



“Iridium” Beaded Bead



Material (for one beaded bead)

Matubo Rulla (8 pcs)

Matubo Minigemduo (4 pcs)

Matubo 10/0 (4 or 12 pcs)

15/0 Miyuki seed beads (approx. 0.2 gram)

6mm round core bead (1 pcs)

Optional: Stringing material of your choice (or headpins or eyepins), accent beads (bicones, rounds, other jewelry findings as necessary.

Beading needle and thread (Nymo, Fireline...)

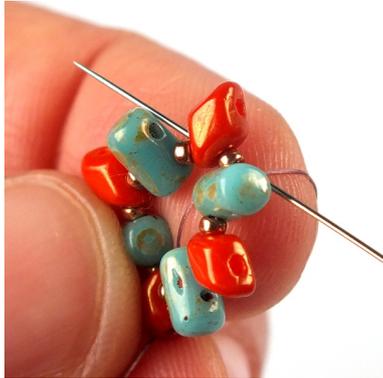
Difficulty: For beginners/intermediate



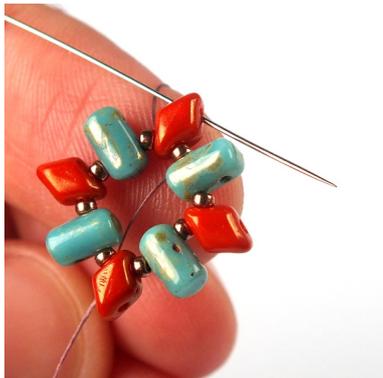
1) String one Rulla, one 15/0, one Minigemduo and one 15/0. Repeat four times total.



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



3) Pass through the nearest 15/0 and the lower hole of the nearest Minigemduo ...



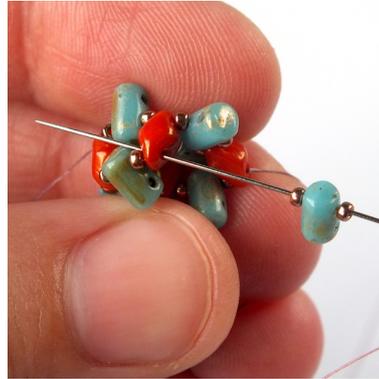
4) ... and then pass back through the upper hole of the same Minigemduo.



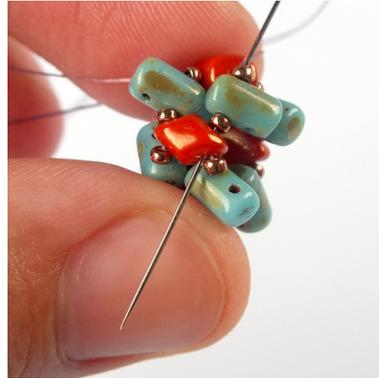
5) Add one 15/0, one Rulla and one 15/0 and pass through the upper hole of the next Minigemduo.



6) Repeat step 5 ...



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



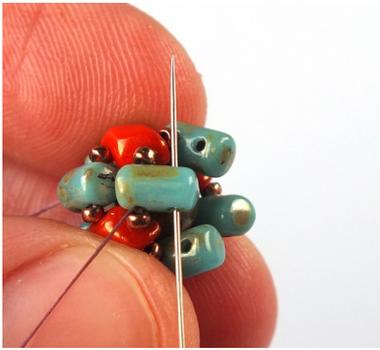
8) Then pass through the entire row at least one more time. Keep your tension as tight as possible.



9) Put the core bead inside.

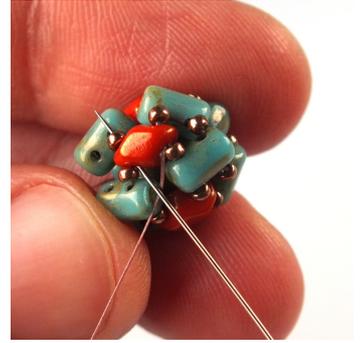
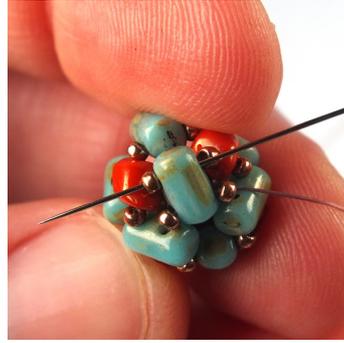


10) Then weave through beads to get to the lower hole of the nearest Rulla ...

