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Approximate finished length: 7.25 inches

Beads and other products needed for one bracelet:

2 grams - Size 15 Metallic Bronze Round Japanese Seed Beads (**C**)
3 grams - 3.8mm Jet Bronze O-Bead Seed Beads (**B**)
6 grams - 2x5mm Turquoise/Bronze Picasso SuperDuo 2 Hole Seed Beads (**A**)
1 - 15x8mm Natural Brass Classic Lobster Claw Clasp by Vintaj
1 - 6mm Antique Brass Plated Base Metal 20 Gauge Open Jump Ring
1 - Smoke Gray FireLine Braided Bead Thread .008 diameter - 6 lb/Size D

Tools needed to complete the bracelet:

Chain nose pliers
Size 12 Tulip Beading Needles
Xuron Thread and Fiber Scissors

Beading Techniques needed to complete the bracelet:

Opening and Closing a Jump Ring

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Instructions to complete "Petite Fleur" bracelet:

Tip
The letters A – C are used to refer to the beads used. Refer to the materials list for the key.

Step 1
Thread a needle with about 7 feet of beading thread. String the following:
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B

Tie a square knot with the tail and working thread. Pass through 1 – A, 1 – B, 1 – A, 1 – B, 1 – A, 1 – B and 1 – A. Turn and pass through the outer hole of the A.

Step 2
String the following:
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B
1 – A
1 – B

Pass through the same hole of the A exited at the beginning of this step. Pass through the first six beads added in this step. Turn and pass through the outer hole of the A.

Step 3
Repeat Step 2 for the desired length of the bracelet, less 1 inch.

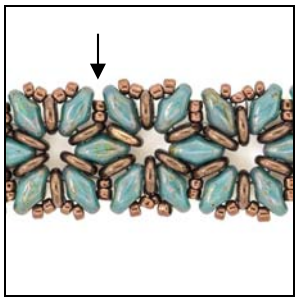
Step 4
To attach the clasp, string 10 – C and the loop on the lobster claw. Pass back through the third C strung. String 2 – C. Pass through the outer hole of the A exited at the beginning of this step.

Step 5
Embellish with size 15s along the outer edge of the bracelet and in between the flower units. Start by stringing 2 – C. Pass through the next B. String 2 – C. Pass through the outer hole of the next A.

Step 6
Repeat Step 5 once.

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Step 7
String 2 – C. Pass through the next 2 – B. Pass back through the 2 – C added in this step. Then, pass through the outer hole of the next A. (This embellishment is between the two flower units. See image below.)



Step 8
String 2 – C. Pass through the next B. String 2 – C. Pass through the outer hole of the next A. String 2 – C. Pass through the next 2 – B.

Step 9
Repeat Steps 7 – 8 for the length of the bracelet.

Step 10
On the last flower unit, string 2 – C, and pass through the next B. String 2 – C, and pass through the outer hole of the next A. Repeat this step.

Step 11
Close your open jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). To attach the other side of the clasp, repeat Step 4 using the jump ring instead of the lobster claw. Continue to embellish the bracelet in the same manner as the first edge (Steps 5 – 9).

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