

## "Amaru" Bracelet

You will love this versatile design with Matubo Miniduo beads



## Material (for one bracelet)

6mm round beads (6-7 pcs) Matubo Miniduo (approx. 5 gram) Matubo 8/0 (approx. 1 gram) Matubo 11/0 (approx. 2.5 gram) 15/0 Japanese seed beads (approx. 2.5 gram) 3mm firepolished beads (52 - 60 pcs) 4mm firepolished beads (24 - 28 pcs) Findings of your choice (jump rings, a clasp)

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

**Difficulty:** For beginners/intermediate

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1) String one 3mm FP and three Miniduos. Repeat four times total.





2) Tie a square knot to form a circle. Then pass through the upper hole of the nearest Miniduo.



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



3) Add one 11/0 and pass through the upper hole of the next Miniduo.



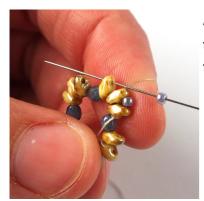


8) Now we need to get to one of the 3mm FPs in the middle of the ring. Pass back through the lower hole of the same Miniduo the thread is exiting from and then through the next 3mm FP

9) Add three 15/0s and

FP bead in the row.

pass through the next 3mm



4) Add one 11/0 and pass through the upper hole of the next Miniduo.



5) Add one 4mm FP and pass through the upper hole of the next Miniduo.



10) Repeat step 9, until you reach the end of the row.



11) Pass through the first two 15/0s from the first group of three.



16) Add three 15/0s and pass through the next 3mm FP



12) Add two 11/0s and pass through the "middle" 15/0 from the next group of three.



17) Repeat step 16 ...



13) Repeat step 12 ...



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



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

Now you made the back side of the component.





19) The thread is exiting from the last 3mm FP Add one 6mm round and pass through the 3mm FP on the other side of the component (as shown in the photo).

20) Pull snug and push the 6mm round between the 15/0s. This is what you should get.



15) Weave through beads to get to one of the 3mm FP beads. The needle should exit from the front side of the component.



21) Pass through the first two 15/0s from the next group of three.



26) Weave through beads to get to the nearest Miniduo.



22) Add four 15/0s and pass through the "middle" 15/0 from the next group of three.



27) Then pass back through the upper hole of the same Miniduo and then get to the nearest 4mm FP bead.



23) Repeat step 22 ...



28) Add one 15/0, one 11/0, one 8/0, one 11/0 and one 15/0 and pass through the same 4mm FP again.



24) ... until you reach ...



29) Then pass through the 15/0 and 11/0 you just added.



- 25) ... the end of the row.
- You can weave through the last row one more time.



30) Skip the 8/0 and pass through the next 11/0 and 15/0.

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31) Then pass through the same 4mm FP, through the upper hole of the next Miniduo and through the next 11/0.



36) ... one 8/0, one 11/0 and one 15/0.



32) Add one 15/0, one 11/0 and one 15/0 and pass through the next 11/0, the upper hole of the next Miniduo and through the next 4mm FP.



37) Add one 11/0 and pass through the next 11/0 on the side of the square ...



33) Repeat steps 28 - 32 ...



38) Through the next group of (15/0, 11/0, 15/0) and through the next 11/0.



34) ... until you reach the end of the row. The thread should exit from one of the 11/0s on the side of the square (as shown in the photo).





35) Add one 11/0 and pass through all the five beads above the 4mm FP - one 15/0, one 11/0 ...



39) Repeat steps 35 – 38 ...

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



TIP: If you want to make the simple version of the bracelet or a pair of earrings, you can tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread. Make all the necessary components by repeating steps 1 – 40 and connect

them using jump rings. If you want to make more intricate version of the bracelet (like the ones on the front page of the pattern), keep beading.





45) ... and then down through the next 3mm FP and the next 15/0.

44) Then go through the

next 15/0 ...



Ending

41) To make a decorative ending on a bracelet, weave through beads to get to one of the 11/0s you added in the last row. The thread should face the 8/0 in the согпег.



46) From there pass through the (15/0, 11/0, 15/0) group on the side of the square (as shown in the photo).



42) Add one 15/0, one 3mm FP, one 15/0, one 3mm FP and one 15/0. Then pass through the same 11/0 again.

15/0 and 3mm FP you just

added.





47) Add one 15/0, one 3mm FP, one 11/0, one 8/0 and one 11/0 and then go down through the nearest 3mm FP and the 15/0 underneath.

48) Again, pass through the (15/0, 11/0, 15/0) group on the side of the square (as shown in the photo).



49) Go up through the next 15/0, 3mm FP and the 11/0.



54) Add one 15/0, one 3mm FP and one 15/0 and pass through the second 11/0 on this side of the square (from the outside in, as shown in the photo).



50) Skip the 8/0. Go down through the next 11/0, 3mm FP and the 15/0.



55) Go up through the nearest 15/0 and 3mm FP Optionally you can weave through the last beads added one more time.



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



56) Now you can tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread.



52) Again, pass through the (15/0, 11/0, 15/0) group on the side of the square (as shown in the photo).

**TIP:** This construction gives us even more designing possibilities. You can use this as an ending of a bracelet, you can use it to directly attach a clasp (like Cymbal Mesaria III clasp – as seen on the blue/green bracelet on the front page) or you can even use it to make more intricate version of the earrings – just make the same



53) Go up through the next 15/0 and 3mm FP.



construction on the opposite side of the component and use the 8/0s on each end to attach earring findings and embellishment like tassels or drop-shaped beads.

## Connecting



57) Start making the second component by repeating steps 1 - 41.



61) Add one 15/0, one 3mm FP and one 15/0 and pass through the same 11/0 you started from.



58) The thread is, again, exiting from the "last" new 11/0 on the side of the square.



62) This is what you should get.



59) Add one 15/0, one 3mm FP and one 15/0 and pass through (from the outside in) the corresponding 11/0 on the first component. 63) Weave through all those beads one more time, but this time always skip the 11/0.





60) Like this.

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64) Like this.



65) Then weave through beads to the next 11/0 from the last row)



69) Keep adding new components until you reach the desired length of the bracelet.



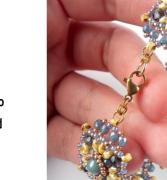
66) And repeat steps 59 – 64 there. This bracelet is made from 6 components and the total length – including the clasp – is approximately 18,5 cm/7,28 in long.



70) On the last component make the "ending" (steps 41 – 56) and then tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread.



67) Like this.



71) Use the 8/0s on both ends to attach a clasp.



68) Now you have two components connected together:

You can tie a few half-hitch knots and cut off all the remaining thread.



72) The bracelet is finished.

## Colorways:







6mm rounds 93140/15001 Matubo Mininuu 93140/14495 Matubo 8/0 13600/85805 Matubo 11/0 00030/01700 15/0 Miyuki seed beads 190 Steel 3mm FP 23980/27500 4mm FP 23980/27500



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