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Katie creates a mixed metal necklace using geometric rings.

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For tools and supplies visit:

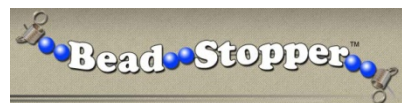


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1405-1 Rings

Rings are a common jewelry-making element that can be interpreted in a variety of ways. Take a look at this!



Get a new perspective on rings!

Materials

Rings: 4 small spiral copper
8 medium spiral copper
1 large spiral copper
10 small beaded silver
2 medium beaded silver
8 small spiral gold
2 large beaded gold
8 bronzite 14mm round beads
.018" diameter satin copper Beadalon 19
22-gauge natural Artistic Wire™
brown faux suede lace
2 copper #1 crimp tubes
copper S hook

Tools: wire cutters, chain-nose pliers, crimping tool

Instructions

1. Cut a 7-inch length of beading wire and use a crimp tube to attach it to a medium copper spiral ring.
2. Pass the beading wire through three small rings: gold, silver, copper. Add a bronzite bead.
3. Pass the beading wire through: small silver, medium copper, small gold and a bronzite bead; repeat.
4. Pass the beading wire through: small silver, medium copper, large gold, medium copper, small silver and a bronzite bead.
5. Pass the beading wire through: small gold, medium silver, large copper, medium silver, small gold.
6. Repeat the beading pattern from Steps 2-4 in the reverse order so the necklace is symmetrical.
7. Use a crimp tube to attach the beading wire to a medium copper spiral ring.
8. Cut a 12-inch length of faux suede lace and use a lark's head knot to attach it to a medium copper spiral ring on one side of the beaded section.
9. Pass the ends of the suede lace through a small copper spiral ring and fold them back by one-half inch.
10. Cut a 4-inch piece of copper wire and coil it tightly around the folded suede lace.
11. Repeat Steps 8-10 for the other end of the necklace.
12. Use a S-hook clasp to fasten the end rings together.

Sources: TierraCast® rings and clasp, www.tierracast.com; Beadalon® stringing materials, crimps, tools and Artistic Wire, www.beadalon.com; Bead Gallery bronzite beads, www.halcraftusa.com.



Link solid rings together to make a simple, chic bracelet.



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