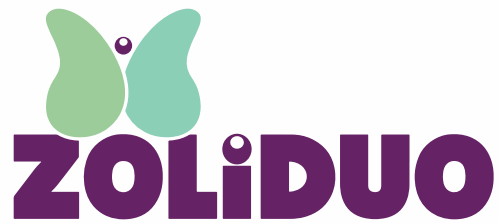


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ZOLiDUO



The ZOLiDUO Flower

Create Your Own

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John Bead Product Numbers to Make the Foundation Flower Earrings:

ZOLiDUO Beads

#2780173

Japanese Seed Beads size 11/0

#6955B11o

Dazzle-It Genuine Leather Cord 1mm

UOM: 5yds

#75102001

Cord ends 2mm

#23801007

Earring hooks -Fish Hook with flat and coil - SURGICAL STEEL 16mm

#23610905

Beading Needles – Size 11

Tulip Beading Needle Set 4pcs. - Assorted
#74302005

Beading thread Miyuki Nylon Beading

Thread B - 50mm

#74422020

Adhesive - G-S HYPO tube cement

1/3 fl.oz 9ml.

#88827972

Bead mat

#74509850

Scissors/Snips

#74509607

Thread Burner (optional)

Wildfire Battery Operated Heat Cord Cutter
#74509836

Step by Step

by Debra Schwartz

Materials: To make one “flower”

Z -(9) ZOLiDUO beads
S11 -(10) Japanese seed beads size 11
Beading thread
Beading needle - size 11 Tulip beading needle
Thread zappers or scissors
Beading mat
LC - 3 inches of leather cord 1 mm
(2) - Cord ends
(2) - Earring hooks
Adhesive

Tip:

Check to make sure the holes are open in the 2 hole beads

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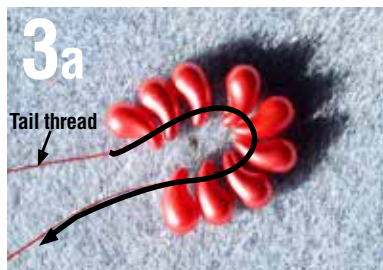
Thread a size 11 beading needle with 26 inches of prepared beading thread. Leave a 6 inch tail thread.

Start

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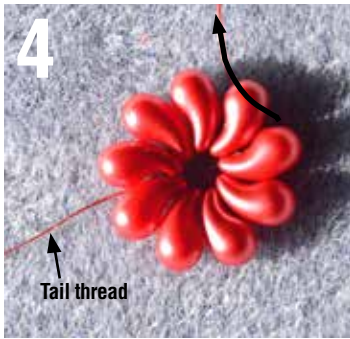


Arrange the ZOLiDUO beads on the bead mat as shown in photo 2.

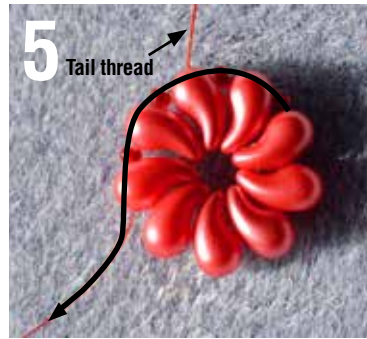


Pick up the 9 beads by sewing through the bottom hole of each Z (photo 3a). Sew through all the beads again + 3 more to over lap the thread. Pull snug to create a circle. (photo 3b).

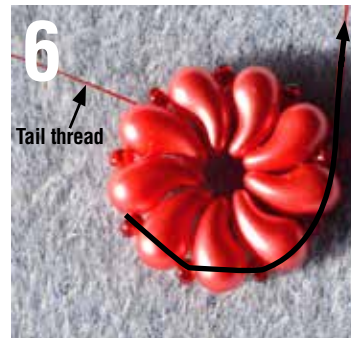




Sew through the unused hole of the Z just exited. (photo 4)



Pick up 1 S11. Sew through the unused hole in the next Z. (photo 5)



Continue around the circle until you have 1 S11 between each Z. Sew through all the S11 and Z beads again.



Weave the working and tail thread into the bead work. If you like you can make a few half hitch knots here and there to secure the thread. Trim any excess.



Gather the Foundation Flower (FF), 3 inch piece of leather cord(LC), end cap and earring hook together. (photo 8)



Fold the LC in half to create a crease in the middle. Slide the LC through the hole in the FF. (photo 9)



Put a small dab of adhesive in the end cap. Stick both ends of the leather cord into the end cap. Hold in place for a few minutes to allow the adhesive to set. (photo 10)



Attach the earring hook to the loop on the cord end. (photo 11) Repeat all the steps to create another Foundation Flower Earring!

You're done!