



## Ladder Stitch Bracelet

This pattern should be used in conjunction with the associated video which you can find on daisyknots **YouTube** channel. Go to the product shop page to get a live link.

### Materials -included with Kit

- Beads = 40 x 4mm semi-precious beads
- Core cord = 75cm 1mm or 1.5mm cord
- Thread cord = 1.5 metres S-lon thread
- Fastening = Stainless steel button

### Equipment - not included with Kit

- Board and two bulldog clips
- Plastic bobbin to hold the beads
- Masking tape
- Glue for finishing
- Beading needle
- Tape measure
- Scissors



## Instructions

1. Thread the cord through the button hole until there are two equal lengths of cord and the button is at the fold of the cord.
2. Using a spare piece of yarn make a loop around the button and clip this yarn to the top of the clipboard.
3. Fold the two strands of cord around the bottom of the clipboard and clip in place making sure the cord is taught.
4. Thread the S-lon thread under the cord, until there are two equal lengths of the S-lon thread and the fold is directly under the two strands of cords. **Tip:** tape the S-lon thread to the cord to stop it moving.
5. Using the S-lon thread tie 4 full square knots or wrap the S-lon 5 times around the cord. This should be hidden under the button.
6. Thread all 40 beads onto the S-lon thread and wind it into a bead bobbin.
7. Using ladder stitch knot the beads until the bracelet is 2cm smaller than the finished length. See below for bracelet sizes.
8. Tie 4 square knots or 5 wraps around the cord with the S-lon and glue these. Once the glue is dry cut the excess thread ends.
9. Tie an overhand knot which should cover most of the S-lon thread knots from step 8.
10. Tie another overhand knot, leaving a gap the diameter of your button between the first and second knot.
11. You may wish to tie another overhand knot so that you have the option of two adjustable closures.

### Custom Bracelet Size

Measure the part of the wrist where the bracelet is to sit.

For the finished bracelet measurement. Increase the wrist measurement by the amount below, depending on what fit is required.

- Snug fit, add 0.5cm to 1.5cm
- Comfort fit, add 1.5cm to 2.5cm.
- Loose fit, add 2.5cm to 3.25cm

**NOTE:** this size does not include the cut cord ends after the last overhand knot