings and attach the clasp to each end of the bracelet.



Cora Sparidaans lives in a small village in the Netherlands with her loving husband and two sons. In 2014, she came across a beading store and her love for beading was born. Not long after, she started to design her own pieces and teach classes for both beginners and advanced beaders. Her passion is designing new pieces and trying out color combinations. Cora also loves to share her passion with others. Her work has been published in the *Perlen Poesie* and in *Bead Art & Embroidery* magazines. Now she has her own online bead store where she sells patterns, kits and beading supplies. You can visit her at www.csbeaddesign.nl or on Facebook - www.facebook.com/csbeaddesign/.

BRIDGET BRACELET ILLUSTRATIONS by CORA SPARIDAANS

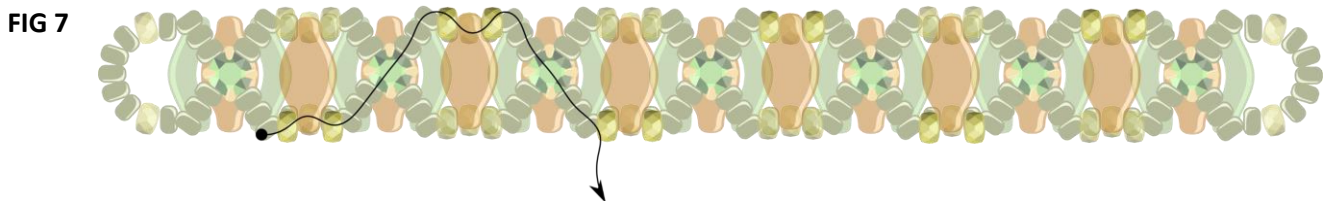
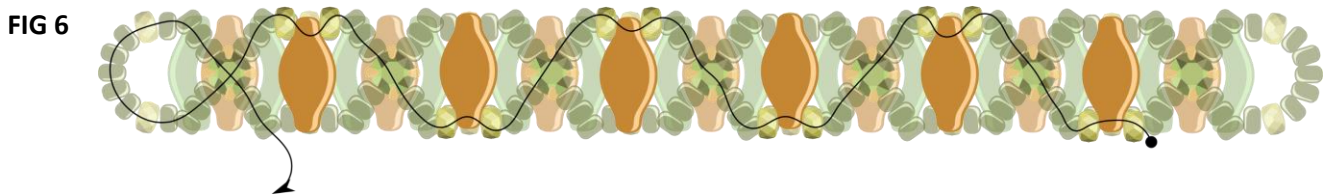
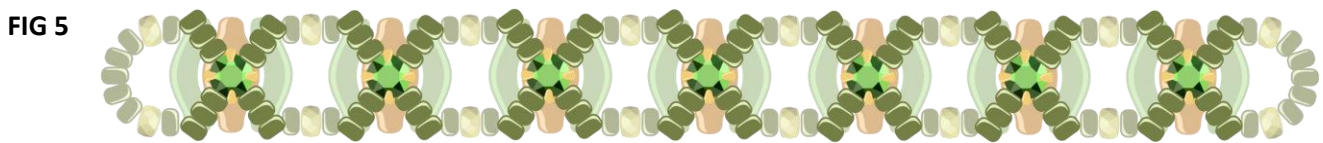
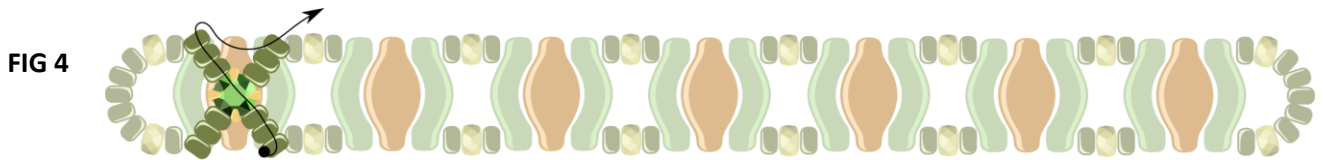
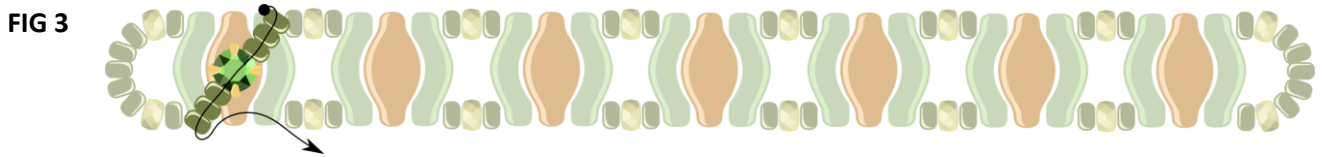
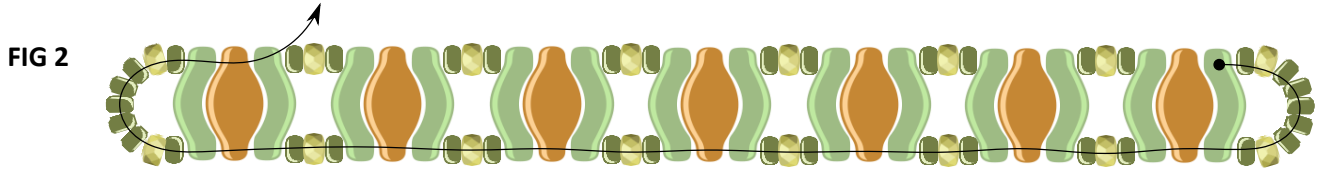


FIG 8

