



# BEADED CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT

## HOW TO

### SUPPLIES NEEDED:

- Two colors of size 11 beads.
- One will be the dominate color and one will be the accent color.
- Size D thread
- One regular size Christmas ornament
- Size 10 long beading needle
- Scissors



### FOLLOW THIS CHART TO START AND COMPLETE THE PROJECT:

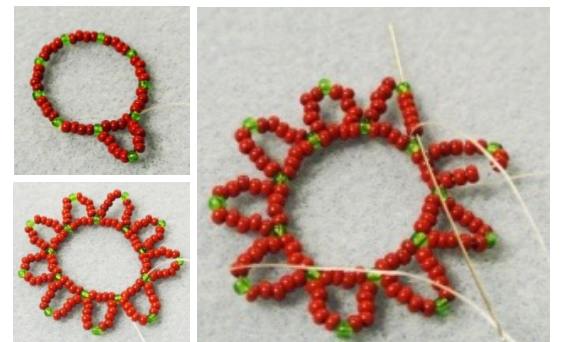
4 – 1 – 4 This means you will pick up 4 dominate color beads followed by 1 accent color. You will repeat this until you have a total of 9 sets of 4 dominate and 9 accent beads. (45 beads total)



Run the needle back through the beginning of all the beads and create a loop. Tie a knot where the two threads meet. At this point determine if you like beading to the left or right. If you are right handed then run your needle through the first 4 dominate beads and come out the next accent color bead. If left handed then run the needle back through the last 4 dominate colors and come out the accent color. You will always be coming out of an accent color from this point on in the project.



5 – 1 – 5 You are now ready to start your second row. You will pick up 5 dominate colors, 1 accent color, followed by 5 dominate colors. Run the needle through the next open accent color. You will begin to create points with the beads. Continue this process until you have made a full circle. When you come back to the first group of 5, run the needle through the accent color and all the way through the 5 dominate colors coming out of the next accent color.





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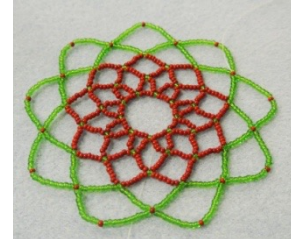
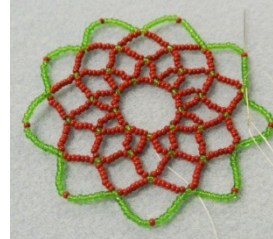
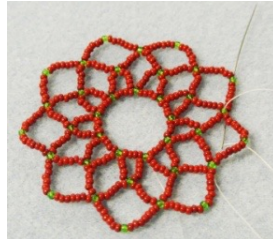
6 – 1 – 6 You will repeat the process accordingly but adding one bead to the dominate colors per each row. Repeat the process until you have reached row 10 – 1 – 10. Follow the number chart below. (In the example, the colors were alternated but do not have to be)

7 – 1 – 7

8 – 1 – 8

9 – 1 – 9

10 – 1 – 10



When you reach 10 – 1 – 10, you will notice you have created a big enough design to drape over the ornament. Pull off the top of the ornament and place the beadwork over the opening. Reattach the top of the ornament. At this point you can either stop the project or you could add misc beads to dangle from the accent points. You would do so by following the fringe pattern technique. If you want to enclose the beadwork around the ornament then you would continue the beading process by decreasing the number of dominate colors per row

