



## "Cressida" pendant

18mm Swarovski Rivoli/cabochon bezel with Rulla and Matubo 7/0 beads.



### Material:

18mm Swarovski Rivoli or cabochon  
Matubo Rulla beads (16 pcs)  
Matubo 7/0 beads (approx. 4 grams)  
(optionally you can use two colors of 7/0s)  
Miyuki Delica 10/0 (approx. 2 grams)  
4mm round beads (8 pcs)  
Beading needle and thread (Nymo, Fireline)

Chain, clasp, jump rings  
Optionally: larger beads in matching colors

Difficulty: beginner / intermediate





**1)** String one 7/0, one Delica, one 7/0 and two Rullas. Repeat four times.



**2)** Slide all the beads to the end of the thread and tie a square knot to form a circle.



**3)** Pass back through upper holes of the nearest two Rullas.



**4)** Add two 7/0s, one Delica and two 7/0s and pass through the upper holes of the next pair of Rullas.



**5)** Repeat step 4 three more times



**6)** Pass through the next five beads (two 7/0s, one Delica and two 7/0s).



**7)** Add two Rullas and pass through next two 7/0s, one Delica and two 7/0s.



**8)** Repeat step 7 three more times (until you reach the end of the row).



**9)** Pass through the lower holes of the next pair of Rullas.



**10)** Then pass back through the upper holes of the same pair of Rullas





**11)** Add one 7/0, one Delica and one 7/0 and then pass through the upper holes of the next pair of Rullas.  
(When using a cabochon instead of a rivoli, there is a slight difference in steps 11, 12 and 13 - see page 6!).



**12)** Put the rivoli inside and then repeat step 11 three more times. Keep your tension as tight as possible.



**13)** Optionally you can weave through the last row one more time. The thread should exit from the upper holes of a pair of Rullas.



**14)** Pass back through the lower holes of the same pair of Rullas



**15)** Add two Delicas, one 4mm round and two Delicas and then pass through lower holes of the next pair of Rullas.



**16)** Repeat step 15 three more times.



**17)** Pass through the next two 7/0s.



**18)** Add three Delicas. Skip one Delica in the corner and then pass through the next two 7/0s.

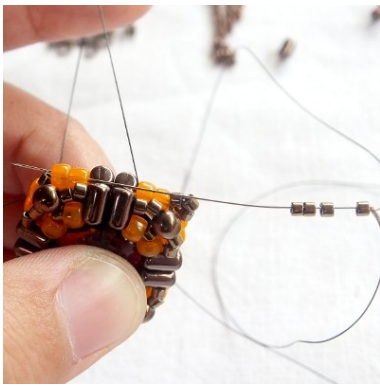


**19)** Add four Delicas and then pass through the next two 7/0s in the row.



**20)** Repeat step 18 ...





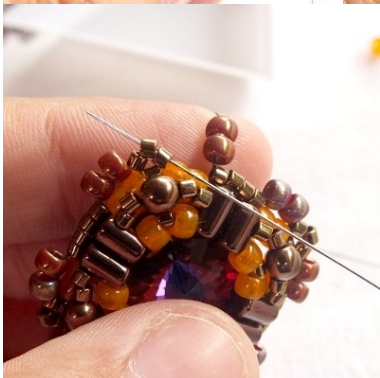
**21)** ... and step 19 until you reach the end of the row.

**22)** Pass through all the three Delicas in the corner



**23)** Add two 7/0s (I usually use another color for this row) and then pass through the next four Delicas.

**24)** Add two 7/0s and then pass through the three Delicas in the next corner.



**25)** Repeat steps 23 and 24 until you reach the end of the row. At the end, pass through the first two Delicas in the corner.



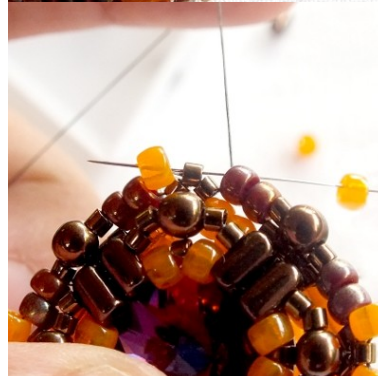
**26)** Add one 7/0 and then pass through the two 7/0s from the previous row.



**27)** Add one Delica, one 4mm round and one Delica, then pass through the next two 7/0s from the previous row.



**28)** Add one 7/0 and then pass through the middle Delica in the corner.



**29)** Repeat steps 26, 27 and 28 until you reach the end of the row. When adding the last 7/0, pass through the middle Delica in the last corner and then through the first 7/0 of this row.



**30)** Add two Delicas, skip the next 7/0 and then pass through one 7/0, one Delica, 4mm round, one Delica and one 7/0.





**31)** Add two Delicas, skip one (dark red) 7/0 and then pass through the next (orange) 7/0 in the row.



**32)** Add one 7/0 and then pass through the next (orange) 7/0



**33)** Repeat steps 30, 31 and 32 until you reach the end of the row.

Optionally you can add one more row of Delicas, similar to the previous one.



**34)** Add two Delicas, skip the next 7/0 and then pass through one 7/0, one Delica, 4mm round, one Delica and one 7/0 (like in step 30).



**35)** Add two Delicas, skip the next (dark red) 7/0 and then pass through the three (orange) 7/0s in the corner.

Repeat steps 34 and 35 until you reach the end of the row  
Tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread.



**36)** Let's make the necklace!  
Take two pieces of chain (approx. 8 inches long), open a jump ring, pass it through the 7/0 bead in the corner, add chains and then close the jump ring.  
Then add a clasp.



**37)** You can also add a chain tassel or a larger bead on a headpin to the opposite corner of the pendant.





## Using a cabochon instead of a rivoli

This design can be also made with a cabochon instead of a rivoli. When using a cabochon, you might need make some alterations in steps 11, 12 and 13:



**11B)** Add one 7/0, two Delicas and one 7/0. Pass through the upper holes of the next two Rullas. Repeat three more times.



**12B)** Pass through the next 7/0.



**13B)** Add one 7/0 (or Delica - depending on shape of your cabochon, you'll have to try which one fits better), skip two Delicas and then pass through the next 7/0, two Rullas and one more 7/0. Repeat three more times, then continue with step 14.



*Flat round serpentine bead used instead of a rivoli*



*4mm Swarovski Bicones used instead of 4mm rounds*



*Glass cabochon used instead of a rivoli. I also skipped steps 15 and 16 and in step 32 I added one Delica, one 7/0 and one Delica (instead of just one 7/0)*