

Turquoise Dream Bracelet

Project B3001 [Skill Level: Beginner]

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This pretty turquoise multi-strand bracelet pairs a Czech fire polish turquoise bead link chain with a bright rhodium 3-hole D ring toggle clasp. This bracelet is very simple to make, yet looks quite intricate.



What You'll Need

Czech Fire Polish Bead Silver Plated Link Chain 4mm Turquoise Round - 1 Meter



SKU: AXC-99909
Project uses 21 inches

Silver Plated Open Jump Rings 6mm 20 Gauge (50)



SKU: FJR-5219
Project uses 7 pieces

Bright Rhodium Plated Lead-Free Pewter 3-Hole D Ring Toggle Clasp Set 13x15mm (1)



SKU: FCL-9223
Project uses 1 clasp

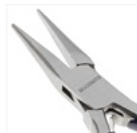
Specialized Tools

Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex



SKU: XTL-5600

Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose



SKU: XTL-5511

Instructions:

Before you begin, measure your wrist and decide how long you'd like your bracelet to be. The clasp will add just a bit over an inch to your finished measurement. These instructions will make a finished bracelet that is approximately 8" long, including the clasp.

1. Begin by measuring the size of your chain. You will need three separate 7" chains for your bracelet. Keep in mind that the links in this chain slightly differ in size but once the chains lie flat next to one another, the turquoise beads will line up.
2. Using your flush cutters, cut your chain leaving clean links at either end.
3. Next, using your chain nose pliers, open the the last link on one of your lengths of chain and attach a jump ring to it. Link this to one of the side holes on one of your D Ring toggle clasps.
4. Close the jump ring. Repeat this step with your two other chain lengths, attaching them to the other two holes on the D Ring toggle clasp.
5. Repeat the above step on the other side of your bracelet with your other D Ring toggle clasp.
6. Then add your last jump ring to the loop in your toggle bar and add it to one of your D-rings.
7. Your bracelet is done.

Variations

Choose your own combination of Czech glass beaded chains to give your bracelet a different look.

When substituting in items, pay attention to sizes and styles to make sure all your pieces will fit together.



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