

Alexis Bracelet

Project B2116

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Create waves with the Alexis Bracelet. By using the 2-Holed Czech Glass Tile beads and Czech Glass Seed beads you can achieve a wave-like effect for a delicate bracelet.

What You'll Need

CzechMates Glass 2-Hole Square Tile Beads 6mm - Honeydew (1 Strand)

SKU: BCP-10247

Project uses 15 beads



Czech Seed Beads Size 11/0 Royal Blue Opaque (1 Hank)

SKU: BCS-1741 Project uses 1 strand



22K Gold Plated Magnetic Clasps 6mm x 8mm (3)

SKU: FCL-6682 Project uses 1 piece



22K Gold Plated Crimp Beads 1.8 x 1.5mm (144)

SKU: FCR-1258 Project uses 4 pieces



Bright Gold Tone Crimp Bead Covers 3mm (144)

SKU: FCR-1056 Project uses 4 pieces



22K Gold Plated Closed Jump Rings 5mm 21 Gauge (20)

SKU: FJR-4016 Project uses 2 pieces



22K Gold Plated Open Jump Rings 5mm 20 Gauge (100)

SKU: FJR-5250 Project uses 2 pieces



Soft Flex, 21 Strand Fine Beading Wire .014 Inch Thick, 30 Feet, Satin Silver

SKU: XCR-5143 Project uses 24 Inches



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5608] Xuron 4 In 1 Crimping Pliers - Works On 1, 2 And 3mm Crimps!, [XTL-5450] Xuron Jeweler's Super Fine Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-3000] Bead Stopper- Stop Beads Sliding Off Stringing Material









Instructions

These instructions will give you a bracelet that is 7 1/2 inches. To adjust the length, simply add or subtract the number of beads in this design.

- 1. Cut off two lengths of beading wire, 12 inches each.
- 2. Place the two wires into the bead stopper, leaving a 2 inch tail. Place them evenly within the springs of the bead stopper. You can see an example of this in this video.
- 3. To strand 1: add three seed beads.
- 4. To strand 2: add three seed beads.
- 5. To both strands: add one 2-holed tile bead.
- 6. To strand 1: add three seed beads.
- 7. To strand 2: add six seed beads.
- 8. To both strands: add one 2-holed tile bead.
- 9. To strand 1: add six seed beads.
- 10. To strand 2: add three seed beads.
- 11. To both strands: add one 2-holed tile bead.
- 12. Repeat steps 6-11 until you have added 15 2-holed tile beads total and ended with three seed beads on each strand.
- 13. Taking one strand and add one crimp tube. Thread it thru one closed jump ring and back down through the crimp tube. Pull until the tube is close to the jump ring. Crimp the crimp tube. Snip any excess wire. Add a crimp cover. Repeat this process for the other strand on this side, adding it to the same closed jump ring you have just added.
- 14. Open one jump ring, and attach it to the closed jump ring and the loop of the magnetic clasp. Close the jump ring.
- 15. Remove the bead stopper and repeat the above process on the other side of the bracelet. Make sure the pull the wire tightly to create the "wave".
- 16. All done!