

Scarletta Bracelet

Project B7067

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Rich, fiery flashes emanate from five Swarovski crystal fancy stones in Scarlet, evoking a warm, holiday hearth. Swarovski 2-hole square beads, bicones and a crystal-inlaid clasp finish this sumptuous bracelet.

What You'll Need

Swarovski Crystal, 4320 Pear Fancy Stone 14x10mm, 1 Piece, Scarlet F

SKU: SWCR-4279

Project uses 5 pieces



Swarovski Crystal Fancy Stone Setting, Fits 4320 14x10mm Pear, 2 Pieces, Gold Plated

SKU: SWCR-9916

Project uses 5 pieces



Swarovski Crystal, 5180 Square Double Hole Beads 8mm, 4 Pieces, Crystal

SKU: SWC-2313

Project uses 6 pieces



Beadalon Beading Wire Gold Color 19 Strand .018 Inch / 30 Feet

SKU: XCR-69893

Project uses 2 feet



Toho Demi Round Seed Beads, Thin 8/0 (3mm) Size, 7.4 Grams, 712 Metallic Gold

SKU: DRO-0030

Project uses 1 tube



Swarovski Crystal, 5328 Bicone Beads 4mm, 24 Pieces, Graphite

SKU: SWBI-14564

Project uses 20 pieces



23K Gold Plated 2-Strand Box Clasp With SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS 22x12mm (1)

SKU: FCL-4800

Project uses 1 set



22K Gold Plated Crimp Beads 1.5mm x 2mm (100 Beads)

SKU: FCR-1905

Project uses 4 pieces



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5230] Double Notch Crimping Pliers - Works on 2mm And 3mm Crimps, [XTL-0074] Eurotool Nylon Jaw Pliers Chain Nose- For Scratch-Free Wire Work, [XTL-3000] Bead Stopper- Stop Beads Sliding Off Stringing Material

Instructions

These instructions make a 6 1/2 inch bracelet. For a longer or shorter bracelet, adjust the number of beads strung on each side of the focal sequence.

1. Place 1 scarlet pear-shaped fancy stone into 1 gold fancy stone setting. Using nylon jaw pliers (so you don't accidentally scratch your crystal), gently bend each of the 4 prongs down over the stone. You can also use a popsicle stick for this step, in place of the nylon jaw pliers. Repeat this step 4 more times for a total of 5 crystals in gold settings. Set your crystals aside.
2. Using flush cutters, cut two 12 inch lengths of gold beading wire. Place both wires into a bead stopper, about 2 inches from the end of the wires.
3. Onto each wire, string 2 gold demi-round seed beads. Onto both wires, string 1 two-hole square crystal bead. Onto each wire, string 2 gold demi-rounds, 1 graphite bicone, and 2 gold demi-rounds. (See photo for reference.)
4. Onto both wires, string 1 pear-shaped fancy stone, pointing up. Onto each wire, string 2 gold demi-rounds, 1 graphite bicone, and 1 gold demi-round. Onto both wires, string 1 two-hole square crystal bead. Onto each wire, string 1 gold demi-round, 1 graphite bicone, and 2 gold demi-rounds.
5. Repeat step 4, with the pear-shaped fancy stone pointing down.
6. Repeat step 4, with the pear-shaped fancy stone pointing up.
7. Repeat step 4, with the pear-shaped fancy stone pointing down.
8. Onto both wires, string 1 pear-shaped fancy stone, pointing up. Onto each wire, string 2 gold demi-rounds, 1 graphite bicone, and 2 gold demi-rounds. Onto both wires, string 1 two-hole square crystal bead. Onto each wire, string 2 gold demi-rounds.
9. Separate the two halves of your box clasp.
10. Take one wire end and string a crimp bead. Also string one of the loops of half of your clasp. Take the wire back through your crimp bead and pull tight. Crimp the crimp bead with the 2mm notch of your crimping pliers. Cut off the excess wire with flush cutters.
11. Repeat step 10 for the second wire on the same side of the bracelet.
12. Remove your bead stopper from the other end of the bracelet. Repeat steps 10-11 to attach the wire ends to the other half of your clasp. Enjoy your bracelet!