

Alexa Bracelet in Turquoise

Project B664

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This trendy bracelet combines 3 very popular elements: a bright bold color, rhinestone cup chain, and a strong industrial metal chain. Get the look of an expensive designer boutique bracelet but for far less and have a blast making it yourself! Tip: You can make 2 bracelets with the kit supplies.

What You'll Need

Antiqued Silver Plated Heavy Curb Chain 7mm Bulk By The Foot

SKU: CHA-9729

Project uses 6 inches



SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS Gun Metal Plated Rhinestone Cup Chain 32PP Crystal - BY FT

SKU: CHA-2030

Project uses 6 inches



Rayon Satin Rattail 1mm Cord - Knot & Braid - Dark Turquoise Blue (6 Yards)

SKU: XCR-0109

Project uses 58 inches



TierraCast Black Finish Brass Open Oval Jump Rings 6mm 20 Gauge (50)

SKU: FJR-6000

Project uses 1 piece



Gun Metal Plated Curved Lobster Clasps 15mm (6)

SKU: FCL-4732

Project uses 1 piece



E6000 Industrial Strength Glue Adhesive (0.18 fl oz)

SKU: XTL-1054

Project uses 1 piece



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5700] Fiskars 5 Precision Tip Scissors - Super Sharp, [XTL-5610] Xuron Memory Wire Cutters Cutting Pliers -Strong & Easy, [XTL-9930] Beadalon Beading Mats - Prevent Bead Rolling 12 x 9 Inch (Set of 3), [XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose



Instructions

You will also need a ruler, an applicator for your E6000 (such as a thin wire or toothpick) and a binder clip for this project. Please note, the instructions make a 6.5" total length bracelet. If you need a longer bracelet, please adjust your lengths accordingly.

1. The making of this entire bracelet is shown in the video: How to Tie Rhinestone Cup Chain onto Curb Chain.
2. Please view the video to see how to make this bracelet.
3. You will need 8 inches of cord per inch of finished bracelet that you make. After you measure the amount of cord you need, add an extra 10 inches just to be on the safe side before cutting.
4. Cut your curb chain first to the length you want your bracelet to be. After you cut the chain, count the links. You will want your rhinestone chain to be 2 links longer than your curb chain. For instance, if your curb chain is 24 links long, your rhinestone chain should be 26 links long.
5. Have fun making these stylish bracelets for you and your friends!