



Casablanca pendant

Learn to make these wonderful square pendants with 14mm cabochons



Material (for one pendant with a chain):

Matubo 7/0 beads, color A (3 grams)
 Matubo 7/0 beads, color B (3 grams)
 Matubo 8/0 beads (7 grams)
 Matubo Superduo beads (20 pcs)
 Miyuki Delica 11/0 (4 pcs)
 15/0 seed beads (8 pcs)
 14mm cabochon (1 pc)
 Beading needle and thread (Nymo, Fireline)

Jump rings, a clasp, eyepins, headpins, jewelry chain, larger beads in matching colors

Difficulty: intermediate/advanced

Cabochon bezel



1) String two Superduos and three 8/0s. Repeat four times.



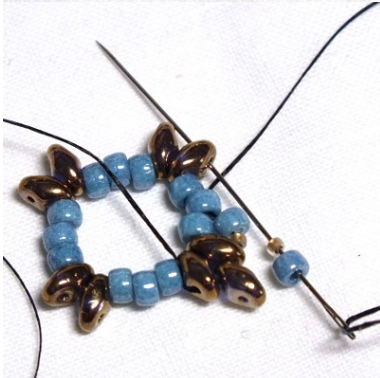
2) Slide all the beads to the end of the thread and tie a square knot to form a circle. Then pass through the upper hole of the nearest Superduo.



3) Add one Superduo, then pass through the upper hole of the next Superduo.



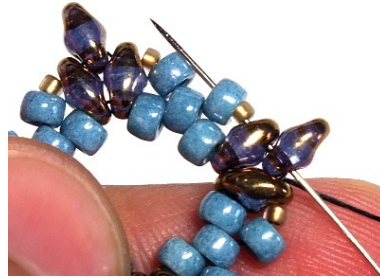
4) Add one 15/0 and one 8/0. Skip one 8/0 in the base row and pass through the second 8/0.



5) Add one 8/0 and one 15/0 and then pass through the upper hole of the next Superduo.



6) Repeat steps 4 and 5 until you reach the end of the row.



7) Pass through the next two Superduos, one 15/0 and one 8/0



8) Add one 7/0 (color A) and then pass through the next 8/0, 15/0 and Superduo.



9) Repeat steps 7 and 8 until you reach the end of the row.



10) Pass through the next two Superduos, one 15/0, one 8/0 and one 7/0.



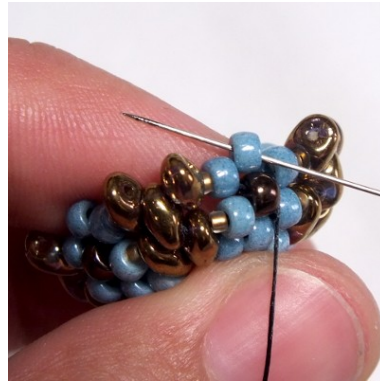
11) Add one 8/0, one 15/0 and one Superduo. Pass through the upper hole of the next Superduo (in the corner).



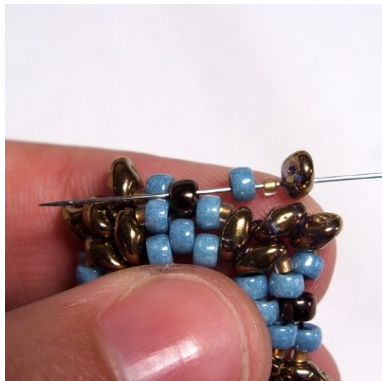
16) Repeat step 15 until you reach the end of the row.



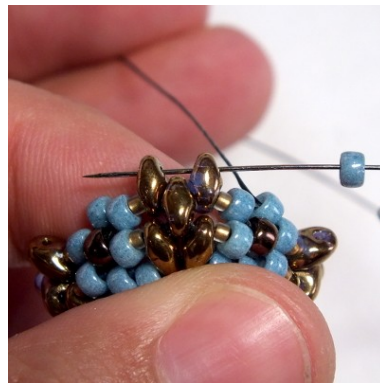
12) Add one Superduo, one 15/0 and one 8/0 and then pass through the next 7/0.



17) Pass through the first 8/0 from this row.



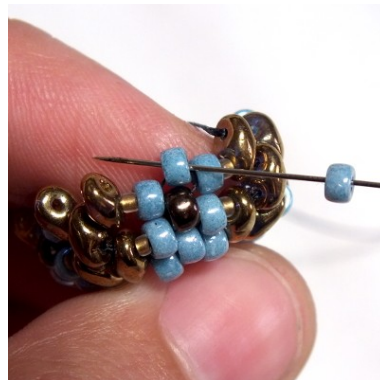
13) Repeat steps 11 and 12 until you reach the end of the row.



18) Add one 8/0 and then pass through the upper holes of the next two Superduos.



14) Pass through the next 8/0, one 15/0 three Superduos one 15/0 and one 8/0.



19) Add one 8/0 and pass through the next 8/0 from the previous row



15) Add one 8/0 and then pass through the next 8/0, 15/0, three Superduos, one 15/0 and one 8/0.



20) Put the cabochon inside and repeat steps 18 and 19 until you reach the end of the row.



21) At the end of the row add one last 8/0, then pass through the last 8/0 from the previous row and through the first 8/0 from this row.



22) Pass through the upper holes of the next two Superduos and through one 8/0.

