

Soft Flex

Southwest Knit Bracelet

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Size: Made for a 6" wrist.

*Length: Knitted Wire is about 6",
8" from clasp end to end.*

Width: Knitted Wire is about 1 1/2".

Materials

Soft Flex® Beading Wire, .019 Medium,
Citrine Color - 15 ft

Soft Flex® Beading Wire, .019 Medium,
Red Jasper Color - 15 ft

Soft Flex® Beading Wire, .019 Medium,
Turquoise Color - 15 ft

2x2mm Sterling Silver

Soft Flex® Crimp Tube - 4 pcs

3mm Sterling Silver

Soft Flex® Crimp Cover - 2 pcs

White Bronze Cone from Saki Silver - 2 pcs

White Bronze Toggle Clasp
from Saki Silver - 1 set

Tools

4-Pin Knitting Spool

Regular Crimping Pliers

Cutters

Instructions

Step 1: (Demonstrate) Using all three wires, pass the wire down through the center of the 4-pin knitting spool and use your hand to hold the tail down.

Step 2: (Demonstrate) Position the spool to look like a clock with the top peg at 12 o'clock (Peg 1). Wrap the wire around Peg 1 from left to right.

Step 3: (Demonstrate) Wrap the wire around 9 o'clock (Peg 2) from left to right.

Step 4: (Demonstrate) Wrap the wire around 6 o'clock (Peg 3) from left to right.

Step 5: (Demonstrate) Wrap the wire around 3 o'clock (Peg 4) from left to right.

Step 6: (Demonstrate) Wrap the wire around the outside and top of Peg 1 above the existing wires.

Step 7: (Demonstrate) Using the stylus, take the loop at the bottom of Peg 1 and pull it up over the wire wrapped above it and into the center of the knitting spool. Give a gentle tug from the bottom.

Instructions continued on next page.



Resources

Soft Flex Company: www.SoftFlexCompany.com

Saki Silver: www.SakiSilver.com

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Step 8: Repeat Steps 6-7 on Pegs 2, 3 and 4.

Step 9: Continue this pattern until your knitted cord is the length that you prefer.

Step 10: (Demonstrate) To finish your design, trim the wire about 6 inches. String the wire through each loop around each peg.

Step 11: (Demonstrate) Pull each loop of wire off each peg. Pull on the wire to tighten the end.

Step 12: (Demonstrate) String the three wires into a crimp tube. Snug the tube to the knit and crimp. Trim the citrine and turquoise wires, leave just one strand of red jasper. String a cone, a crimp tube, half the clasp and pass the wire back into the tube. Snug the tube to the cone and crimp. Trim excess wire. Cover the tube with a crimp cover.

Step 13: Repeat Step 12 on the second side.

Tips:

1. You can use any diameter of beading wire, threads, cords, and thin gauged craft wire.
2. You can use one or multiple strands (as shown here).
3. You can knit in 3 different ways on 3 different sizes of spools – 3 peg, 4 peg and 5 peg.
4. You can add beads into and onto the knitted wire in multiple different ways.
 - a. String the beads and on first and feed them into the design in a pattern.
 - b. String beads down the center of the knitted wire.
 - c. Attach beads on the outside with wire to make wire wrap dangles.



Watch Sara Oehler show how to make the **Southwest Knit Bracelet** on "Southwest", episode 2704 of **Beads Baubles and Jewels** on your local public television station. This season started on January 24, 2019. Check your local listings for air times.

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