

# Cozumel Charm Tutorial 2013



Aqua, B. Turquoise, Navy,  
White, Peacock

Silver Metallic Cord  
(carrier cord)



Jade, Olive, Chocolate,  
Champagne, Golden Toffee

Tree Bark (carrier cord)



White, Peach, Golden  
Yellow, Coral, Pale Yellow

Gold Metallic (carrier  
cord)

## You will need:

- 5 different colored bobbins of .5mm Chinese Knotting Cord
- 1 bobbin of .5mm Chinese Knotting Cord or .8mm metallic cord for carrier cord (cord that other cords will knot around)
- 8/0 Toho/Miyuki Silver or Gold Seed Beads
- Your Favorite Clasp (hole must be large enough for 6 cords to pass through)
- Thread Burner
- collection of charms

## Macrame Knots Used

- Larks Head Knot
- Diagonal Double Half Hitch Knot
- Square Knot

Tutorial for these knots:  
<http://www.stonebrashcreative.com/MacrameTutorial.html>

## Step 1



1. Cut 1 8 yd piece of the carrier cord. This cord will run all the way through the bracelet. Use a Larks Head Knot (LHK) to attach it to your clasp in the middle. You now have two carrier cords (LC: left Carrier, RC: Right Carrier)
2. Cut 2 2 yd pieces of your first color and attach one to either side of your Carrier cord. Use a LHK knot. (cord 1, 2 3 and 4)

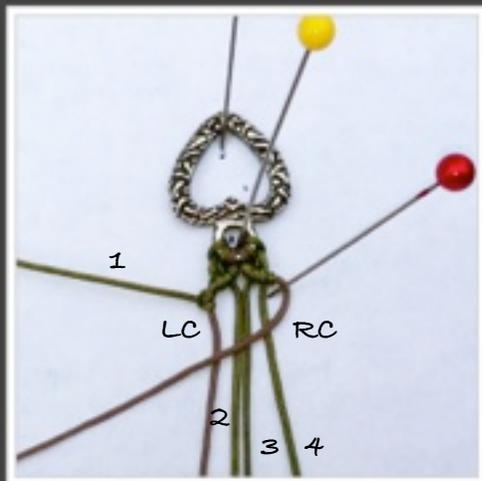
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## Step 2



1. Bring LC to the left and make a Diagonal Double Half Hitch (DHH) with cords 1 and 2.
2. Bring RC to the right and make a DHH with cords 3 and 4

## Step 3



1. Bring LC to the right so it is heading back toward the center and make a DHH with cord 1
2. Bring RC to the left so that it is heading back toward center and make a DHH with cord 4

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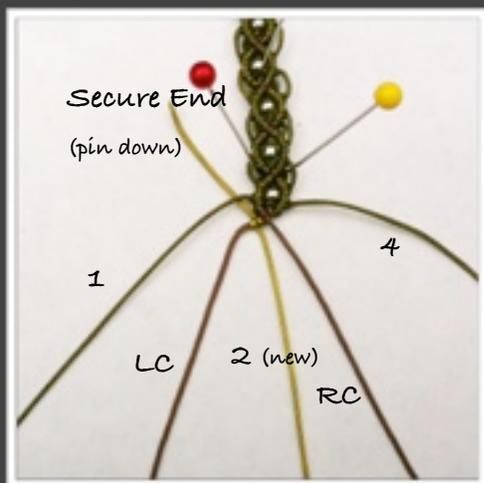
## Step 4



1. Thread a bead onto cords 2 and 3
2. Continuing the pattern, with the LC, make a DHH with cord 2
3. With the RC, make a DHH with cord 3
4. Finish the diamond by making a DHH with the LC onto the RC.
5. That's the pattern! Repeat from step 2 until you have at least 20 diamonds. My wrists are small so I only used 17 diamonds before switching colors. You can also measure your wrist once around and then make sure that before you switch colors, the diamonds go all the way around your wrist.

