

# Petal to the Metal by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 2.5 inches

## **Beads and other products needed for one pair of earrings:**

- 4 - 4mm Ruby Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1113)
- 8 - 4mm Smoked Topaz Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1138)
- 4 - 4mm Topaz Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1137)
- 2 - 4mm Padparadscha Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1108)
- 4 - 4mm Light Amethyst Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1132)
- 1 pair - 9mm Sterling Silver Ear Wires with Front Loop (SS2600)
- 2 - 22 gauge Sterling Silver 2 inch Head Pins (SS2501)

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

Round nose pliers  
Chain nose pliers  
Wire cutters

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

Simple Loop

## **Instructions to complete “Petal to the Metal” earrings:**

### **Step 1**

Place these beads in the following sequence onto one head pin, making one unit:

- 1 – 4mm Smoked Topaz bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Topaz bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Ruby bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Smoked Topaz bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Light Amethyst bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Padparadscha bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Light Amethyst bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Smoked Topaz bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Ruby bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Topaz bicone bead
- 1 – 4mm Smoked Topaz bicone bead

### **Step 2**

Turn a simple loop (see Simple Loop Technique) at the open end of the head pin. Attach the loop just made to the loop on one ear wire.

### **Step 3**

Repeat Steps 1 – 2 for the second earring.

***For step-by-step photos and instructions on these and other techniques, visit [FusionBeads.com](http://FusionBeads.com) and select Beading Techniques from the top navigation bar. You'll find more Inspiration jewelry ideas at [FusionBeads.com](http://FusionBeads.com)!***