

Koi Pond by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 8 inches

Beads and other products needed for one bracelet:

- 5 beads - New Jade Round Gemstone Bead - 8mm (SE2483)
- 4 - Pewter Koi Link by TierraCast - 25mm - Antique Silver (SP6642)
- 1 - Pewter Lotus Charm by TierraCast - 13mm - Antique Silver (SP6557)
- 1 - Lotus Magnetic Clasp Set by TierraCast - 20mm - Antique Silver (SP6608)
- 1 - 5mm Silver Plated Base Metal 21 Gauge Open Jump Ring (BM2731)
- 15 inches - Round Artistic Wire - Tarnish Resistant Silver - 24 gauge (AW2117)

Tools needed to complete the bracelet:

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters

Beading Techniques needed to complete the bracelet:

- Wire Wrapped Link
- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring

Instructions to complete “Koi Pond” bracelet:

Step 1

Using a 3-inch length of wire, make a wire wrapped link (see Wire Wrapped Link Technique) with one 8mm gemstone bead. Connect one side of this wire wrapped link to the loop on the magnetic clasp and connect the other side of the wire wrapped link to the loop on the one koi link.

Step 2

Using a 3-inch length of wire, make a wire wrapped link with one 8mm gemstone bead. Connect one side of this wire wrapped link to the unattached loop on the koi link, and connect the other side of the link to the loop on a second koi link.

Step 3

Repeat Step 2 twice.

Step 4

Make a wire wrapped link with one 8mm gemstone bead. Connect one side of this wire wrapped link to the unattached loop on the last koi link, and connect the other side to the unattached loop on the magnetic clasp.

Step 5

Open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to attach the loop on the lotus charm to the loop on the magnetic clasp. Close the jump ring.

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