

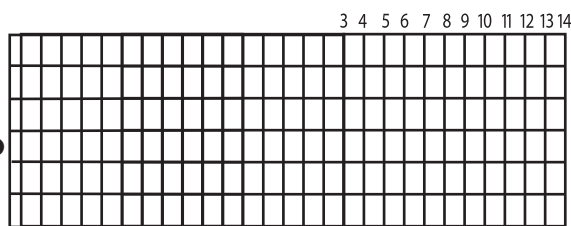


Designing a ring

Requirements:

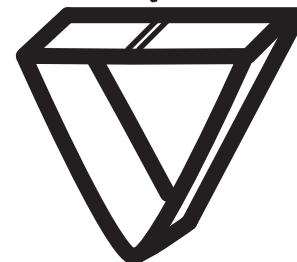
Ring Design Worksheet 1

1. Design a band ring with a stone using the worksheet below.
DO NOT design a plain band shown here -->
Create your band design with a space for a stone.
Make as many designs as you would like. When you find a design that works, cut it out and make sure it fits.

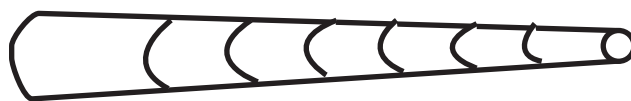


stop design at your size

2. Choose your metal and transfer your design onto your metal- nugold, brass, silver or copper.
3. Cut out your ring design and file smooth. Fold into a "D" using pliers. Butt solder on the flat end. (solder here)

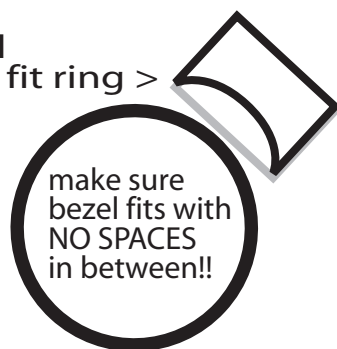


4. Shape on a ring mandrel into an "O" using a raw hide hammer.



5. Make a bezel to fit stone and file to fit your band ring. Strip solder your bezel onto your band, clean and fit stone, polish.

file bezel down to fit ring >



Vocabulary

band ring
bezel
butt solder
mandrel
pliers
raw hide hammer
strip solder
sweat solder

Sizing up your ring

Cut out ring sizer below. Cut along dotted line, making a small slot. Insert the end of the tab into the slot with the number facing out. Place your finger inside and pull snugly.

