

Trendy beads



Glass or not glass, that is the question here. And the answer is: FIMO! The new FIMO effect gemstone colours develop a beautiful shimmering depth after hardening and take on an almost glass or gemstone-like appearance thanks to their subtle translucent character. They are truly eye-catching when combined with silver-coloured jewellery frames and eyelets to make a stunning bracelet. What's more, amazing but true, this exquisite jewellery is actually really easy to make yourself ...



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Have fun crafting!

FIMO Shopping / material list



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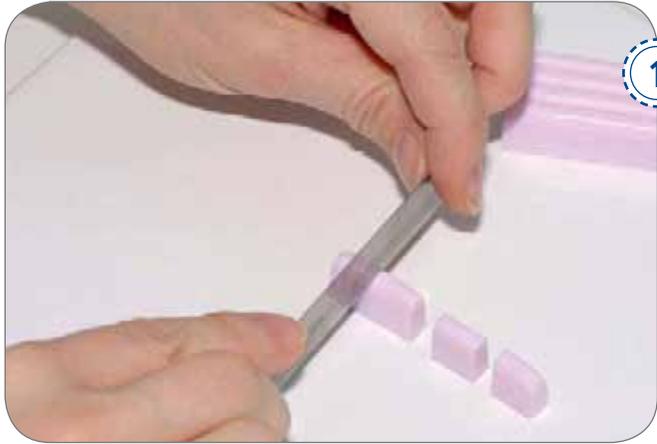
You will need these STAEDTLER articles:

Product	Colour	Art. no.	Quantity	✓
FIMO effect	Rose quartz	8020-206	1	
	Blue ice quartz	8020-306	1	
	Stardust	8020-903	1	
FIMO classic	White	8000-0	1	
Blade set		8700 04	1	
Bead shaper		8712	1	
Round frame	10 mm	8625 21	1 pack	
Square frame	10 mm	8625 23	1 pack	
Gloss varnish		8703 BK	1	
Modelling tools	--	8711	1	
Oven thermometer	--	8700 02	1	

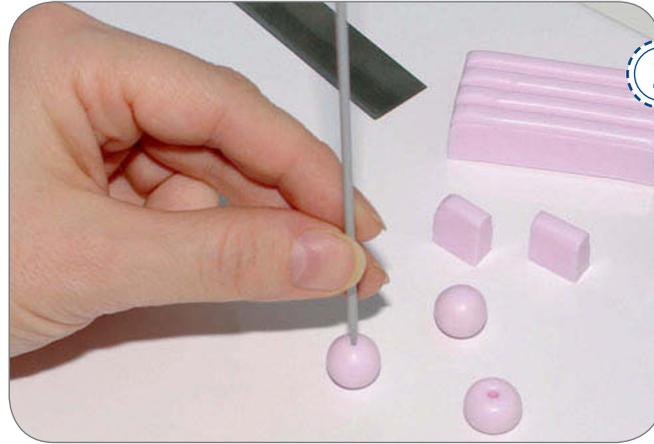
Smooth work surface (glass or ceramic), knitting needle (approx. no. 3), silver-coloured bracelet (approx. 4 mm in diameter), silver-coloured eyelets which fit over the end of the bracelet (approx. 4 mm in diameter, test first!)



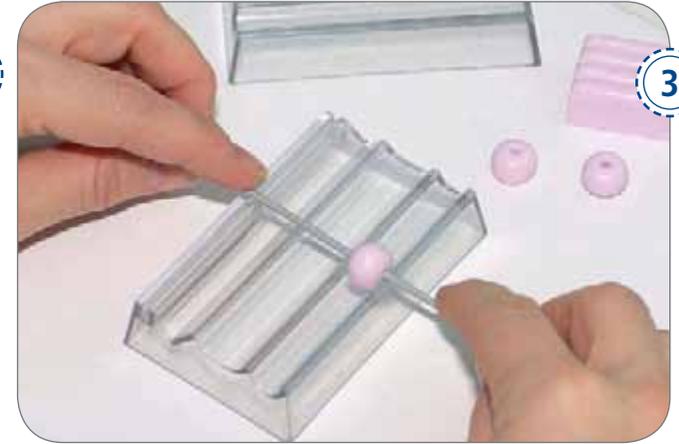
Instructions for the beads



1 First cut a strip of rose quartz into four pieces of equal size.



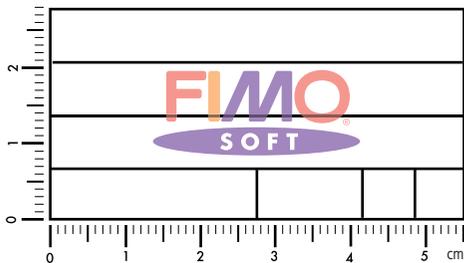
2 Shape the quarter-strip bits into balls in your hands and then use the knitting needle to make holes through them.



3 String the pierced balls onto the knitting needle and roll them back and forth several times in the bead shaper. Make sure as you do so that the holes do not become too big.

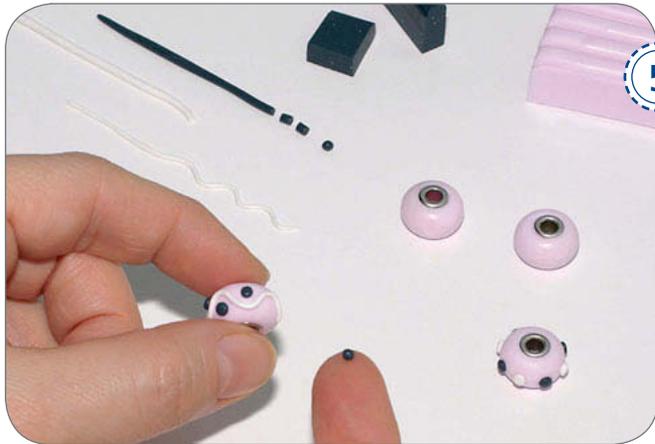


4 Use the knitting needle to place the eyelets exactly into the holes and press on gently with your finger.



Thanks to the portioning aid, it's easy to cut your block of FIMO into the right portions.

Instructions for the beads



Now decorate the beads however you like with small balls or thin strings of white and stardust-coloured FIMO.



For the spacer beads, roll out a strip of stardust to an approx. 7mm thick string. Then cut 1 cm long pieces off this string and push into the round and square frames.



Using a knitting needle, make a hole through the middle. Roll the beads in the round frames in your hands until smooth. Press each side of the square beads firmly onto the work surface to create a dice shape.

Tip:

When decorating the beads, try out different patterns and colour combinations. The more varied the patterns, the more interesting the bracelet.

Finally, to harden, we recommend you suspend the beads on a needle and place them in the oven for 30 minutes at 110 °C. After cooling, add a coat of gloss varnish to the beads and then leave to dry.

Now simply string them onto the bracelet, attach the clasp – finished!