# Instructions for 'Triple Wrap Odd Count Peyote Bracelet in Tropic' Kit 

Project KB-SP-072R [Skill Level: Intermediate]
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Project Components $\mid$ NOTE: To account for potential mistakes, there may be extra pieces of some types of findings.

|  | 1 - silver seed beads |  | 1 - dark pink seed beads |
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|  | 1 - mandarin orange seed beads |  | 1 - english beading needle size \#12 |
|  | 1 - sea opal seed beads | $=0.8$ | 1 - magnetic clasp |
|  | 1 - chalk white seed beads |  | 1 - beading thread |

## Recommended Tools (not included)

## Scissors

## Techniques Taught:

How to do odd count peyote stitch, How to tie an overhand knot

Instructions: For video instructions, go to www.beadaholique.com/KB-SP-072R
Please watch our Kit Video before beginning this kit to see helpful tips on sizing, reading the pattern, tying off your thread and finishing the clasp.

1. Cut a length of beading thread about 6 feet long (or as long as you are comfortable working with) and thread your needle.
2. Then begin the pattern by following along with the instruction sheet: How to Do Odd Count Peyote Stitch*. Thread the beads for the first two rows by following along your pattern*. Beginning at the top left of your pattern part A, pick up the beads in rows 1 and 2. Note that the instruction sheet for Odd Count Peyote Stitch shows a sample number of beads. This technique can be used for this bracelet just use the appropriate number of beads for the respective pattern; in this case 5 beads. Note: The instruction sheet has you add a stopper bead. You can do that or you cannot. If you do add a stopper bead remember to remove it before adding the clasp.
3. Pick up the first bead for row 3, and go back though the second to last bead from the previous step.
4. Following along your pattern, pick up the next bead for row 3 . Skip a bead and go though the next bead. Then add another bead and complete the turn around.
5. Continue to stitch row 4 by picking up the next bead in the pattern and going into the next bead.
6. Follow along with the pattern sheet, starting at the top of each pattern and working your way down, moving along from A to B to C , etc.
7. As you work, you will need to tie off and add new thread. Tie off your thread when you have about 8 inches left. While you're in the middle of a row bring your needle down though the thread between two adjacent beads and tie a knot* by going through a loop as seen in the video. Weave your thread through a few connecting beads and trim the thread.
8. Thread your needle with a new length of thread. Weave through a few connecting beads to get your needle into position to continue weaving. Tie a knot to secure your thread and continue weaving. Leave a short tail to trim off.
9. When you have finished weaving your bracelet, do not tie off your thread. You will use it to attach the clasp.
10. To attach the clasp, weave one final row of silver beads so you have two up beads in that final row. Then turn your thread around and go into the bead just below where your thread is coming out. Weave your way through the last few rows to get all the way to the other side of the weaving without creating any thread bridges. Move your thread so that it is coming out, towards the center, of the first silver bead you just added. Next, add one silver bead, one end of the clasp and one more silver bead. Then weave down into the next silver bead (the second of the one you added from the last row). Weave the thread through that process to secure the clasp before tying off the thread. Note: The video will show you how to attach the clasp very clearly.
11. For the second side of the clasp you will need to do an extra maneuver before repeating the above step. Using the tail from the beginning of the bracelet, (remove the stopper bead if you added one) go back through the bead your thread is coming out of to get it oriented the right way, then you can begin to add the final row of two silver beads and continue the process.
12. Enjoy!

The finished pattern, done in full, will give you a 21 inch bracelet that will wrap three times for a 7.5 inch bracelet, allowing 0.5 inches for the clasp.
*To see how to do this technique, please refer to the included techniques guide. Thank you!

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## Odd Count Peyote Stitch




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