

Dark Glamour by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 8.5 inches

Beads and other products needed for three bracelets:

- 20 - 4mm Crystal Rose Gold 2X Swarovski Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1476)
- 20 - 4mm Jet Swarovski Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1140)
- 20 - 4mm Crystal Silver Night Swarovski Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1458)
- 1 - 8mm Crystal Rose Gold 2X Swarovski Crystal Circle Pendant (SC9129)
- 1 - 10x8mm Jet Swarovski Crystal Oval Mini Bead (SC8515)
- 1 - 8mm Crystal Silver Night Swarovski Crystal Xilion Triangle Pendant (SK0233)
- 1 - 14mm Crystal Rose Gold 2X Swarovski Crystal Greek Cross Pendant (SK1928)
- 1 - 13mm Crystal Silver Night 2x Swarovski Crystal Skull Bead (SK0748)
- 1 - 18mm Jet Swarovski Crystal Spike Pendant (SK1285)
- 2 - 2x3mm Thai Hill Tribe Silver Rondelle Spacer Beads (TH6456)
- 4 - 8mm Silver Plated Base Metal 20 Gauge Open Jump Rings (BM2775)
- 2 - 22 gauge Silver Plated Brass 2 inch Head Pins (BM2703)
- 3 - 8.5 Inch Sterling Silver Plated Brass Flat Bangle Bracelets by Nunn Design (BM3245)
- 12 feet - 26 Gauge Round Tarnish Resistant Silver Artistic Wire (AW2157)

Tools needed to complete the bracelets:

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters

Beading Techniques needed to complete the bracelets:

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Wire Wrapping
- Covering a Bangle

Instructions to complete “Dark Glamour” bracelets:

Step 1

Bangle 1:

Anchor a 4-foot length of wire onto one bangle (see Covering a Bangle Technique). String one 4mm Jet crystal bicone bead onto the wire, and wrap it around the bangle twice.

Step 2

In the same manner as in the previous step, wrap four more 4mm Jet crystal bicone beads next to the first, one at a time, onto the bangle.

Step 3

Anchor the end of the wire, trim excess wire, and squeeze the wire end tightly against the bangle.

Step 4

About 1.25 inches from the last wrap, in the same manner as in Steps 1 – 3 and using the remaining wire, wrap five 4mm Jet crystal bicone beads onto the bangle.

Step 5

Repeat Step 4 two more times.

Step 6

Open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to attach the 14mm Crystal Rose Gold 2X Greek cross pendant to the bangle in one space between two groups of bicone beads. Close the jump ring.

Step 7

In the same manner as in the previous step, use one jump ring to attach the 8mm Crystal Silver Night Xilion triangle pendant to the same space on the bangle.

Step 8

Bangle 2:

Repeat Steps 1 – 5 using 4mm Crystal Silver Night crystal bicone beads.

Step 9

In the same manner as in Steps 6 – 7, use jump rings to attach the 8mm Crystal Rose Gold 2X circle pendant and the 18mm Jet spike pendant to the bangle.

Step 10

Bangle 3:

Repeat Steps 1 – 5 using 4mm Crystal Rose Gold 2X crystal bicone beads.

Step 11

Place one silver rondelle spacer bead onto a head pin followed by the 13mm Crystal Silver Night 2x skull bead, making one unit. Wire wrap (see Wire Wrapping Technique) this unit to the bangle in one space between two groups of bicone beads.

Step 12

In the same manner as in the previous step, place one silver rondelle spacer bead onto a head pin followed by 10x8mm Jet oval mini bead. Wire wrap this unit to the bangle.

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