## Switching Colors

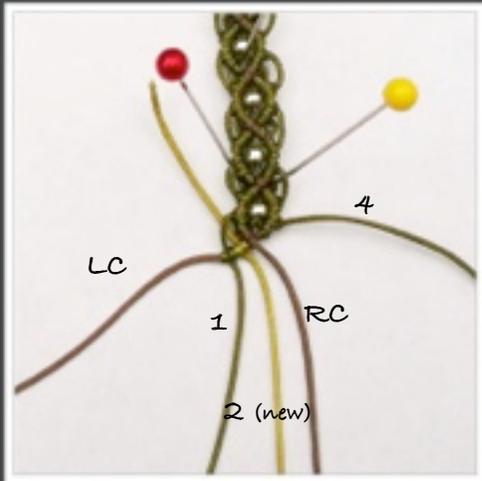
### Switching Colors: 1



1. Using a thread burner, cut off cords 2 and 3 and seal ends
2. Replacing cord 2 with new color... Using your new color secure loose end with a pin and then make a DHH onto LC.

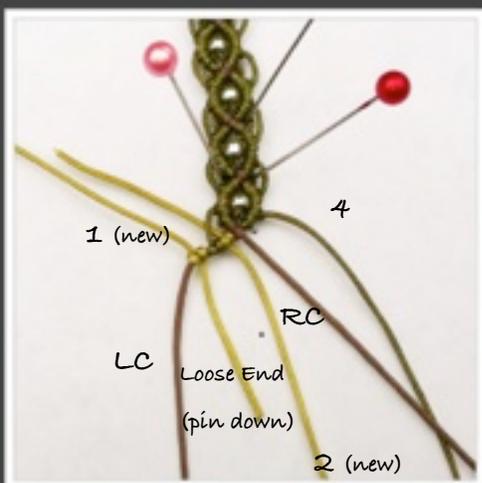
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## Switching Colors: 2



1. Make a DHH on LC with cord 1 (which is still the original color)

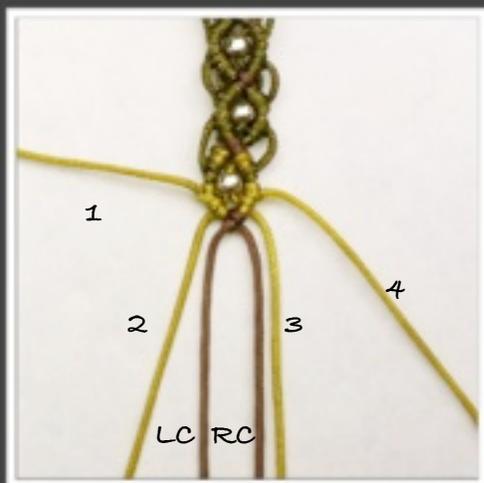
## Switching Colors: 3



1. This next part can be a little tricky. Cut off Cord 1 and seal end with flame.
2. Replace cord 1 with new color by securing the loose end and making a DHH with the new color onto LC. The tricky part is that the DHH is made upside down so that the cords remain in the correct order.
3. You have now successfully changed colors for cords 1 and 2.
4. Repeat the process for cords 3 and 4. Remember when replacing cord 4 the DHH onto RC should be upside down.

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## Switching Colors: 4



1. After finishing switching colors for cords 3 and 4 complete the diamond (Step 4) from above.
2. Cut and seal off all loose ends with thread burner.
3. You have now successfully switched to a new color! Repeat this for all colors until you have a wrap bracelet the length that you want.

