

TierraCast

Earthy Hues Herringbone Bracelet

Odd count herringbone stitch works fabulously with our Stitch-in Connector and this gorgeous palette looks wonderful with the copper components!



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skill set
not too hard



Supplies

- 2 Stitch-in Connector (94-3232-18)
- 1 Sunburst Clasp Set (94-6021-18)
- 2 Oval Jump Ring 20 Gauge, 4x3mm ID (01-0018-08)
- 9g Size 8 Seed Beads (Color A—opaque beige picasso shown)
- 9g Size 8 Seed Beads (Color B—translucent green picasso shown)

- 9g Size 8 Seed Beads (Color C—translucent dk blue shown)
- 2g Size 15 Seed Beads (Color D—opaque beige picasso shown)
- 6lb Fireline or Wildfire .006 Beading Thread (smoke/black)

Required Tools

Scissors/thread snips, size 11 beading needle or looming needle, set of chain nose and bent nose pliers, beading mat

Finished Size

Approx 7 inches

Instructions

Introduction: The stitch-in features three holes spaced and shaped to fit as size 8/0 round seed beads. Each of the built-in beads will take the place of a bead in this pattern. This pattern incorporates the stitch-ins in two places to create attachment points for the toggle clasp bar and hoop.

1. Cut 40 to 50 inches of beading thread. Leaving a 10-inch tail, pick up two Color A beads and go back through the first bead added. Continue through the next bead. Pick up a Color B bead. Go back through the last bead added and go through the Color B bead. Pick up a Color C bead. Go through the Color B bead and continue through the Color C bead just added. [Pick up a Color C bead. Go through the last Color

C bead added. Continue through the next, Color C bead] two times. Pick up a Color B bead and go back through the last Color C bead. Continue through the Color B bead. Pick up a Color A bead. Go through the Color B bead and continue through the Color A bead. Pick up a Color A bead, go back through the last Color A bead, and then continue through the Color A bead just added.



2. Pick up two Color A beads. Go through the Color A bead below. Come up through the adjacent Color B.



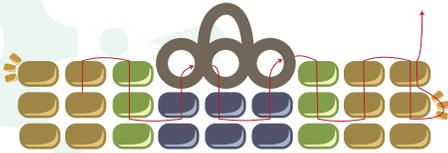
3. Repeat Step 2 six times with the following colors: Color B, [Color C] three times, Color B, Color A.



4. Pick up two Color A and three Color D. Go back through the first Color A added in this step, heading in the opposite direction of the exiting thread. Pull thread through and the two Color A beads stack, and the three Color D wrap around the top Color A bead. Turn and go up through the adjacent Color A in the row.

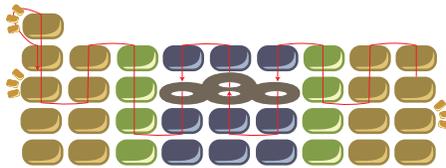


- Pick up a Color A and a Color B bead. Go through the Color B bead below. Turn and come up through the adjacent Color C bead. Place a stitch-in with the loop side facing up and go through the first loop. Turn and go through the second loop. Go through the next Color C bead. Turn and go through the next Color C bead and continue through the third loop of the stitch-in. Pick up a Color B bead, go through the Color B bead next to the stitch-in. Turn and go up through the adjacent Color A bead. Pick up two Color A beads. Go through the Color A bead below. Pick up three Color D. Go through the last Color A added.

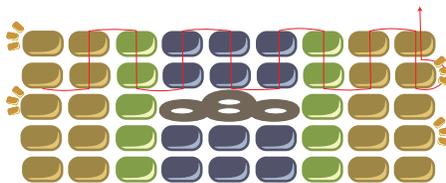


- Pick up two Color A beads and go through the second Color A bead in the row. Turn and come up through the adjacent Color B bead. Pick up a Color B and a Color C bead and go through the first hole of the stitch-in. Continue through the Color B bead below. Turn and come up through the adjacent B. Continue through the middle hole of the stitch-in. Pick-

up two Color B and go through the third hole of the stitch-in. Turn and go up through the adjacent B. Continue through the next Color B bead. Pick up a Color B and a Color A bead and turn and go down through the next Color A bead. Come up through the adjacent A. Pick-up two, Color A and three Color D. Repeat Step 4 to make the odd-count turn.



- Complete the remainder of the row following a regular, herringbone stitch in the established pattern. When you reach the end of the row pick up three Color D and come up through the last Color A added.



- Repeat steps 2 through 4, then repeat step 7 to complete the rows of your bracelet to desired length, allowing 1 inch for clasp.
- Repeat Steps 5 and 6 to add the second stitch-in.

- Repeat Steps 7 and 8 to add three rows above the stitch-in. Weave in remaining working and tail thread by following the established thread path through two rows and trim.
- Open an oval jump ring using chain and bent nose pliers and attach to the top loop of the first stitch-in added (the stitch in that has two rows after it). Close the jump ring. Open a second, oval jump ring and attach the toggle bar.
- Open a third oval jump ring and attach the hoop side of the toggle clasp to the stitch-in top loop. Tip: The bent nose pliers are helpful here in getting the jump ring closed.

Watch the technique videos in the DIY section of our blog (look for jump rings).

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