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## RHODA Spiral Necklace

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# MATERIAL LST(FOR 50 CM / 20 INCHES SPIRAL NECKLACE) <br> 600 Czech O-beads OB <br> 300 Czech SUPERDUO two hole beads SD <br> 300 Miyuki Drop beads size 3.4 DP <br> 7 gram Miyuki Round seed beads size 11/0 R11 <br> Magnetic / Hook clasp <br> Fireline 6lb orsimilar <br> 12\# Beading needle 

## BASIC

Starting your work:
Start with a comfortable thread length. I recommend about 5 feet (about 1.50 meter) for starting. String a stopper bead leaving about a 4 " $(10 \mathrm{~cm})$ tail. Go through the stopper bead twice to anchor the bead. A stopperbead is an 11/0 round seed bead of a different color from those you are working with. This bead will be removed at the end of your work or if mentioned otherwise.

## Don't Forget:

Never use the same thread you worked in your beading project to attach the clasp. Use a new thread. This will allow you to replace the clasp in case it is broken or to extend your work, without losing your work.

## Adding Thread:

Usually, I think it is best to knot the new thread into the work a few beadsbefore the end of the thread. The knot should be between two beads and then continue through the beadsthat the old thread is coming out of. Only then finish the old thread.

## Finishing Added Thread:

Nevercut the thread near the knot point. The knot point is a weak point and can open. After attaching the new thread between two beads with double knot, I recommend to take the tail and passit back through at least 2 inches of beads before cutting.

## Finishing your beadwork:

Finish all threads before adding the clasp. Try to leave the beads you will attach the clasp to free from finishing threadsas much asyou can.

## STEP 1

Pick up $1 \times S D, 1 x R 11,1 \times O B, 1 x D P, 1 x O B, 1 x R 11 \times t w i c e$. Go through all (same wholes) and knot thread twice.


## STEP 2

Go up through the free hole at the SD.


## STEP 3

Pick up $1 \times S D, 1 x R 11,1 \times O B, 1 x D P, 1 x O B, 1 x R 11$. Go through the free hole at the next SD.


## STEP 4

Repeat step 3 a round until you reach your desired length.


## STEP 5

Finish pointing out from SD.


## STEP 6

Pick up 3xR11. Go through next SD. Repeat around once more. Go through all to reinforce the work twice. Finish pointing out from second R11.

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## STEP 7

Pick up 2xR11. Go through the next second R11 asshown.


## STEP 8

Pick up $2 x R 11$. Go through the clasp.


## STEP 9

Pick up a nother $2 x$ R11. Go through the second R11, as shown. Go through all reinforce your work. Finish the thread.

## Repeat steps 6-9 attaching the clasp on the other side of the necklace



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