

Bohemia Necklace

Project N216
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This Boho-chic necklace evokes a free spirited lady with an easy, eclectic, devil-may-care style. The color palette is a warm, antique-ish mix of rich reds, earthy browns, and a touch of turquoise; all in the form of various Czech glass.



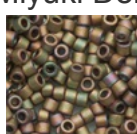
What You'll Need

Czech Seed Beads 6/0 Translucent Garnet Red (1 Ounce)



SKU: BCS-6409
Project uses 70 pieces

Miyuki Delica Seed Beads 10/0 Matte Metallic Green/Pink DBM0380 8 GR



SKU: DBM-0380
Project uses 62 pieces

Brass Oxide Finish Lead-Free Pewter Disk Heishi Spacer Beads 3mm (50)



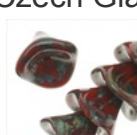
SKU: BMB-5750
Project uses 32 pieces

Antiqued Brass Flower Toggle Clasps 14mm (4 Sets)



SKU: FCL-4700
Project uses 1 piece

Czech Glass Beads Three Petal Flower 12mm Opaque Red/Picasso (12)



SKU: BCP-92144
Project uses 5 pieces

Czech Glass Fluted Cathedral Beads 9mm Opaque Turquoise/Picasso (12 Beads)



SKU: BCP-39200
Project uses 2 pieces

Czech Glass Fluted Cathedral Beads 9mm Opaque Red/Picasso (12 Beads)



SKU: BCP-39201
Project uses 2 pieces

Czech Glass Fluted Cathedral Beads 9mm Jet Black/Bronze (12 Beads)



SKU: BCP-39210
Project uses 2 pieces

Czech Glass Druk Round Beads 6mm Hurricane Glass Green Orange Swirl (50)



SKU: BCP-76209
Project uses 24 pieces

Soft Flex Best Beading Wire Antique Brass .014 Inch - 30 Ft.



SKU: XCR-5005
Project uses 2 feet

Vintaj Natural Brass Round Crimp Beads 2mm (50)



SKU: FCR-1467
Project uses 2 pieces

Antiqued Brass Crimp Bead Covers 3mm (50)



SKU: FCR-1090
Project uses 2 pieces

Antiqued Brass Head Pins 2 Inches Long/22 Gauge (X50)



SKU: FHP-6312
Project uses 5 pieces

Specialized Tools

Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex



SKU: XTL-5600

Beadsmith Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers



SKU: XTL-5514

Double Notch Crimping Pliers - Works on 2mm And 3mm Crimps



SKU: XTL-5230

Bead Stopper- Stop Beads Sliding Off Stringing Material



SKU: XTL-3000

Instructions:

- Begin by threading a delica and a Czech glass flower onto a headpin. Make a wrapped wire loop on the headpin, just above the flower, and trim off excess wire. Create four more of these flower dangles, for a total of five, and set them aside.
- Use your flush cutters to cut a piece of beading wire that is approximately two feet in length. Secure one end of the wire with a Bead Stopper.
- Onto the wire string the following:
 - two inches of alternating 6/0 red seed beads and 10/0 delicas (beginning and ending with a 6/0 red seed bead)
 - a brass oxide heishe spacer
 - a 6mm druk
 - a heishe spacer
 - a turquoise fluted cathedral bead
 - a heishe spacer
 - a druk
 - a heishe spacer
 - one inch of alternating 6/0 red seed beads and 10/0 delicas (beginning and ending with a 6/0 red seed bead)
 - a brass oxide heishe spacer
 - a 6mm druk
 - a heishe spacer
 - a red fluted cathedral bead
 - a heishe spacer
 - a druk
 - a heishe spacer
 - one inch of alternating 6/0 red seed beads and 10/0 delicas (beginning and ending with a 6/0 red seed bead)
 - a brass oxide heishe spacer
 - a 6mm druk
 - a heishe spacer
 - a black fluted cathedral bead
 - a heishe spacer
 - a druk
 - a heishe spacer
 - and one inch of alternating 6/0 red seed beads and 10/0 delicas (beginning and ending with a 6/0 red seed bead).
- Now string the middle section by threading: a brass heishe spacer, a druk, a heishe spacer, and a flower dangle. Repeat this sequence four more times, and finish by threading another druk, heishe spacer, druk, and one more heishe spacer.
- When you have completed stringing the middle section, string the second side of the necklace as a mirror image of the first.
- Onto the end of your strand thread a brass crimp bead, but do not crimp it yet.
- Thread the end of the strand through the loop on one half of the toggle clasp, back through the crimp bead and several consecutive beads, pull the wire snug, and crimp the crimp bead.
- Remove the Bead Stopper from the other end of the necklace and repeat the previous step here.
- Place a crimp bead cover over each of the crimp beads and gently squeeze them closed.
- Trim off excess beading wire.