## Chevron Bracelet \& Earrings <br> If you would like to be notified

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## MATERIALS: Bracelet

(for about a 6.75-inch band, not including clasp)

- About 2 yards of 6 lb. FireLine
- About 60 size $11 / 0$ seed beads
- About 20 size 3 mm fire-polished beads (or most any 3mm bead)
- About 10 size 4 mm fire-polished beads (or most any 4 mm bead)
- About 10 Color1 Matubo Chevron Duo beads*
- About 10 Color2 Matubo Chevron Duo beads*
- clasp


## MATERIALS: Earrings

- About 4 feet of 6 lb . FireLine
- About 25 size 11/0 seed beads
- 8 size 3mm fire-polished beads (or most any 3 mm bead)
- $\mathbf{4}$ size $\mathbf{4 m m}$ fire-polished beads (or most any $4 m m$ bead)
- 4 Color1 Matubo Chevron Duo beads*
- 4 Color2 Matubo Chevron Duo beads*
- two small ( $2-4 \mathrm{~mm}$ ) closed jump rings or two Beadsmith Remata Cymbal elements (directions included for using either)
- a pair of earring findings
* Any or all Color1 or Color2 Chevron Duo beads can be substituted with Beadsmith's Chevron Duo Koudouro Cymbal elements.


STEP 1: Thread your needle with about two yards of FireLine (or start with a length that you are comfortable working with and add more later).

Leaving about a 10 -inch tail for attaching your clasp, hold onto this tail thread and string a seed bead, a Color1 Chevron Duo bead, a Color2 Chevron Duo bead, a seed bead, a 4 mm fire-polished bead, a seed bead, a Color2 Chevron Duo bead and Color1 Chevron Duo bead:


NOTE: You will not be making a knot until Step 4 so keep the tension tight and hold onto this tail thread for now. Position the Chevron Duo beads the way they appear in my illustrations as you add them.

STEP 2: String a seed bead, a 3 mm firepolished bead, a seed bead, a 3 mm firepolished bead and a seed bead.

Go around and down through the right hole of the Color1 Chevron Duo and the Color2 Chevron Duo beads that you just exited (highlighted in RED):


STEP 3: String a seed bead, a 4 mm firepolished bead and a seed bead.

Go down through the right hole of the Color2 Chevron Duo and the Color1 Chevron Duo beads below (highlighted in RED):


STEP 4: String a seed bead, a 3 mm firepolished bead, a seed bead and a 3 mm firepolished bead. Grab your tail thread and tie a tight double knot:


STEP 5: Go back around through the beads highlighted in RED:


STEP 6: Go back up through the beads highlighted in RED so that you are exiting from the topmost seed bead:


STEP 9: String a seed bead, a 4 mm firepolished bead and a seed bead.

Go down through the left hole of the Color2 Chevron Duo and the Color1 Chevron Duo beads below (highlighted in RED):


STEP 10: String a seed bead and a 3 mm firepolished bead. Go across through the bottom seed bead highlighted in RED:


STEP 11: Go back around through the beads highlighted in RED:


STEP 12: Go back up through the beads highlighted in RED so that you are exiting from the topmost seed bead:


You just finished the second Chevron Bracelet motif.

STEP 13: Flip the bracelet over so that you are exiting from the right side of the topmost seed bead and can continue to follow the directions as written:


STEP 14: Repeat Step 7 to Step 13 until your band is the length you want it, minus the length of your clasp and about a half-inch:


NOTE: You can add more beads when you attach the clasp to make your bracelet longer.

STEP 15: To attach your clasp, string three seed beads.

Go through your clasp and back through the last seed bead that you just strung:


NOTE: To make your band longer, just add more seed beads or a combination of seed beads and 3 mm beads - than directed in this step and the next.
STEP 16: String two more seed beads.

Go back across through the seed bead that you exited earlier (highlighted in RED):


STEP 17: Go back around through the beads highlighted in RED and the clasp several times:


Weave into the band, knot in several places and then cut your thread.

STEP 18: To attach the clasp to the other end of your band, thread your needle with the tail thread from Step 1.
Go up through the 3 mm bead and seed bead highlighted in RED:


Repeat Steps 15-17.

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STEP 2: String a seed bead, a 3 mm firepolished bead, two seed beads, a 3 mm fire-polished bead and a seed bead.

Go around and down through the right hole of the Color1 Chevron Duo and the Color2 Chevron Duo beads that you just exited (highlighted in RED):


STEP 3: String a seed bead, a 4 mm firepolished bead and a seed bead.

Go down through the right hole of the Color2 Chevron Duo and the Color1 Chevron Duo beads below (highlighted in RED):


STEP 4: String a seed bead, a 3 mm firepolished bead, a seed bead and a 3 mm firepolished bead. Grab your tail thread and tie a tight double knot:


STEP 5: Go back around through the beads highlighted in RED:


STEP 6: String a seed bead.

Go around through your jump ring and then back down through the seed bead that you just added (highlighted in RED):


STEP 7: Go back around through the beads highlighted in RED and the jump ring:


Weave back into the earring, knot and cut your thread.
Attach your earring finding to your jump ring.


Earring Version using
Remata Cymbal element


STEP 1: Thread your needle with about two feet of FireLine.

Leaving about a 6 -inch tail that you can weave in and cut later, hold onto this tail thread and string a seed bead, a Color1 Chevron Duo bead, a Color2 Chevron Duo bead, a seed bead, a 4 mm firepolished bead, a seed bead, a Color2 Chevron Duo bead and Color1 Chevron Duo bead:


NOTE: You will not be making a knot until Step 4 so keep the tension tight and hold onto this tail thread for now. Position the Chevron Duo beads the way they appear in my illustrations as you add them.

STEP 2: String a seed bead and a 3 mm firepolished bead. Go through the bottom hole of a Remata Cymbal element.

String a 3 mm firepolished bead and a seed bead. Go around and down through the right hole of the Color1 Chevron Duo and the Color2 Chevron Duo beads that you just exited (highlighted in RED):


STEP 3: String a seed bead, a 4 mm firepolished bead and a seed bead.
Go down through the right hole of the Color2 Chevron Duo and the Color1 Chevron Duo beads below (highlighted in RED):


STEP 4: String a seed bead, a 3 mm firepolished bead, a seed bead and a 3 mm firepolished bead. Grab your tail thread and tie a tight double knot:


STEP 5: Go back around through the beads highlighted in RED and the Remata Cymbal element:


Weave back into the earring, knot and cut your thread.
Attach your earring finding to your jump ring.

