

ELASTIC BRACELETS BEADS GREEN TUBES

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What can I do with tube beads?

Discover these [original bamboo-shaped beads](#) in this elastic bracelet tutorial. These are tube beads with a diameter of 5 mm. They are a little narrower in the center, giving them the appearance of bamboo pieces. These beads go perfectly with 5 mm gold flower rondelles and 6 mm round beads. They also come in an 8 mm diameter for those who prefer more imposing jewelry.

I chose to combine these acrylic tube beads with natural stone beads to give them an ethnic, bohemian style. The combination of the two materials works very well visually. The green tube beads have a marbled effect. The marbling of the jade and green tube beads contrasts with the opacity of the ivory, black and dark green tube beads. This gives the bracelets a lovely depth.

Wear these bracelets in any season with a plain blouse or dress. Because they're elastic bracelets, they're easy to make and put on by yourself. No need for jewelry clips! All you need is a ruler, a pair of scissors and some glue to stick the knot inside a tube bead. See all our tips for making elastic bracelets in this video: [How to make an elastic bracelet?](#)

A few tips before you start:

- Once you've cut the wire, stretch it before threading the beads. This not only ensures that the wire won't break once the bracelet is finished, but also prevents the wire from relaxing afterwards. Elastic wires always stretch a little at first.
- Make a surgeon's knot and apply glue to the knot.
- Never store your elastic bracelets in a hot place or in direct sunlight. UV rays and heat prematurely damage elastic threads. If you leave your bracelets in the car in the middle of summer, you're unlikely to find them intact.
- Do not bring solvents (household products, perfume, cosmetics), salt water or chlorine into contact with the bracelets.

The material list contains the quantity needed to make the 4 bracelets. If you have a wrist of 13 cm or less, you can take just one sachet of jade beads each to make the 4 bracelets, as well as 3 sachets of gold flower discs.

However, for most people, you'll need to take the quantity indicated, i.e. 2 sachets of each type of jade bead and 4 sachets of golden flower rondelles.

Which material to use for Elastic bracelets beads green tubes?

SUPPLIES



Elastic cord Transparent 0.50mm x 15 m
Ref. : FC-053
Quantity : 1



6mm Round gemstone beads - Green African Jade x15
Ref. : PGM-798
Quantity : 2



6mm Round gemstone beads- Green Jade Bingshan Cui x15
Ref. : PGM-799
Quantity : 2



13x5mm Opaque acrylic bamboo tube beads - Nude x15
Ref. : PLA-514
Quantity : 1



13x5mm Clear acrylic bamboo tube beads - Marbled Green x15
Ref. : PLA-517
Quantity : 1



13x5mm Opaque acrylic bamboo tube beads - Dark Green x15
Ref. : PLA-634
Quantity : 1



13x5mm Opaque acrylic bamboo tube beads - Black x15
Ref. : PLA-635
Quantity : 1



Spacer beads 5 mm Gilded with fine 24K x20
Ref. : TAL-365
Quantity : 4

SUPPLIES



Jewel Glue Hasulith 30ml
Ref. : OUTIL-007
Quantity : 1

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★ Step 1/4

Cut 30 cm of elastic thread without stretching it. Put a clothespin on the end of the wire to prevent the beads from falling out. String 1 tube bead, 1 flower washer, 1 6 mm bead, 1 flower washer. Repeat as many times as necessary. You'll need 7 strings for a maximum 13 cm wrist, 8 strings for a 15 cm wrist, 9 strings for a 17 cm wrist.



★ Step 2/4

Nude and dark green tube beads are combined with green African jade beads. Marbled green and black tube beads are mixed with Bingshan Cui green jade beads.



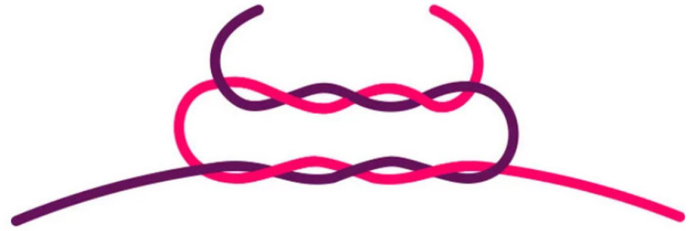
★ Step 3/4

To close the bracelets, tie a double surgeon's knot. To do this, wrap the wire twice around the other end. It's like a normal knot, but you wrap the wire twice instead of just once. Keep the bracelet on the table to prevent it turning and the knot coming undone.



★ Step 4/4

Tie the knot again and tighten. Cut the wire ends to within 2 mm of the knot. Put glue on the knot and slide a tube bead over it to hide it and glue it inside the bead.



Result

