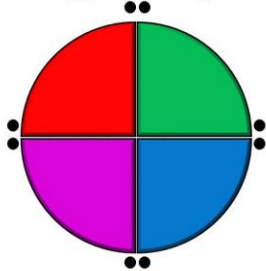


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Preparing the Disk & Cords

Flip your disk over and use a Sharpie marker to write the letters A through H on the back as shown in the picture at the right. There will be 3 empty slots between each letter.

Basic 7 Cord Progression

A ---→ H (empty slot)

B ---→ A

C ---→ B

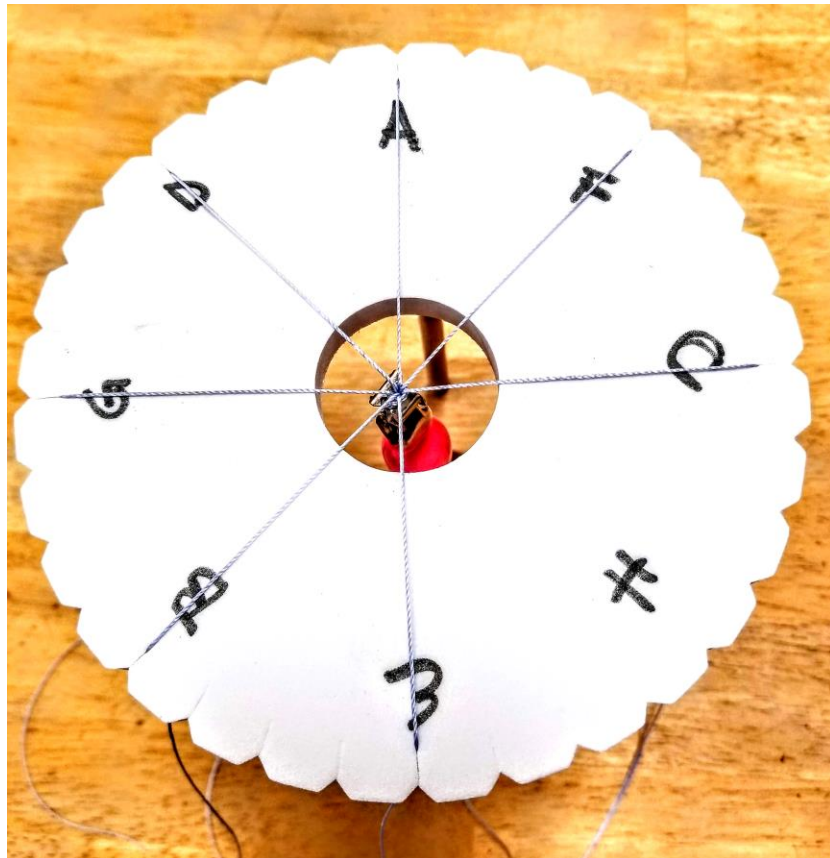
D ---→ C

E ---→ D

F ---→ E

G ---→ F

H ---→ G



And now the H slot is empty again. **This constitutes one round of braiding.** As you can see, there's no need to rotate your disk with this method.

The beauty of this technique is its simplicity. Each time you move a cord you create an empty slot to move your next cord into - hence the nickname "Fill The Gap" that this technique is known by.

This technique is great for a "bead soup" bracelet - use whatever you have left over from other projects!!