

Brick Stitch Rainbow Earring Set



Simple Rainbow



Side Rainbow



Small Rainbow



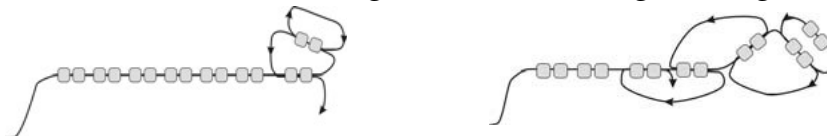
Diamond Rainbow

General instructions:

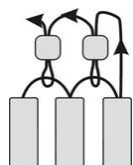
All designs were stitched with size 11 Czech seed beads in rainbow colors using a #10 beading needle and size D Nymo thread. I used beeswax as a thread conditioner.

They were finished with French ear wires. Feel free to substitute Delicas in place of the Czech beads, if you want a more precise pattern. Feel free to alter the length of the fringe of every earring as well. I would love to see any changes you make!

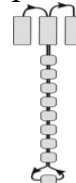
Each earring was started with a ladder stitch. Starting with the row right above the fringe, string on all the beads you will need for that first row. Bring the needle to the back of the second bead, and pull gently so the first and second beads line up. Continue in this manner until all the beads are lined up side by side. This illustration pictures two seed beads, which is for the Diamond Rainbow earrings. For all the rest, go through single beads.



After you have your base row, pick up a bead on your needle, come through the top of the thread lying between two of your laddered beads. Then bring the needle through the bottom of the bead you chose, so it sits between the two beads. Half the time, you may notice the thread is visible on the outside of the bead. To prevent this, pick up the next two beads, and skip the first thread coming up in the second one. Come up only through the second bead and proceed. Fringe is made by coming out the end bead of your ladder stitched row, and picking up as many beads as desired. Loop around the last bead, and go back up through all the rest of the beads to the ladder bead, Thread through, and go to the next bead and repeat.



<- Brick Stitch



<- fringe

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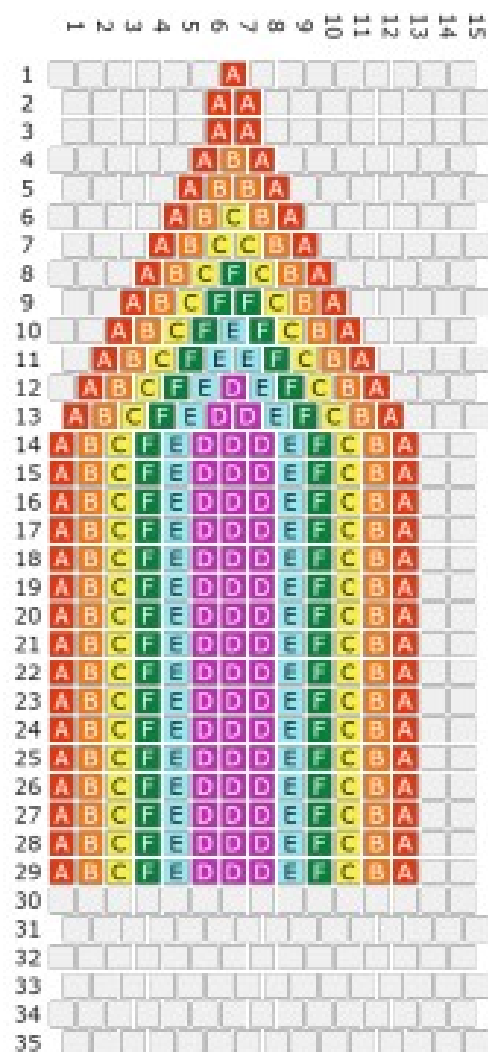
Row 14 is the ladder row to start with. Rows 15-29 are fringe rows.

Use 2 yards of thread.

Work brick stitch to top of pattern. When you reach the two red beads with no orange bead between them, string on all five red beads, and run the thread through them several times. This is the point of the earring where the most wear will occur, so it is good to have it secured.

If you need to start a new thread, tie off your old thread. Tie on a new thread, and run it through a few beads before starting. If you are insecure about how well it will keep, dab it with clear nail polish.

Pattern Diagram



Bead List

Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
A	Red	57	Red, Transparent (Czech Seed Red)
B	Orange	51	Orange, Transparent (Czech Seed Orange)
C	Yellow	47	Yellow, Transparent (Czech Seed Yellow)
D	Pink, Purple	51	Pink, Purple, Transparent (Czech Seed Purple)
E	Blue	39	Blue, Transparent (Czech Seed Baby Blue)

Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
F	Green	43	Green, Opaque (Czech Green)

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Row 16 is the ladder row to start with. Rows 17-31 are fringe rows.


Use 2 yards of thread.