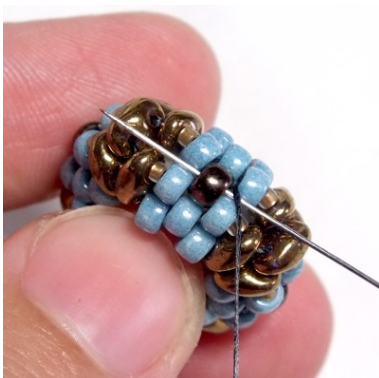


23) Add one Delica and pass through the next 8/0, two Superduos and one more 8/0



24) Repeat step 23 until you reach the end of the row.

Edge



25) Weave through beads to get to one of the 7/0s



26) Add eight 8/0s and pass through the next 7/0 on the cabochon



27) Repeat step 26 ...



28) ... until you reach the end of the row



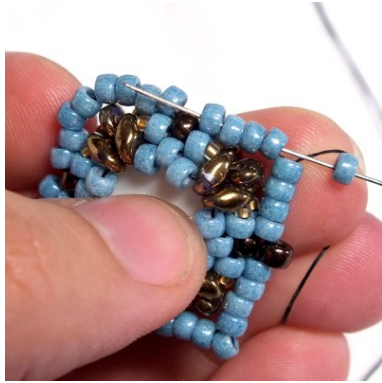
29) To do the step-up, pass through the first four 8/0s from this row.



30) Add one 8/0 and pass through the next four 8/0s



31) Add one 7/0 (Color A) and then pass through the next four 8/0s from the previous row.



32) Repeat steps 30 and 31 ...



33) ... until you reach the end of the row. At the end of the row pass through five 8/0s (four from the previous row and one from the current row)



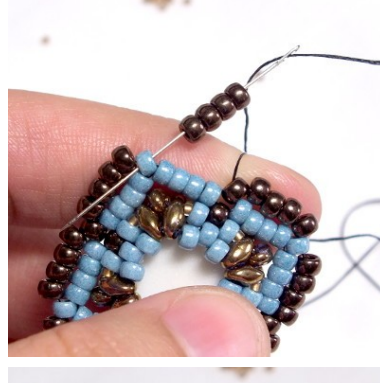
34) Add four 7/0s (color A) and then pass through the next 7/0 from the previous row



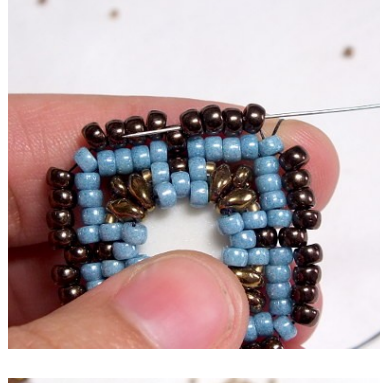
35) Add four 7/0s (color A) and then pass through the 8/0 in the next corner.



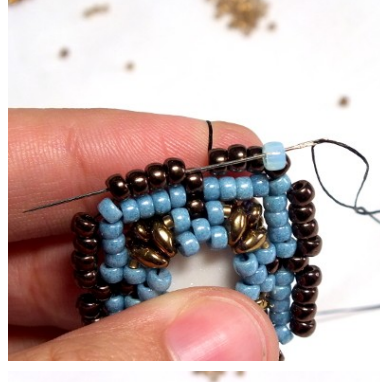
36) Repeat steps 34 and 35...



37) ... until you reach the end of the row.



38) To do the step-up, pass through the first four 7/0s from this row.



39) Add one 7/0 (color B) and then pass through the next four 7/0s



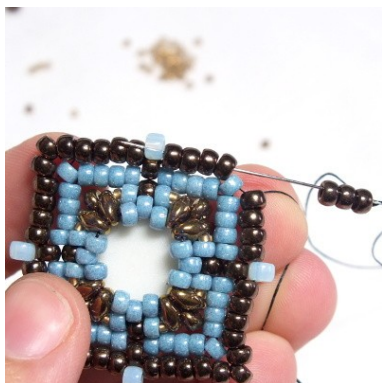
40) Add three 7/0s (color A) and then pass through the next four 7/0s



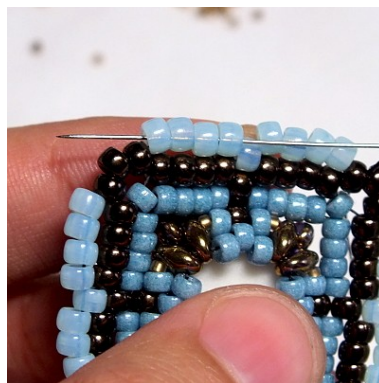
41) Repeat steps 39 and 40 ...



46) ... until you reach the end of the row.



42) ... until you reach the end of the row. At the end of the row add the last three 7/0s (color A) and then pass through the next four 7/0 (color A) from the previous row and then through one 7/0 (color B) from the current row.



47) Pass through the first four 7/0s from this row ...



43) Add four 7/0s (color B) and then pass through the three 7/0s in the corner



48) ... and through the three 7/0s in the corner ...



44) Add four 7/0s (color B) and then pass through the next 7/0 (color B) on the side of the square.



49) ... and through the next four 7/0s



45) Repeat steps 43 and 44 ...



50) Now add one 7/0 (color A) and then pass through the next four 7/0s

51) Repeat steps 48, 49 and 50 until you reach the end of the row.
Tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread.

This is how the finished pendant looks ...
... from the front:



...from the back



*There are many ways you can use the finished pendant.
You can just add a piece of jewelry chain and maybe a few more beads and wear it as a simple necklace ...*



or you can make three of them and connect them by jump rings to create a large, statement piece of jewelry

