

# Retro Sparkle by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 2 inches

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

- 1 - Orange Crush Ultrafine Transparent Glitter (CR0122)
- 1 - Coral Reef Ultrafine Transparent Glitter (CR0125)
- 1 pair - Gold-Filled French Hoops with 2mm Bead (GF2104)
- 4 - 5.5mm Gold-Filled 19 Gauge Jump Rings (GF2709)
- Card stock or other heavy paper

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

- Chain nose pliers
- 1 1/4 inch Circle Punch (TL2169)
- 13/16 inch Circle Punch (TL2168)
- Metal Hole Punch Pliers (TL1932)
- ICE Resin (TL2167)

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

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Using ICE Resin with Paper

*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.*

## **Instructions to complete “Retro Sparkle” earrings:**

### **Step 1**

Using the two circle punches, punch out two circles in each size from the card stock.

### **Step 2**

Prepare a work surface (see Using ICE Resin with Paper Technique), and mix the two parts of the resin. When mixed thoroughly, pour half the mixed resin into another container.

### **Step 3**

Stir orange crush glitter into one half of the mixed resin, and coral reef glitter into the other half.

### **Step 4**

Laminate the smaller circles with coral reef resin and the larger circles with orange crush resin. Allow the resin to dry completely. Cut away any excess resin.

### **Step 5**

Using the metal hole punch pliers, punch a hole near the edge of each circle.

### **Step 6**

Using chain nose pliers, open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to connect one small circle to one larger circle. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 7**

Open one jump ring, and use it to attach the jump ring from Step 6 to the loop on one French hoop. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 8**

Repeat Steps 6 – 7 for the second earring.

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