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*These cute earrings are stitched in no time,
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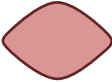




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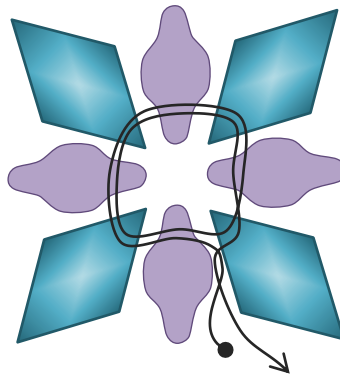


- A:  10 pcs of MiniDuos
- B:  8 pcs of GemDuos or DiamondDuos
- C:  1 g 11/0 seed beads
- D:  8 pcs of 7mm Pinch beads
- E:  8 pcs of 3mm firepolish
-  2 pcs of ear wires

1,5 m beading thread (i.e Fireline, One-G, K.O.)

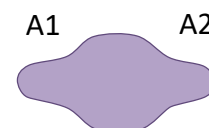
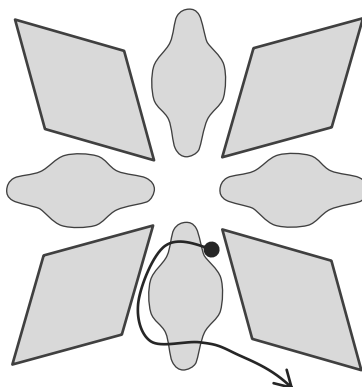
1. On 1,5 m of thread, add a stop bead or a beadstopper, leaving a 10 cm tail. The tail will only be used for fastening.
2. Pick up every other 1 A (MiniDuos) and 1 B (GemDuos), until you have a total of 4 A and 4 B. Pass through all beads again, forming a little ring. Secure the threads with a knot, but do not end the threads. See diagram 1.

Diagram 1



3. Pass through next A in the ring. Switch thread direction by turning back through A2 on the same A. See diagram 2.

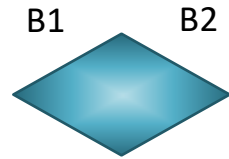
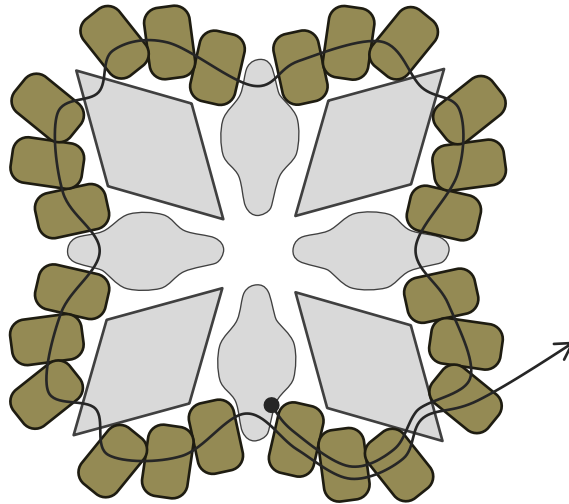
Diagram 2



In this tutorial, I call the holes of the MiniDuos accordingly.

- Pick up 3 C (11/0 seed beads), and pass through B2 on the next B in the ring. Pick up 3 C, and pass through A2 on the next A. Repeat throughout the row until you have added a total of 24 C. Then pass through your work until you exit through the first C after a B. See diagram 3.

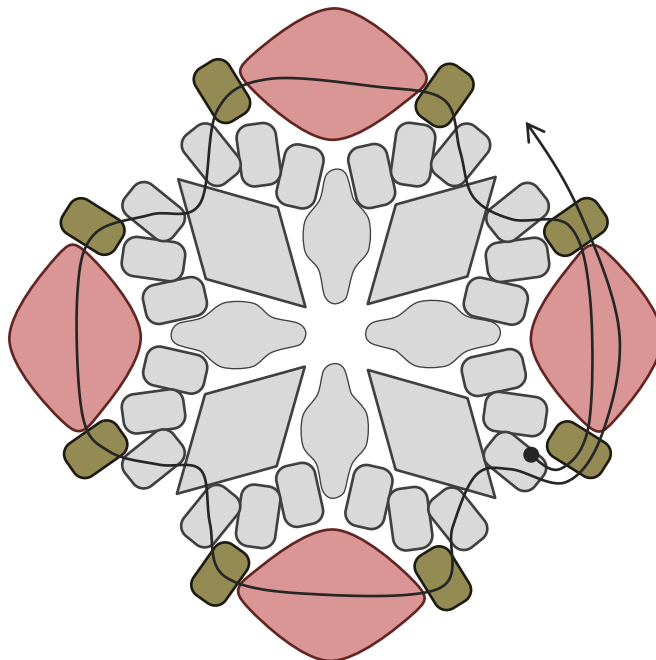
Diagram 3



In this tutorial, I call the holes of the GemDuos accordingly.

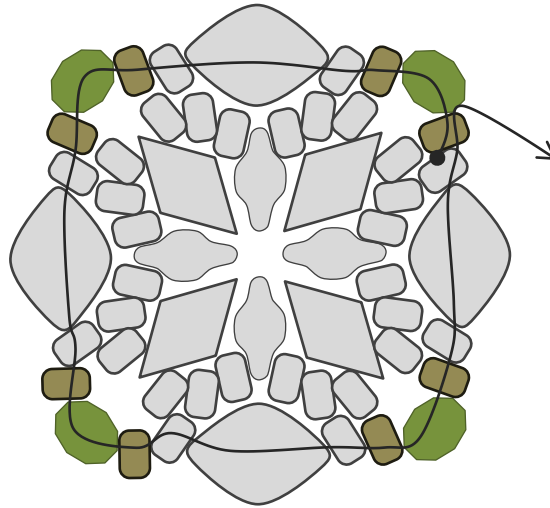
- Pick up 1 C, 1 D (7mm Pinch beads), and 1 C. Skip two C, one A and two C, and pass through next C, B2 on a B, and one C. Repeat throughout the row. Then pass through your work until you exit through the first C after a D. See diagram 4.

Diagram 4



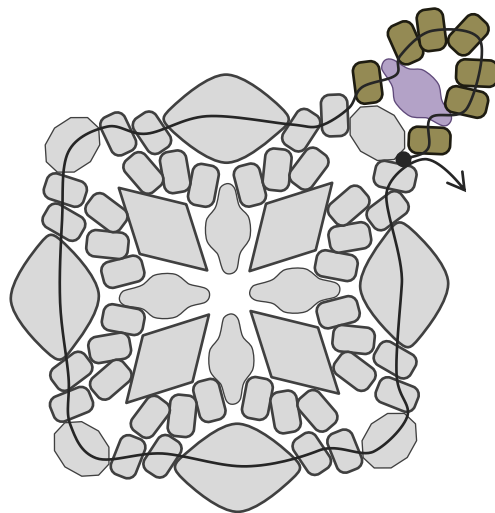
- Pick up 1 C, 1 E (3mm firepolished) and 1 C. Pass through next C, D and C from the previous step. Repeat throughout the row, and exit the needle through the first C added. See diagram 5.

Diagram 5



- Pick up 1 C, 1 A, and 5 C. Pass back through A1 on the same A. Pick up 1 C, and pass through the C on the other side of the E bead. Then follow the threadpath through all beads in the outer row again, before fastening and ending the threads. See diagram 6.

Diagram 6



NOTE!

Reinforce the stitch by passing through all beads a second time.

- Attach an ear wire in the stitched loop. Stitch a second earring – all done!