# PROTECT ME Design by TrendSetter Iulia Postica

### **MATERIALS NEEDED**

☐ 53 CzechMates® Beam™

2 Jump Rings

■ 6 CzechMates® Cabochon

Clasp of Choice

☐ 4g 11° TOHO Seed Beads

☐ TOHO One-G Thread

COLORWAYS: Silver: CzechMates Beam Silver (397-210-27000); CzechMates Cabochon Matte Turquoise (396-06-M6313); TOHO 11º Round Bronze(TR-11-221).



### About the Artist

## **Iulia Postica**

I've been crocheting and knitting ever since I remember. I studied history and archaeology. Nine years ago I have developed a passion for beadwork and my life has greatly changed. Bead crochet is where I started, but I also love beadweaving and bead embroidery. I adore the variety of bead shapes and colors inspire me to create new designs. I currently focus on making beading patterns. Visit http://

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#### INSTRUCTIONS

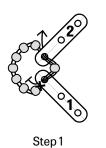
1. Note: Always pick up the CB from a side hole unless instructed to pick up from the center hole.

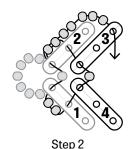
Segment 1: On a comfortable length of thread, add CB-1, S11, CB-2, seven S11. Form a ring and tie a knot against the tail. Pass through all beads again. Pass through CB-1, S11, CB-2.

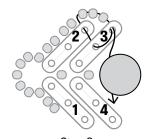
2. Add two S11, pass through the center hole of CB-2, add CB-3. S11, CB-4, then pass through the center hole of CB-1. Add two S11, then pass through the CB-1 hole towards the center of

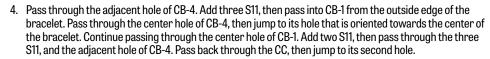
the bracelet, S11, the adjacent hole of CB-2, two S11. Add five S11 then pass through the outer hole of CB-3.

Jump to the center hole of CB-3, then pass into the adjacent outer hole of CB-2 and the three S11. Pass into the outer hole of CB-3 again, then add CC-Right.

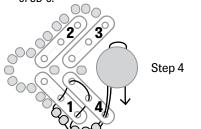


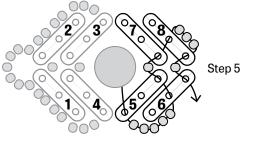






5. Add CB-5, five S11, CB-6 (center hole), then pass through the open outer hole of CB-5. Add S11, CB-7, CB-8 (center hole), three S11, then pass through an outer hole of CB-8. Add S11, then pass through an open hole of CB-6.







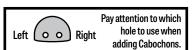
### **MATERIALS**

53 CzechMates® Beam™ (CB)

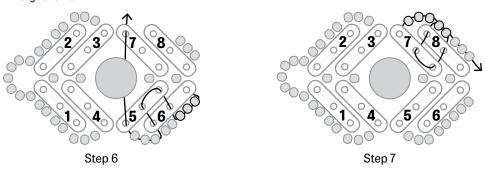
6 CzechMates® Cabochon (CC) 4q 11° TOHO Seed Beads (S11)

2 Jump Rings Clasp of Choice TOHO One-G Thread

Bracelet measures approx. 71/8" before clasp. Each segment is approx. 11/4" long. Minor adjustments to the length can be made with S11 at the clasp ends.



- 6. Add three S11, then pass through the center hole of CB-6 and the adjacent hole of CB-5. Jump to the center hole of CB-5, then continue passing through the CB-6, three S11, CB-5, CC, CB-7, as shown.
- 7. Add five S11, then pass through the center hole of CB-8, the adjacent hole of CB-7. Jump to the center hole of CB-7, then continue passing through the adjacent hole of CB-8. Pass through the five S11 along the outside edge of CB-8.



- 8. Add CB-9, S11, CB-1, S11, CB-2, S11. Pass through the open outer hole of CB-9, then pass through S11, the adjacent hole of CB-6, S11, the adjacent hole of CB-8, and the S11 you started at in this step. Continue passing through CB-9, S11, CB-1, S11, CB-2 again, as shown.
  - Segments 2-5: Repeat Steps 2-8 to add five more segments. Note that the thread path alternates direction after each segment. Follow the Beam numbering in the diagram to add beads in the correct seguence.
- 9. Segment 6: a) Repeat Steps 2-7 to add one more segment. Instead of adding CB-9 as in Step 8, add a loop of five seed beads to the end of the bracelet as shown. Reinforce the loop, then tie off.

Step 9

b) Use jump rings to attach the clasp to the loops at both ends of the bracelet.