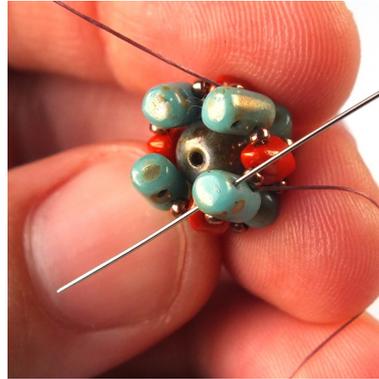


11) ... and then pass back through the upper hole of the nearest Rulla.

16) Weave through beads ...

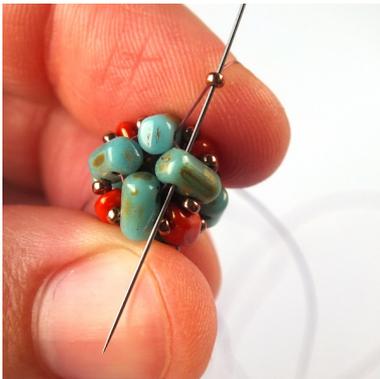


12) Weave through all the upper hole of all the four Rullas - preferably several times.

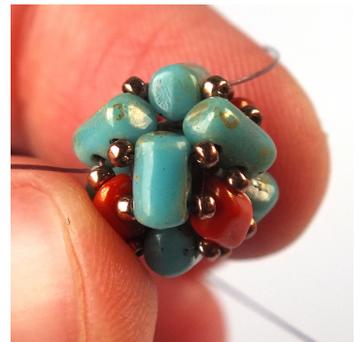


17) ... to get to the upper hole of one of the Rullas on the other side of the bead.

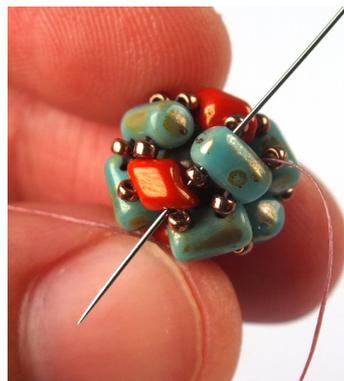
18) Then close the other side by repeating steps 12 - 15.



13) The thread is exiting from the upper hole of one of the Rullas. Add one 15/0 and pass through the upper hole of the next Rulla.



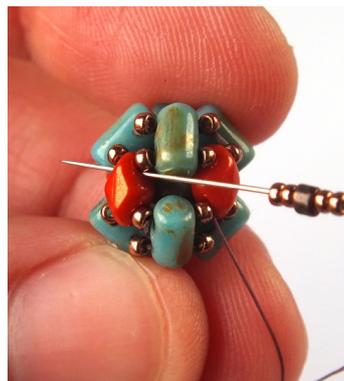
14) Repeat step 13 ...



19) The thread is exiting from the upper hole of one of the Rullas. Pass back through the lower hole of the same Rulla and then through the next 15/0 and through the nearest hole of the nearest Minigemduo.



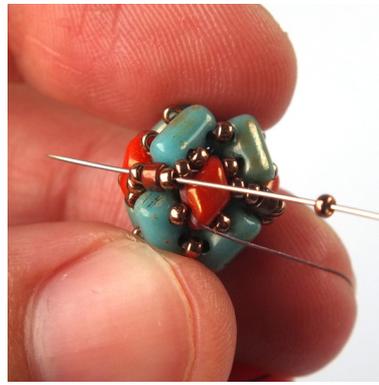
15) ... until you reach the end of the row.



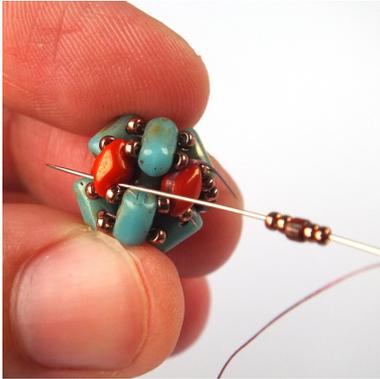
20) Add two 15/0s, one 10/0 and two 15/0s and pass through the opposite hole of the next Minigemduo in the row.



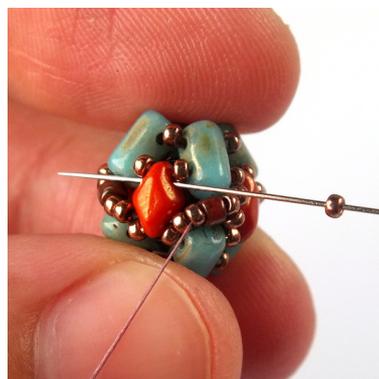
21) Pull snug. This is what you should get.



