Pseudo Cellini



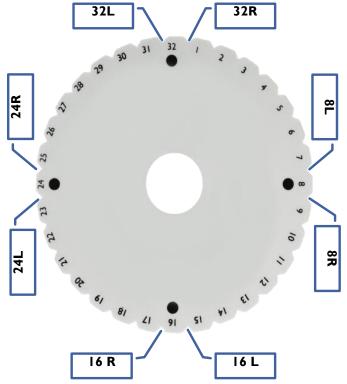
Braid Before You Load Beads!

When I work a beaded braid I like to have flexibility in how much braided section I begin with that does not have beads. Therefore, I do not load beads before I begin braiding! I braid as long as I feel comfortable and then reposition the elements so that 32 Right will be the next element to move down.

This video shows repositioning of the elements: https://vimeo.com/111955228

Slot 16: Right or Left?

I work braids 32 Right down, 16 Right up. This may sound confusing but when you see how the beads are loaded it makes sense. If you are holding the disk so 32 is on top 32 Right is on the right of 32 but 16 right is on the left of 16! BUT! Remember when you turn the disk so 16 is at the top 16 Right is actually 16 Left. The above video shows this as I reposition my elements. The image below should help visualize what I have explained above.



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Bead Loading Chart

Pseudo Cellini is a relatively simple pattern however, there is an important trick:

You must choose 3 different sizes of beads "Small, Medium, and Large"

<u>Load your beads in the following order on the following elements:</u>

32 Left: Small, Medium, Large, **repeat**

32 Right: Medium, Large, Small, **repeat**

8 Left: Medium, Large, Small, **repeat**

8 Right: Large, Small, Medium, **repeat**

16 Left: Small, Medium, Large, **repeat**

16 Right: Medium, Large, Small, **repeat**

24 Left: Medium, Large, Small, **repeat**

24 Right: Large, Small, Medium, **repeat**

Length:

Length will vary significantly with different bead choices. The larger the beads used the fewer you will need.

Use the free bead calculator found here http://www.pacificpatina.com/#!bead-calculator/ondq9 to help with a general idea of the length you would like. Always load more beads than you think you may need.

Variations & Beads Used:

Gold Variation

- Large: 6mm Metal Rounds, Gold
- Medium: 4mm Czech Glass Druk Beads, Dark Olive Green, AB Matte
- Small: Czech 8/o Seed Beads, Clear AB





Purple Variation

- Large: Czech 6/o Seed Beads, Silver Lined Purple
- Medium: Czech 8/o Seed Beads, Dark Bronze AB
- Small: Czech 9/o 3-cut Seed Beads, Clear Brown