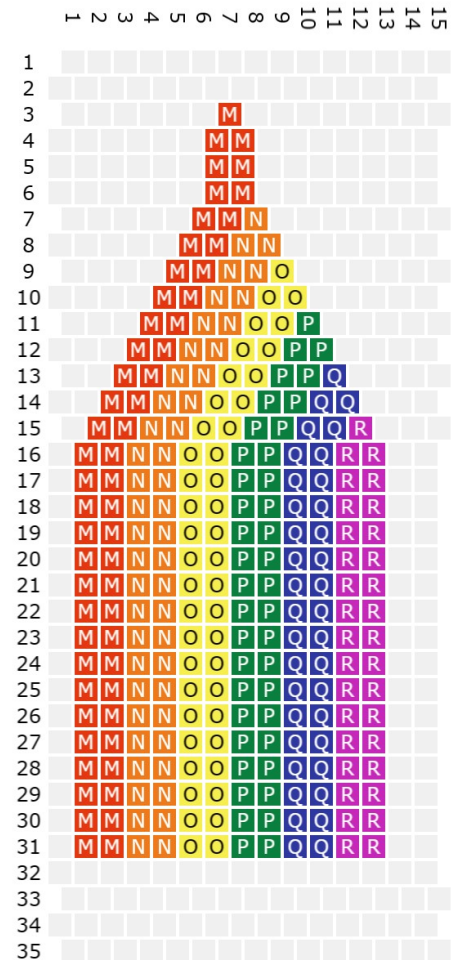
Work brick stitch to top of pattern. When you reach the two red beads with no orange bead, string on all five red beads, and run the thread through them several times. This is the point of the earring where the most wear will occur, so it is good to have it secured.

If you need to start a new thread, tie off your old thread. Tie on a new thread, and run it through a few beads before starting. If you are insecure about how well it will keep, dab it with clear nail polish.

Bead List

Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
	M	57	Red, Transparent (Czech Seed Red)
	N	49	Orange, Transparent (Czech Seed Orange)
	O	45	Yellow, Transparent (Czech Seed Yellow)
	P	41	Green, Opaque (Czech Green)
	Q	37	Blue, Opaque (Czech Blue)

Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
	R	33	Pink, Purple, Transparent (Czech Seed Purple)



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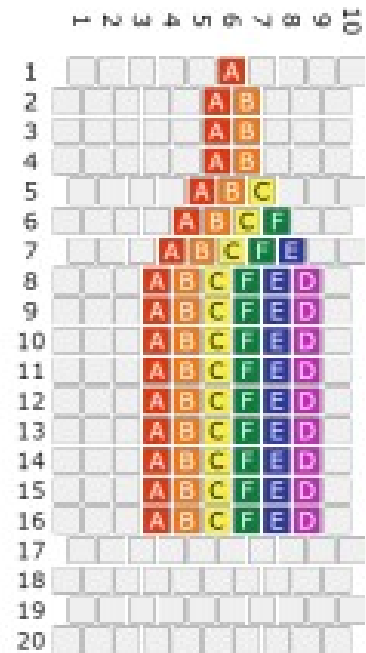
Row 8 is the ladder row to start with. Rows 9-16 are fringe rows.

Use 1 yard of thread.

Work brick stitch to top of pattern. When you reach row 3, string on all five beads, 2 orange and three red. Run the thread through them several times. This is the point of the earring where the most wear will occur, so it is good to have it secured.

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Bead List

Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
A	Red	16	Red, Transparent (Czech Seed Red)
B	Orange	15	Orange, Transparent (Czech Seed Orange)
C	Yellow	12	Yellow, Transparent (Czech Seed Yellow)
D	Pink, Purple	9	Pink, Purple, Transparent (Czech Seed Purple)
E	Blue	10	Blue, Opaque (Czech Blue)

Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
F	Green	11	Green, Opaque (Czech Green)

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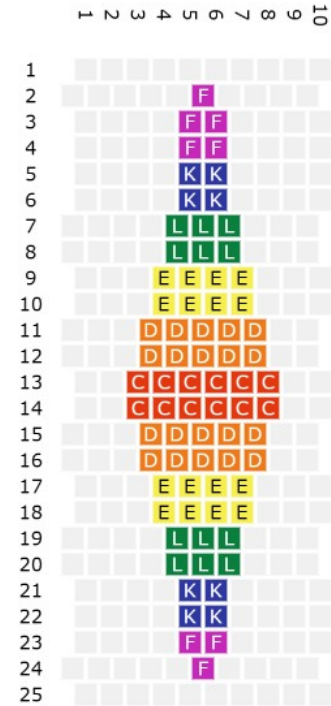


Row 13/14 is the ladder row to start with. You will be working with two beads, and you will be only working two triangles. When you reach the end, weave your thread to the red row and flip the earring to start the second side.

Use 1 yard of thread.

Work the 2 drop brick stitch to top of pattern, taking 2 beads with every stitch. When you reach the purple beads on one end, string on all five beads, and run the thread through them several times. This is the point of the earring where the most wear will occur, so it is good to have it secured.

If you need to start a new thread, tie off your old thread. Tie on a new thread, and run it through a few beads before starting. If you are insecure about how well it will keep, dab it with clear nail polish.



Bead	Symbol	Count	Description
	C	12	Red, Transparent (Czech Seed Red)
	D	20	Orange, Transparent (Czech Seed Orange)
	E	16	Yellow, Transparent (Czech Seed Yellow)
	F	8	Pink, Purple, Transparent (Czech Seed Purple)
	K	8	Blue, Opaque (Czech Blue)
	L	12	Green, Opaque (Czech Green)

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