Frit Cast Lily

<u>Materials:</u>

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- LF223 Lily Flower
- <u>GM50 Cone Former</u>
- COE96 Frits:
 - F1 Powder Moss Green Transparent
 - F1 Powder Mauve Transparent
 - F1 Powder Plum Transparent
 - F2 Fine Champagne Opal
- Suitable Glass Separator/ZYP

Remember to always wear a mask when using powder frits or spray-on glass separator!



Prepare the LF223 with suitable glass separator and allow plenty of time to dry. Once dry, sift Powder Moss Green into the center and about one inch into each petal.



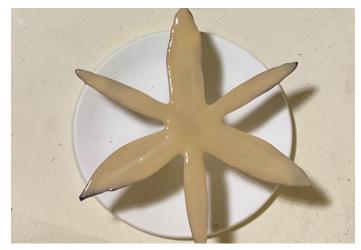
Sift Powder Plum into the tips of each petal and along edges of the tips as well. Refer to the photo for more precise placement.



Sift Powder Mauve from the edge of the Moss Green up each petal, stopping about one inch away from the petal tips.



Place Fine Champagne Opal over the entire flower until the mold is holding about 100 grams of frit (or approximately 3/8" of frit deep everywhere in the mold). Fire to a Tack Fire using either the suggested schedule in **Table 1** on Page 2, or your own favorite Tack Fire schedule.



While waiting for the project to finish firing, prepare the GM50 with glass separator. Once the glass is done and cooled, gently remove it from the mold and center it texture-side down on top of the GM50. Slump the project using either the suggested schedule in **Table 2** or your own preferred gentle slump.





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Table 1- Tack Fire*			
Segment	Rate	Temp	Hold
1	300	1150	30
2	350	1410	10
3	9999	950**	60
**If using COE90, adjust this temperature to 900°F			
Table 2- Slump*			

 Segment
 Rate
 Temp
 Hold

 1
 250
 1250
 10

 2
 9999
 950**
 60

*Before using these schedules, <u>refer to our</u> <u>Firing Notes</u> <u>by clicking</u> <u>here</u> to see if you need to adjust them.

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We have a wide variety of slump molds that work well for the Lily. One that we also use frequently is the **GM195 Organic Controlled Drop** (see below). If firing on this mold or a similar deeper slump, fire the Lily texture-side up. You may also want to slightly increase the top temperature in the suggested Slump schedule to 1290°F or so for a deeper slump. But don't increase this temperature if you're using the GM50!



Click here for our tutorial on stemming glass flowers like these!

