

Soledad Bracelet

Project B8069

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A bead woven wirework focal was created using the Baby Jewel Loom with 8/0 seed beads, Artistic Wire, and rolo chain. Customize this innovative bracelet design by choosing beads of various sizes and colors.

What You'll Need

Artistic Wire, Silver Plated Craft Wire 26 Gauge Thick, 15 Yard Spool, Gold Color

SKU: WCR-2632

Project uses 12 feet



Griffin Silk Beading Cord & Needle Size 2 Amethyst Purple

SKU: XCR-9209

Project uses 1 piece



Toho Round Seed Beads 8/0 55 'Opaque Turquoise' 8 Gram Tube

SKU: JSH-0037

Project uses 36 beads



Toho Seed Beads, Round 8/0 #YPS0013 'Hybrid ColorTrends: Metallic Bodacious', 8 Grams

SKU: JSH-0233

Project uses 36 beads



Toho Seed Beads, Round 8/0 #YPS0017 'Hybrid ColorTrends: Metallic Spicy Mustard', 8 Grams

SKU: JSH-0246

Project uses 36 beads



22K Gold Plated Fine Rolo Chain, 2mm, by the Foot

SKU: CHA-99958

Project uses 18 inches



Matte Gold Plated Rolo Chain 3mm by the Foot

SKU: CHA-9969

Project uses 4.5 inches



Slide Tube Clasp, 3 Rings Strands 21.5mm, 4 Clasps, Gold Plated

SKU: FCL-5564

Project uses 1 piece



22K Gold Plated Open Jump Rings 4mm 19 Gauge (50)

SKU: FJR-5201

Project uses 12 pieces



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-100] Micro Grip Pliers, Side Cutters, 4.5 Inches Long, 1 Piece, [XTL-101] Micro Grip Pliers, Long Chain Nose, 5 Inches Long, 1 Piece, [XTL-104] Micro Grip Pliers, Round Nose, 5 Inches Long, 1 Piece, [XTL-6139] Beadalon Baby Jewel Loom By Julianna C. Avelar,



Compact and Portable, [XTL-3166] BeadSmith Big Eye Beading Needles 2.125 Inches Long - Pack Of 4, [XTL-0074] Eurotool Nylon Jaw Pliers Chain Nose- For Scratch-Free Wire Work, [XTL-0373] Tulip Premium Scissors, Gold Handle 5 Inch, 1 Pair, [XTL-9920] Beadaholique Beading Mat, 12.5x9.25 Inches, 1 Piece

Instructions

These instructions will make a 6.5 inch bracelet. To modify the size, adjust your chain lengths accordingly.

1. If you are new to loom weaving, begin by watching our video: How to Use the Baby Jewel Loom.
2. Please watch the video: How to Use the Baby Jewel Loom with Artistic Wire. You will use approximately 12 feet of 26 gauge wire to set up your loom as shown in the video. For this pattern, you will need 9 warp wires.
3. Follow along with the video to create nine rows of 8/0 seed beads in the following order: Turquoise, Purple, Gold. You will use 8 beads per row.
4. Finish off the ends of the warp wires with picot beaded edging and wrapped wire loops as shown in the video.
5. Use flush cutters to cut eight 2.25 inch lengths of 2mm rolo chain, and two 2.25 inch lengths of 3mm rolo chain.
6. Use pliers to open a 4mm jump ring, and attach two 2mm chains to a loop on one side of your slide clasp. Repeat this step to attach chains onto each of the four endmost loops of the clasp (see photo for reference).
7. Open another jump ring and attach one 3mm chain to the center loop on your clasp. Repeat this step on the opposite side of your bracelet. Enjoy!