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This manual provides instructions for the proper use and care of your Beadsmith Bob-EEZ Cord Management Bobbins.

INTRODUCTION

The Beadsmith Bob-EEZ bobbins are designed to help manage and organize various threads, cords, and strings, preventing tangles and unraveling during crafting projects. They are particularly useful for Kumihimo braiding, macrame, and cross-stitching.

PRODUCT FEATURES

- **No-Tangle Design:** Features a protective locking mechanism to prevent thread unraveling.
- **Removable Weights:** Includes 24-gram weights for maintaining consistent tension during crafting.
- **Durable Material:** Constructed from soft, translucent plastic, allowing visibility of wound thread colors.
- **Stackable Storage:** Designed to stack efficiently for easy organization and space-saving storage.
- **Versatile Use:** Suitable for organizing various crafting threads, chains, ribbons, and yarns.

SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

The Bob-EEZ bobbins come ready for use. Each bobbin consists of two translucent plastic halves and a removable 24-gram weight.

Inspecting Components

Before first use, ensure all 25 bobbins and their respective weights are present and undamaged.



This image shows a Bob-EEZ bobbin disassembled, highlighting the two translucent plastic halves and the separate metal washer that acts as the 24-gram weight. The weight can be easily inserted or removed.

Inserting/Removing Weights

The 24-gram weights are designed to be removable. To insert a weight, place it into the central cavity of one bobbin half. To remove, simply lift it out. The weights help maintain tension for specific crafting techniques like Kumihimo.



Made from soft plastic, the flexible locking feature prevents thread from unraveling as you work!

This image displays multiple Bob-EEZ bobbins, some assembled with weights and some with the weights removed, demonstrating the flexibility of the design. A black cord is shown, illustrating how it would be wound.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to effectively use your Bob-EEZ bobbins for tangle-free cord management.

How to Use Bob-EEZ Like a Pro



1 **Wrap Your Thread**
Wind thread around the bobbin until secure.



2 **Snap It Closed**
Use the flexible flange to snap shut and hold thread.



3 **Let the Weight Work**
If applicable, use the included 24g weight to keep the tension steady.



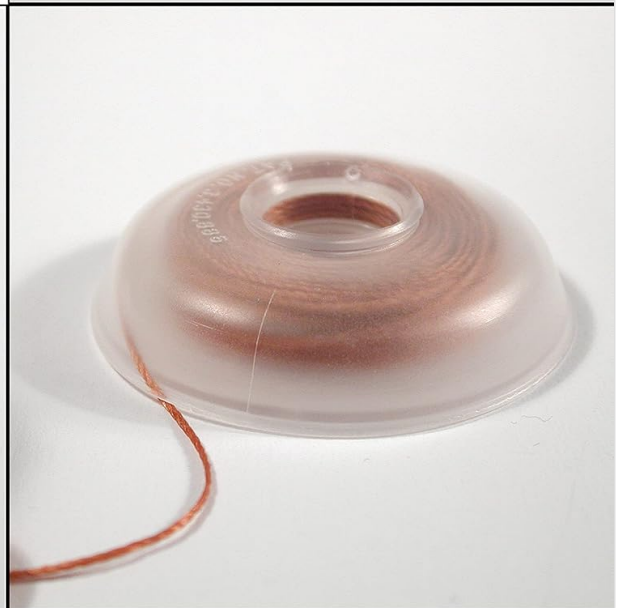
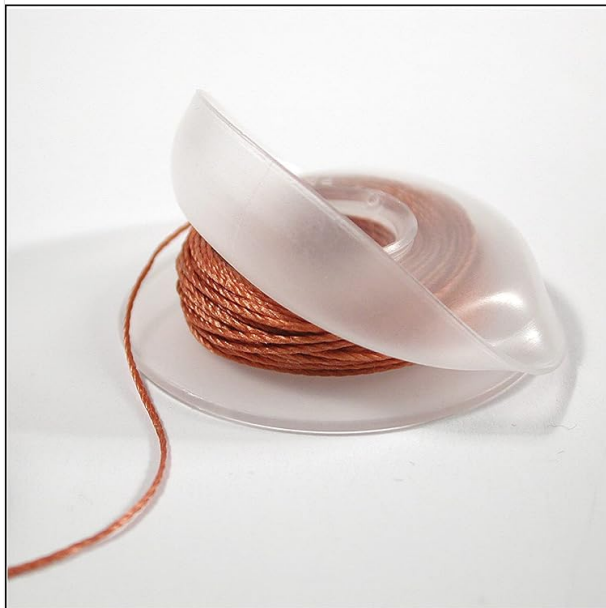
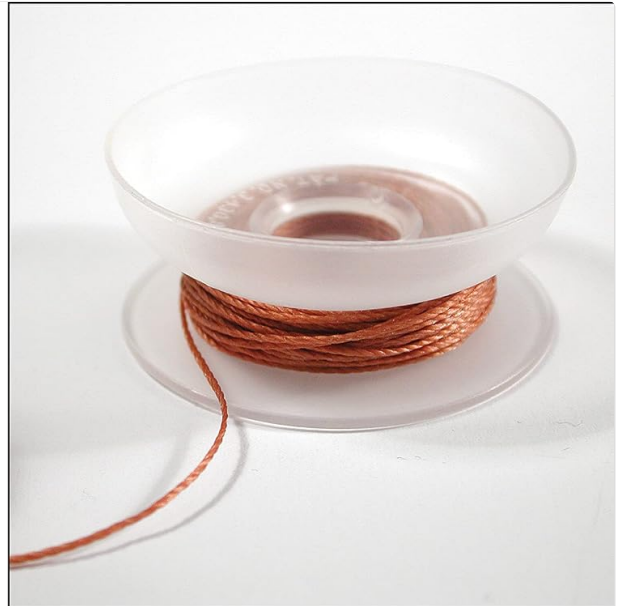
4 **Braid With Ease**
Tidy threads. Easy flow.

