

About This Weave

This quick & fun project is perfect as an introduction to chainmaille and working with rubber rings. Try creating this project in your favorite sport team's colors or holiday colors!

You'll need to use round nose or chain nose pliers to help with the first few steps of pulling the large rubber ring through the small ones.

Ring Sizes & Counts
for 8" bracelet & pair of earrings

Large: P16 RUBR x 19
16ga SWG 5/16" (7.9 mm)

Medium: L16 x 19
16ga SWG 1/4" (6.4 mm)

Small: D14 RUBR x 38
14ga SWG 1/8" (3.2 mm)

PREP:

Pre-open all medium rings.

1a. Insert both tips of your round nose pliers inside of 2 small rubber rings.



1b. Gently grasp a large rubber ring inside the plier tips and roll the small rubber rings over the large ring so that the small rings sit in the middle of the large ring.



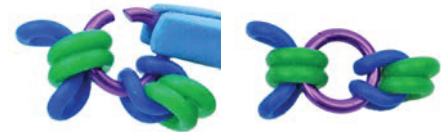
2. Repeat step 1 to make multiple units. You'll need approximately 17 units to make an 8" bracelet.

TIP: *Gently pull the rubber ring through, as opposed to pinching and tugging it, which can cause dents and possibly breakage.*

3a. Slide both ends of the large rubber ring onto a medium ring. Don't close it yet.



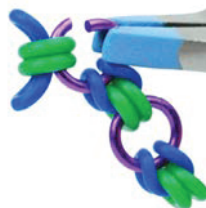
3b. Then add another unit by pushing the medium ring through only the small rubber rings. Close the ring.



4a. Weave a medium ring through both ends of the large rubber ring added in step 3b.



4b. As in step 3b, weave the medium ring through only the small rubber rings of a new unit. Close the ring.



5. Repeat step 4 until completing the desired length.

