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## INTRODUCING TEACUPS

Use adorable cup-shaped beads, called Teacups, to make round components that are perfect for gifting. Make several in personalized colors and quickly string them together on a chain.

ABOUT THE ARTIST: NICHOLE STARMAN
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Nichole has been an integral part of the industry wholesaling Czech glass since the year 2000. She has produced some of the world's most notable styles and colors of beads. Nichole loves the infinite possibilities using the bead color palette to create wearable works of art. The introduction of TOHO brand seed beads into her work has given new dimension to designing with Czech glass.
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COLORWAYS-Pink:TOH06 ${ }^{\circ}$ Demi Rounds Bronze (TN-06-221);Teacups Luster - Transparent Topaz/Pink (380-24-15495). Blue:TOH06 ${ }^{\circ}$ Demi Rounds Bronze (TN-06-221); Teacups Sapphire (380-24-3005)


## INSTRUCTIONS

1. Note: String the B so they all face the same direction. On 12" of thread, add A, B; repeat eleven times, leaving a 4 " tail. Pass through all beads again (not shown) and tie a knot against the tail to form a ring. Tie off.

## 2. Component jewelry ideas:

Earrings: Make two rings and use jump rings or beaded loops to connect them to earwires.
Pendant: String rings directly onto a chain, or stitch a small bail off of a Demi Round.

## MATERIALS

12 TOHO $6^{\circ}$ Demi Rounds (A)
12 Teacups (B) TOHO One-G Thread

Component as instructed measures $1 / 2^{"}$ wide.

Bracelet: Connect multiple rings end to end with loops made of seed beads.