This composite image illustrates the four main steps for using the Bob-EEZ bobbins: winding thread, snapping the bobbin closed, utilizing the weight for tension, and braiding with the organized threads.

Winding Thread

1. Separate the two halves of the bobbin.
2. Begin winding your thread, cord, or string around the central core of one bobbin half. Ensure the thread is evenly distributed.
3. If using the weight, place it into the central cavity before closing the bobbin.

*Easily open and close
Bobbins to add or
remove string*



This image sequence demonstrates how to open the bobbin, wind an orange thread around its core, and then securely close it to prevent tangles.

Securing the Thread

Once the desired amount of thread is wound, bring the two halves of the bobbin together. The flexible flange on the bobbin halves will snap shut, securely holding the thread in place and preventing unraveling.

Using Weights for Tension

For crafts requiring consistent tension, such as Kumihimo braiding, the included 24-gram weights are beneficial. Attach the weighted bobbin to your working threads. The weight will provide a steady downward pull, helping to maintain even tension throughout your project.



Weights help maintain tension. Great for Kumihimo!

This image shows a hand holding a Kumihimo disk, with several green threads extending downwards, each attached to a Bob-EEZ bobbin. The bobbins' weights are visible, illustrating their role in maintaining tension during the braiding process.

Applications

- **Kumihimo Braiding:** The bobbins keep cords organized and out of the way, especially with multiple strands. The weights ensure consistent tension.
- **Macrame Designs:** Manage longer cords and prevent tangles during knotting.
- **Cross Stitch & Embroidery:** Use as "parking bobbins" to organize floss, making it easier to work in sections and quickly access specific colors without searching.

MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE

Cleaning

To clean your Bob-EEZ bobbins, simply wipe them with a damp cloth. Avoid harsh chemicals that may damage the plastic. Ensure they are dry before storing.

Storage

The stackable design of the Bob-EEZ bobbins allows for efficient storage. Stack them neatly to save space and keep your crafting area organized. Store in a dry place away from direct sunlight.

