

Solar Eclipse Necklace

Project N8042

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Zola Elements acetate pendants are showcased against a backdrop of mixed metal stamping blanks in this mod style geometric necklace. The BeadSmith 2-hole metal punch is used to create additional holes in the stamping blank, offering unique design possibilities.

What You'll Need

Zola Elements Acetate Pendant, Coin 14mm, 2 Pieces, Light Brown Tortoise Shell

SKU: PNT-076

Project uses 1 piece



Zola Elements Acetate Pendant, Bar Drop 3x38.5mm, 2 Pieces, Light Brown Tortoise Shell

SKU: PNT-095

Project uses 3 pieces



Solid Brass Round Stamping Blanks - 25mm Diameter 24 Gauge (2)

SKU: PND-7819

Project uses 1 piece



Antiqued Silver Plated Blank Stamping Round Pendants 34mm (2)

SKU: PND-5852

Project uses 1 piece



Silver Plated Open Jump Rings 5mm 20 Gauge (x100)

SKU: FJR-5150

Project uses 3 pieces



Artistic Wire, Silver Plated Craft Wire 22 Gauge Thick, 8 Yard Spool, Tarnish Resistant Silver

SKU: WCR-2230

Project uses 3 inches



Silver Plated Bulk Chain, Long Bar Links 19mm, 1 Foot, Bright Silver

SKU: CHA-08034

Project uses 30 inches



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-0284] BeadSmith Two-Hole Metal Punch, Makes 1.5 and 2mm Holes, [XTL-5600] Sharp

Flush Cutter Pliers - For Cutting Beading Wire, 1 Piece, [XTL-0034] Wubbers Classic Series

Round Nose Quality Jeweller's Pliers, [XTL-0020] Baby Wubbers Quality Fine Chain Nose

Jeweller's Pliers

Instructions

These instructions will make a 30 inch necklace. For a longer or shorter necklace, choose your desire length of chain. If you wish to use a clasp, we



recommend a lobster clasp and jump ring.

1. Begin by watching the video: How to Use the BeadSmith Two-Hole Metal Punch. Using what you have learned in the video, make three 1.5mm holes in your round silver stamping pendant directly across from the pre-existing hole. Space your holes approximately 1/8 to 1/2 inch apart and about 1/16th inch in from the edge of the pendant. You may want to use a marking pen and ruler to help you with these measurements.
2. To hang your acetate bars: Use pliers to open a 5mm jump ring and slide on the loop of one of your bars. Also slide on one of the holes you made in the round silver pendant from step 1. Close the jump ring. Repeat this step twice more to hang your other two acetate bars.
3. Now use flush cutters to cut 3 inches of 22 gauge wire and make a wrapped wire loop. Before coiling the wrap closed, slide on the top (pre-existing) hole of your silver stamping pendant. Also slide on the holes of your gold stamping pendant and your acetate coin. Close the wrap.
4. Next, cut 30 inches of bar chain.
5. Using the remainder of your 22 gauge wire, make another wrapped wire loop above the wrap you made in step 3, with the loop facing forward. Before coiling wrap closed, slide on the end links of your 30 inches of bar chain. Close the wrap. All done!