

Summery chain of light with colorful umbrellas

Instructions No. 343

A cheerful lighting for your next garden party: The little umbrellas are made of **Acrylic balls** and pasted with colourful Straw silk paper stickers. This is very easy and you can also use your favourite colours, because they are available Straw silk paper in many bright colours.

Prepare suspension

From the **Acrylic balls remove the suspensions** with a side cutter **and melt a hole** with the hot glue gun in the **middle of** each **ball half and cutting disc**. This must be large enough so that two fairy lights fit through each half of the ball and **one** aluminium wire **each** for the cutting discs. All holes are now deburred with the side cutter (cut the edge cleanly).

Gluing and decorating

The straw silk is now torn into pieces and glued to the ball halves and separating discs with a slight overlap using napkin varnish. Once everything is dry, use the liner to paint the struts of the umbrellas onto the acrylic balls.

Now a second layer Straw silk paper is glued on the hemispheres. Then decorate the shades with small dots and lines with a white liner. The umbrella struts can be additionally emphasized with the silver Ink Pads .

Fine tuning

The cutting discs and ball halves are glued together with super glue

From aluminium wire 10 cm long pieces are cut to size for the umbrella poles **and** then at one end to the handle

Now the small umbrella poles are put into the separating discs and two lamps of the light chain are put through into the balls. If necessary fix further with hot glue.

The chain of lights can be decorated with small bows between the individual shades further .

Must Have

[Acrylic ball with hole, Ø 8 cm](#)

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[Konstsmide LED mini light chain, 20 warm white diodes](#)

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Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
593151	Acrylic separating-/painting disc "Round", Ø 8 cm	10
706605-15	VBS Straw silk, 50x70cm, 3 sheetsLight green	1
27541	VBS Napkin varnish "Glossy"100 ml	1
120340	VBS Napkin brush/Decoupage brush	1
29537	Aluminium wire, silver-coloured, 2 mm, 3 m (unfortunately sold out)	1
542708-08	Staz-On Stamp padBlack	1
567725-08	POSCA Marker PC-1MCWhite	1
415712-80	Organza ribbon, 3 mmWhite	1
412124-80	Satin ribbon, 3 mmWhite	1
118545	Eagle owl superglue gel	1
552899	Embossing dryer	1
15923	Pattex hot glue gun "Made@Home"	1