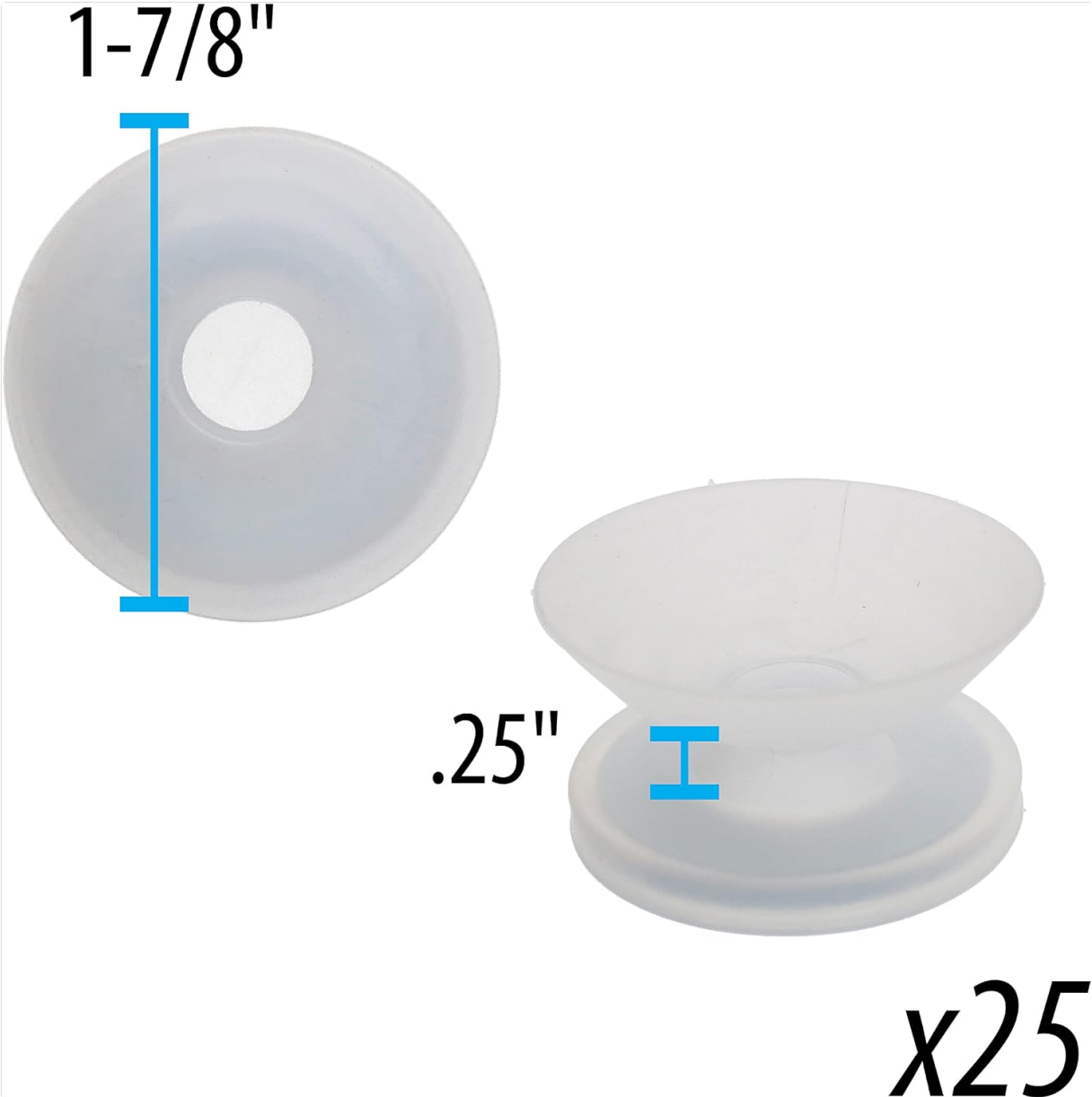
TROUBLESHOOTING

Thread Unraveling

If thread unravels, ensure the bobbin halves are securely snapped together. The flexible locking feature is designed to prevent this. For very thin threads, ensure they are wound tightly and the bobbin is fully closed.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Quantity	25 Pieces per bag
Bobbin Diameter	1-7/8 inches (4.76 cm)
Weight per Bobbin	24 grams (removable)
Material	Soft Translucent Plastic
Package Dimensions	9.53 x 3.11 x 2.09 inches
Item Weight (total)	1.37 pounds



This image visually represents the key dimensions of a single Bob-EEZ bobbin, indicating a diameter of 1-7/8 inches and a height of 0.25 inches, along with the quantity of 25 pieces.

SUPPORT

For any quality issues or concerns regarding your Beadsmith Bob-EEZ Cord Management Bobbins, please contact The Beadsmith customer support. Your satisfaction is important to us.