## Adding Clasp

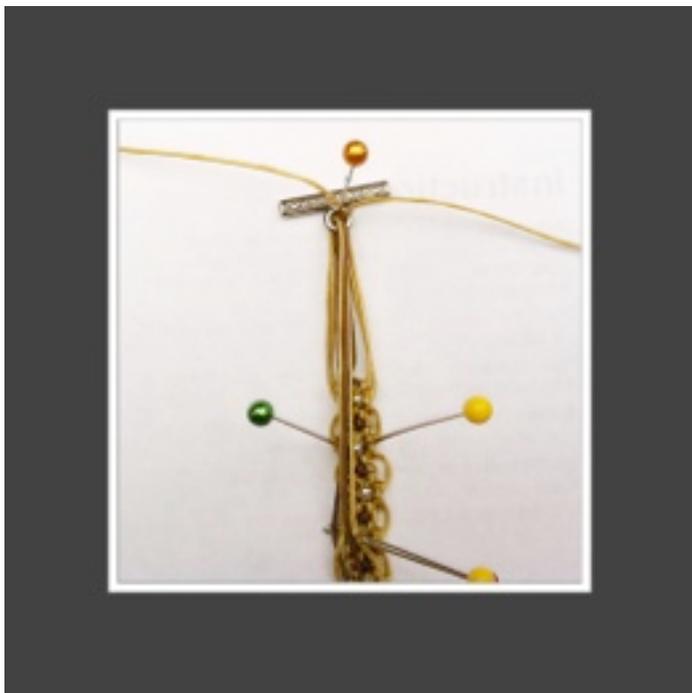
### Adding Clasp: 1



1. Since this is a wrap bracelet, we decided to design a clasp that would allow you to add some extra length to the bracelet if needed. For the purposes of this tutorial we decided to add around an inch of extra length to the bracelet.
2. Turn work upside down and pin to board, Thread all 6 cords through the clasp.

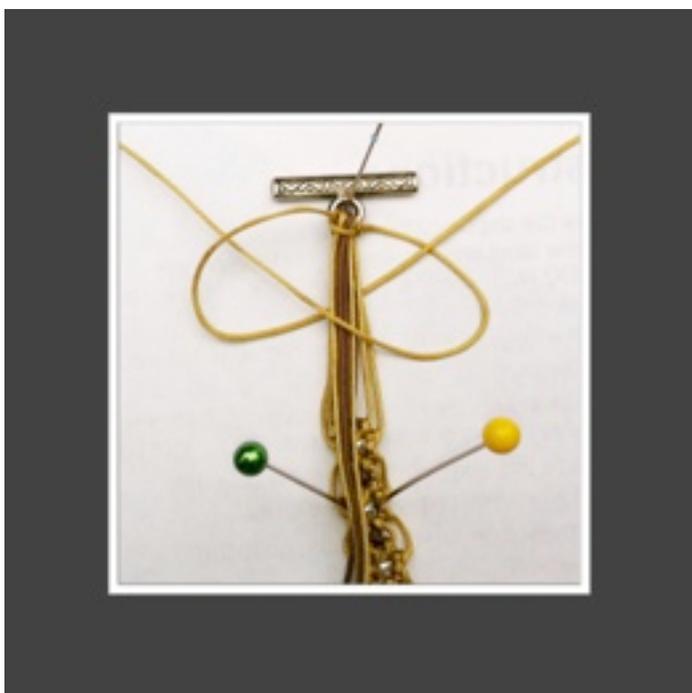
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## Adding Clasp: 2



1. Fold down 4 of the cords and pin to board. Leave two cords out. It does not matter which two cords you choose. If you would like your clasp to be the carrier cord color then use the two carrier cords. We chose cords 1 and 4.

## Adding Clasp: 3



1. Using the two cords you left out, start tying a Square Knot (SK) around all of the other 10 cords
2. Continue tying SK until you reach where your bracelet begins.

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## Adding Clasp: 4



1. Making sure that your last SK is pulled tight, cut and seal all or the cord ends.
2. Add your favorite charms or wear the bracelet as is! Enjoy
3. If you have any questions about this tutorial, please feel free to email use at [karen@tanglesnknots.com](mailto:karen@tanglesnknots.com).

## Cozumel Charm (in fall colors)!

