



Ahoy, Matey Bracelet

“Fun, fantasy and adventure” in a 3-strand bracelet!

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Instructions:

- **Create the Beaded Strands:** Prepare each 10” strand of beading wire by stringing 1 crimp bead and one 2x3.2mm jumpring at one end and forming a folded crimp, leaving a 1” tail. On one 10” strand of beading wire, string 1 pearl, then one 2mm round bead. Continue this pattern with remaining pearls and 2mm round beads, ending with a pearl. On the second strand of beading wire, string one 3mm Beaded spacer, then one 8mm Jet bicone. Continue this pattern using remaining spacers and bicones, ending with a beaded spacer. Finish both strands by crimping and adding a 2x3.2mm jumpring. Cover all crimp beads with crimp covers.
- **Embellish Chain:** Create the crystal dangles by stringing one 2mm round bead and 1 Siam 4mm bicone on each of 10 headpins. Form wrapped loops. String 1 Crystal AB bicone on each of the remaining 10 headpins. Form wrapped loops. Arrange the 10 charms so that they are pleasingly spaced along the length of chain. Attach each charm to the chain using a 6mm jumpring, adding 1 each of the Siam and Crystal AB bicone dangles to each jumpring before closing. Attach a 6mm jumpring at each end of the chain.
- **Finish Bracelet:** Thread 1 end of each beaded strand and the chain onto an 8mm jumpring, adding the clasp ring before closing the jumpring. Attach the other ends of the strands and chain to the second 8mm jumpring. At this point braid your strands together as desired or keep them separate. Add clasp bar, then close jumpring.

NOTE: *Mind the gaps on your jumpings. Close snugly to avoid losing your dangles!*

What You’ll Need:

TierraCast Parts:

- 8 Assorted TierraCast pirate charms
- 1 Heart Lock Charm
94-2290-26
- 1 Key Charm
94-2270-26
- 26 2mm Round Bead, gold-filled
93-0302-00
- 17 3mm Beaded Spacer
93-0418-26
- 2 8mm 18g Jumpring
01-0026-09
- 12 6mm 19g Jumpring
01-0025-09
- 4 2x3.2mm 20g Jumpring
01-0016-09
- 20 2” Headpin, 24g gold-filled
01-0029-09
- 4 4mm Crimp Cover, gold-filled
01-0033-09
- 4 2x2mm Crimp Bead, gold-filled
01-0030-09

Additional Materials:

- 6.5” brass or goldtone twisted link craft chain, approx. 3/16” diameter
- 16 Swarovski Jet 8mm bicones
- 10 Swarovski Siam 4mm bicones
- 10 Swarovski Crystal AB 4mm bicones
- 17 8mm white flat sided pearls
- 2 10” strands of beading wire

Tools:

Chain-nose pliers, round-nose pliers, wire cutters, crimping tool, heavy duty wire cutters or memory wire cutters

Techniques Required:

Basic stringing, crimping, opening and closing jumpings, forming wrapped loops.