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KNITTED CHANDELIER EARRINGS

2 yards 28 gauge silver wire

Bead [A]: (14) 6mm beads

Bead [B]: (14) size 6 seed beads

Bead [C]: (12) 4mm teardrop beads

US size #1 knitting needles

(2) 2.75 inch lengths of chain

(2) 5mm split ring

1 pair earring hooks

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For Each Earring:

Prestring Wire: String 7 **B** beads, then 7 **A** beads such that **A** beads will be knit first. Using back loop cast on, cast on 8 sts. After each row is worked, pull sts to keep work crisp and flat. All beads will lie between stitches.

Row 1 (WS): P1, 7 BP. (8 sts, 7 beads)

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: Purl.

Row 4: K1, 7 BK. When working this row, pull up sts to longer height. Do not cast off. Cut wire, leaving 1" tail.

Finishing: Insert chain through live sts, secure ends of chain with split ring and earring hook making sure to keep RS to front. Cut 6" length of wire, run through each **A** bead, stringing **C** beads in between each **A**. Secure and trim tails. Pull work so sts lie neatly and push cast-on row to back of **A** beads.

ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS:

BK - *Bead Knit (Bring bead to needle, knit, keeping bead between sts)*, **BP** - *Bead Purl (Bring bead to needle, purl, keeping bead between sts)*, **K** - *knit*, **P** - *purl*, **RS** - *right side*, **sts** - *stitches*, **WS** - *wrong side*