26) Add one 15/0. Then pass through the "middle" (15/0, 10/0, 15/0) from the next loop.



22) Repeat step 21 ...



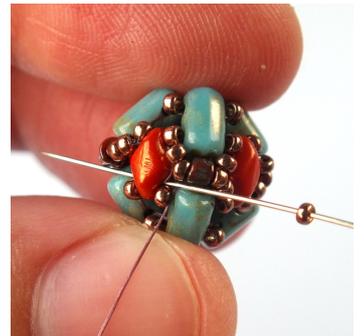
27) Add one 15/0 and pass through the "free" hole of the next Minigemduo.



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



28) Repeat steps 26 and 27 ...

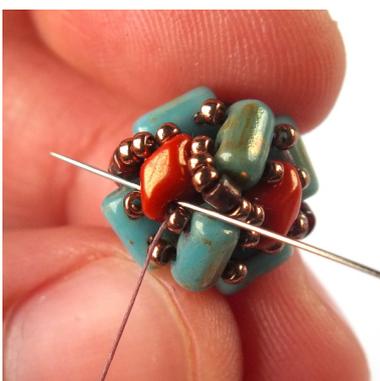


24) Pass through the next 15/0, Rulla, another 15/0 ...

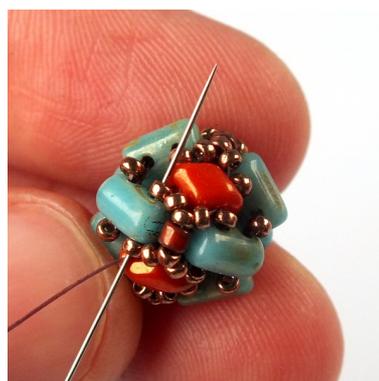


29) ... until you reach the end of the row.

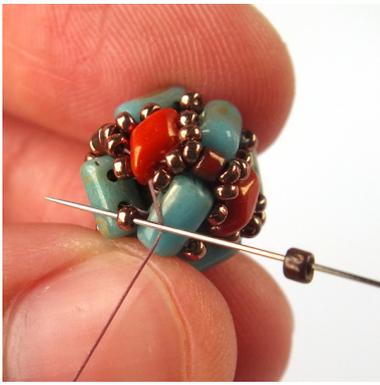
Now you can tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off the remaining thread or you can keep beading and add a little more embellishment (optional).



25) ... and then through the nearest hole of the nearest Minigemduo.



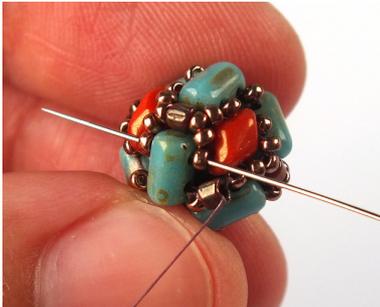
30) (Optional) The thread is exiting from one of the Minigemduos. Pass through the nearest 15/0, Rulla ("lower" hole) and 15/0.



31) (Optional) Add one 10/0 and pass through the nearest 15/0 between the upper holes of the Rullas (as shown in the photo).



32) (Optional) Pull snug. Then pass back through the newly-added 10/0.



33) (Optional) Then pass through the nearest 15/0, Rulla ("lower" hole) and 15/0.



34) (Optional) This is what you should get. It might be necessary to push the new 10/0 inside by force - don't be afraid and push it in, it will fit just nicely. Repeat steps 31 - 33, until you reach the end of the row, then repeat the same

on the other side of the bead. Then tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off the remaining thread.



35) (Optional) This is how a completed bead with these extra 10/s looks like.

Colorways:



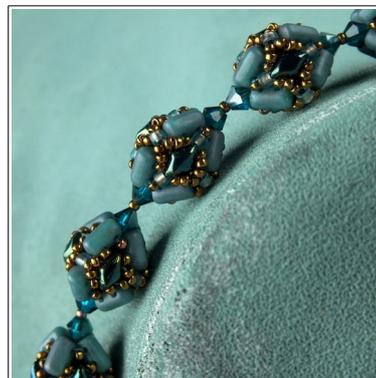
Matubo Rulla 63030/43400
 Matubo Minigemduo 93140/15726
 Matubo 10/0 93140/15695
 15/0 Miyuki seed beads 4213
 Duracoat Galv. Dk. Mauve



Matubo Rulla 83120/85001
 Matubo Minigemduo 53410/86805
 Matubo 10/0 63130
 15/0 Miyuki seed beads 4221
 Duracoat Galvanized Lt. Pewter



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