



“Undulation” bracelet

Matubo 6/0s, Rullas and 6mm firepolished beads ...



Material:

Matubo Rulla beads (39 pcs)
 Matubo 6/0s (95 pcs)
 6mm firepolished beads (17 pcs)
 11/0 seed beads (10 pcs)
 Jump rings
 Clasp
 Beading needle and thread (Fireline)
(this material is enough for a bracelet 17 centimeters long (without a clasp))

Difficulty: intermediate

Before you start:

This pattern is quite easy to understand, but it is a bit tricky to keep the right tension while you work - so it is good to have some prior experience with beadweaving.

The first row should be a bit loose with enough space between beads, however in the second row you should keep the tension really strong.

I also recommend using the bead stopper to secure the end of the thread - it keeps beads from spilling, but it can be easily moved to get more space between beads.

1) String three Rullas, one 6/0, one Rulla and one 6/0.



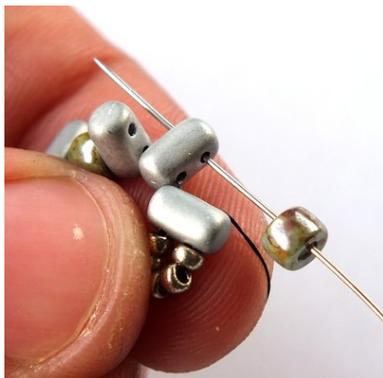
2) Repeat step 1 until you use all the 49 Rullas.



3) Add five 11/0s and then pass back through the unused hole of the last Rulla.



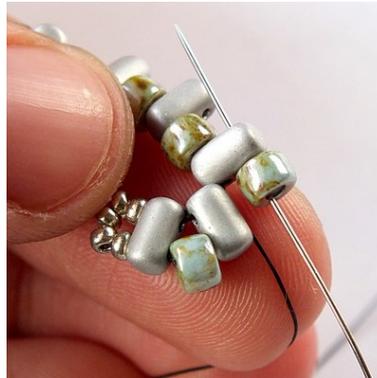
4) Add one 6/0 and then pass through the "unused" hole of the next Rulla.



5) Pull snug ... then this will happen :)



6) Add one more 6/0 and then pass through the unused hole of the next Rulla ...



7) ... and then pull snug.

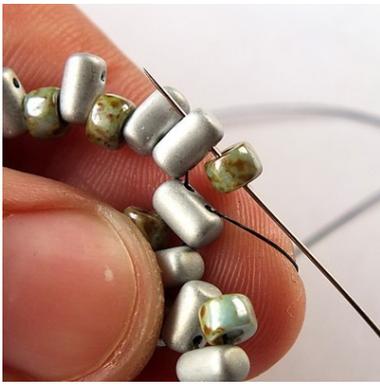


8) ... and then pass through the unused holes of the next two Rullas (no new beads added in this step).

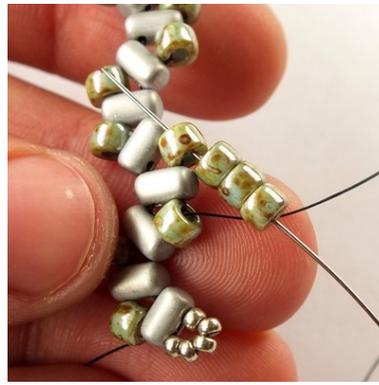


9) If you keep your tension strong enough (and "help" the 6/0s to get to the right place), this is what you get.





10) Repeat steps 4 - 9, until you reach the end of the bracelet.



15) Add three 6/0s and pass through the next 6/0 from the previous row.



11) This is how the bracelet should look now :)



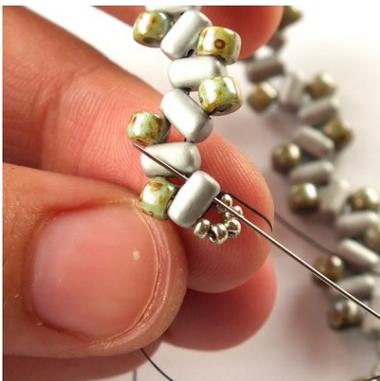
16) Add one 6mm FP and then pass through the next 6/0 from the previous row.



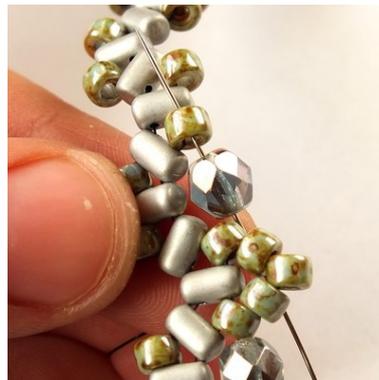
12) At the end of the bracelet add five 11/0s. Then remove the bead stopper and then tie both ends of the thread together.



17) Repeat step 15 ...



13) Then pass back through the nearest hole of the last Rulla ...



18) ... and step 16 ...

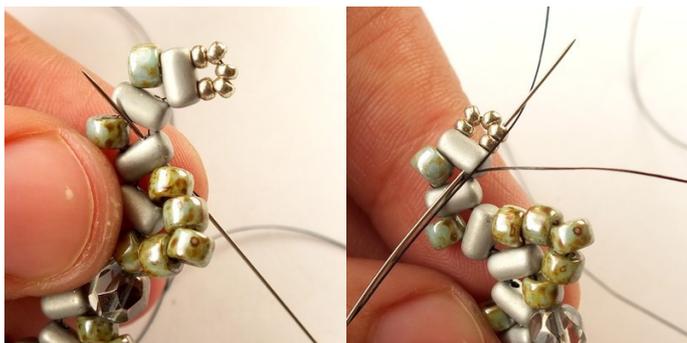


14) ... and then though the next two Rullas and one 6/0.



19) ... until you reach the end of the bracelet.

20) Then pass through the last three Rullas, all the five 11/0s and then back through the last Rulla and through the first 6/0 on the other side of the bracelet.



21) Now repeat steps 15 and 16 until you reach the end of the bracelet.



22) This is how the finished bracelet should look like.



23) Optionally you can weave through the last row one more time - but always skip the "middle" 6/0.



24) Tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread. Add a clasp: open a jump ring, pass it through the loop of 11/0s at the end of the bracelet, add a clasp and close the jump ring. Repeat on the other end of the bracelet.

