

# Sublime Sparkle by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 18 inches

## **Beads and other products needed for one necklace:**

60 - 5mm Smoked Topaz Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (05BI1182)  
60 - 4mm Olivine Swarovski Elements Crystal Round Beads (04RD0115)  
2 - 15mm Crystal Swarovski Elements Crystal Gold Plated Filigrees (RI1302)  
2 - 27mm Crystal Swarovski Elements Crystal Gold Plated Filigrees (RI1368)  
7.5 inches - 3.2mm Gold-Filled Cable Chain (CN1117)  
6.5 inches - 4mm Gold-Filled Cable Chain (CN1106)  
1 - 10x7mm Gold-Filled Oval Lobster Clasp (GF2607)  
7 - 4.6mm Gold-Filled 21 Gauge Oval Open Jump Rings (GF2750)  
4 - 2x2mm Gold-Filled Crimp Beads (GF2788)  
4 - 3.5mm Gold-Filled Crimp Bead Covers (GF2101)  
2 feet - Clear Soft Flex Wire .014 diameter (SM0310)

## **Tools needed to complete the necklace:**

Wire cutters  
Chain nose pliers  
Crimping pliers (TL0500)

## **Beading Techniques needed to complete the necklace:**

Opening and Closing a Jump Ring  
Crimping  
Crimp Bead Covers

## **Instructions to complete “Sublime Sparkle” necklace:**

### **Step 1**

Using wire cutters, cut the 4mm chain into two 3.25-inch lengths.

### **Step 2**

Open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to attach one “petal” of one 15mm filigree to one end link of one chain length. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 3**

Open one jump ring, and use it to attach the petal directly across the 15mm filigree from the one used in the previous step to one petal of one 27mm filigree. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 4**

Open one jump ring, and use it to attach the petal directly across the 27mm filigree from the one used in the previous step to one petal on a second 27mm filigree. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 5**

String one crimp bead and the petal directly across the 27mm filigree from the second one used in the previous step onto a 13-inch length of beading wire. Pass the beading wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead (see Crimping Technique).

### **Step 6**

Cover the crimp bead with a crimp bead cover (see Crimp Bead Covers Technique), and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

### **Step 7**

String 60 5mm Smoked Topaz crystal bicone beads onto the beading wire.

### **Step 8**

String one crimp bead and one petal of one 15mm filigree onto the beading wire. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead, cover the crimp with a crimp bead cover, and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

### **Tip**

*The rest of the assembly will be easier to visualize if you lay the assembly flat on the work surface with the three filigrees on the right, the single filigree on the left, and the strand of bicone beads between them.*

### **Step 9**

Count the petal on the left-side 15mm filigree already attached to the beading wire as the first petal. Skip the next petal toward the inside of the necklace, and string one crimp bead and the next petal toward the inside of the necklace onto an 11-inch length of beading wire. Pass the beading wire back through the crimp bead, crimp the crimp bead, cover the crimp with a crimp bead cover, and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

### **Step 10**

String 60 4mm Olivine round beads onto the beading wire.

### **Step 11**

On the lower 27mm filigree, count the petal already attached to the beading wire as the first petal. Skip the next petal toward the inside of the necklace, and string one crimp bead and the next petal toward the inside of the necklace onto the beading wire. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead, cover the crimp with a crimp bead cover, and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

### **Step 12**

On the lower 27mm filigree, skip the next petal toward the inside of the necklace. Open one jump ring, and use it to attach one end link of the 3.2mm chain to the next petal. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 13**

Two petals from the last one used on the left-side 15mm filigree, use one jump ring to attach that petal to the unattached end link of the 3.2mm chain.

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**Step 14**

On the petal directly across from the left-side 15mm filigree petal attached to the crystal round bead strand, use one jump ring to attach one end link of the remaining length of 4mm chain.

**Step 15**

Open one jump ring, and use it to attach the loop on the lobster claw to one end of the necklace. Close the jump ring.

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