Manta Ray Bracelet

Materials:

Two 8 ft pieces of 550 paracord

¾ inch buckle

Fid or lacing needle

*See our four strand double cow's hitch tutorial for step 1.

{Cost for this project starts at $3.98}

Step 1: Join your two cords together and make a four strand double cow’s hitch with the color you want to be on the outside on the right side of the buckle.

Step 2: With cord A, weave it over, under, over, and under the four core strands as shown.
Step 3: With cord B, weave it over and under the first two cords below A. Bring B up between the second and third cords above A and wrap it down and over cord A and the third cord. Then bring it up through the loop created by cord A.

Step 4: Pull tight. We found it easiest by holding the core strands and pushing up on the weave. Continue holding the core strands and pull cord A then cord B until all is tight.

Step 5: Weave A over, under, over under as before only going right to left this time.

Step 6: Weave B as before going left to right. Tighten as before.

Repeat steps 2 through 6 until you reach the end of the bracelet.

You'll want to use your fid to finish the last row or two.
Use your fid to weave the ends under a couple of cords in the back of the bracelet.

Carefully trim and melt the ends.

This made a 9 inch bracelet. The weave is about 1 3/8 inch wide.