

River Shore by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 8 inches

Beads and other products needed for one bracelet:

- 1 bag - Size 11 Opaque Dark Brown Round Japanese Seed Beads (SB2435)
- 1 bag - Size 11 Opaque Light Beige Round Japanese Seed Beads (SB2433)
- 1 bag - Size 8 Opaque Turquoise Blue Delica Beads - DBL0725 (08DB0725)
- 1 bag - Size 8 Opaque Rich Cream Delica Beads - DBL0732 (08DB0732)
- 1 - 4X22mm Three Strand Sterling Silver Tube Clasp (SS3415)
- 12 - 3.5mm Sterling Silver Crimp Bead Covers (SS2103)
- 12 - 2x2mm Sterling Silver Crimp Beads (SS4047)
- 4.5 feet - Clear Soft Flex Beading Wire .014 Diameter (SM0311)
- 1 - Crystal Clear FireLine Braided Bead Thread .006 diameter, 4 lb/Size B (SM4428)

Tools needed to complete the bracelet:

- Wire cutters
- Crimping pliers
- Scissors
- English Beading Needles, Size 12
- Perfect End Thread Burner

Beading Techniques needed to complete the bracelet:

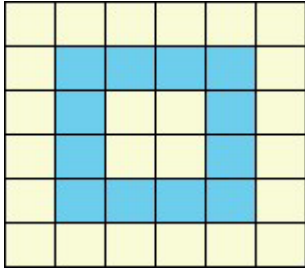
- Crimping
- Crimp Bead Covers
- Square Stitch

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Instructions to complete “River Shore” bracelet:

Step 1

Using size 8 opaque turquoise blue Delica beads, size 8 opaque rich cream Delica beads, beading thread and the pattern below, weave one square stitch segment (see Square Stitch Technique).



Step 2

Repeat Step 1 four times, weaving a total of five square stitch segments.

Step 3

String one crimp bead and the first loop on the tube clasp onto a 9-inch length of beading wire. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead (see Crimping Technique).

Step 4

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

Tip

In upcoming steps, you will string seed beads and the square stitch segments onto beading wire. Imagine that the rows of square stitch are numbered from 1 through 6 (since the segments are symmetrical, it doesn't matter which direction the segment is facing as you count).

Step 5

String these beads in the following sequence onto the beading wire:

18 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 1 of one square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 1 of a second square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 1 of a third square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 1 of a fourth square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 1 of a fifth square stitch segment

18 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

The corresponding loop on the second side of the tube clasp

Step 6

Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, crimp the crimp bead, cover with a crimp cover, and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

Step 7

In the same manner as in Steps 3 – 6, crimp a 9-inch length of beading wire onto the same loop of the tube clasp, cover the crimp cover, and trim the wire. String these beads in the following sequence onto the beading wire:

18 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 2 of the first square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 2 of the second square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 2 of the third square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 2 of the fourth square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

row 2 of the fifth square stitch segment

18 – size 11 opaque light beige seed beads

The corresponding loop on the second side of the tube bar clasp

Step 8

Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, crimp the crimp bead, cover with a crimp cover, and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

Step 9

In the same manner as in the previous steps, crimp a 9-inch length of beading wire onto the middle loop of the tube clasp, cover the crimp cover, and trim the wire. String these beads in the following sequence onto the beading wire:

18 – size 11 opaque dark brown seed beads

row 3 of the first square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque dark brown seed beads

row 3 of the second square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque dark brown seed beads

row 3 of the third square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque dark brown seed beads

row 3 of the fourth square stitch segment

9 – size 11 opaque dark brown seed beads

row 3 of the fifth square stitch segment

18 – size 11 opaque dark brown seed beads

The corresponding loop on the second side of the tube bar clasp

Step 10

Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, crimp the crimp bead, cover with a crimp cover, and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

Step 11

Repeat Steps 9 – 10, stringing through row 4 of the square stitch segments.

Step 12

Repeat Steps 9 – 10 twice using the third loop of the tube clasp, stringing through rows 5 and 6 of the square stitch segments, and substituting opaque light beige seed beads for the opaque dark brown seed beads.

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