

Festive Shoulder Bag Project

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Supplies

Fabric 1 : 13" x 3 1/2" (33 x 9 cm) of cotton quilting fabric

Fabric 2 : 13" x 1 1/2" (33 x 3.8 cm) of cotton quilting fabric

Fabric 3 : 13" x 6 1/2" (33 x 17 cm) of cotton quilting fabric

Fabric 4 : 1/3 yard of cotton quilting fabric

Fabric 5 : 1/4 yard of vinyl fabric

Fabric 6 : 2/3 yard of cotton quilting fabric

Fabric 7 : 1/16 yard of cotton quilting fabric (for the inner strap)

alternative fabric choice : canvas, linen, denim

Note : yardage requirements are an estimate, based on 44" wide fabric (cotton quilting);

54" wide (vinyl fabric)

1/2 yard fusible woven interfacing - Pellon SF 101 (20" wide) <https://amzn.to/346afRJ>

13" x 25" (33 x 63.5 cm) batting

2x all purpose zipper 1" (2.5cm) wide at least 9" (23 cm) long

1x set of magnetic snap closure

1/4" basting tape <https://amzn.to/3xKhpBH>

watch the video tutorial
<https://youtu.be/Ezz1XPPBXHs>

Tools

Basic sewing notions

Polyester thread

1/4" presser foot (for the patchwork)

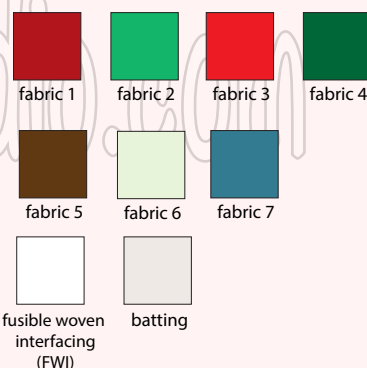
Walking foot

Finished bag measurements :

11" x 11 1/2" x 4" (28 x 29.2 x 5 cm)

Abbreviation

FWI : Fusible woven interfacing



Cutting

Exterior

Panel 1

Cut 1x from fabric 1 : 13" x 3 1/2" (33 x 9 cm)

Panel 2

Cut 1x from fabric 2 : 13" x 1 1/2" (33 x 3.8 cm)

Panel 3

Cut 1x from fabric 3 : 13" x 1 1/2" (33 x 3.8 cm)

Panel 4

Cut 1x from fabric 4 : 13" x 4 1/2" (33 x 11.4 cm)

Panel 5

Cut 2x from fabric 5 : 13" x 5 1/2" (33 x 14 cm)

Panel 6 (upper back exterior)

Cut 1x from fabric 4 : 13" x 9 1/2" (33 x 24 cm)

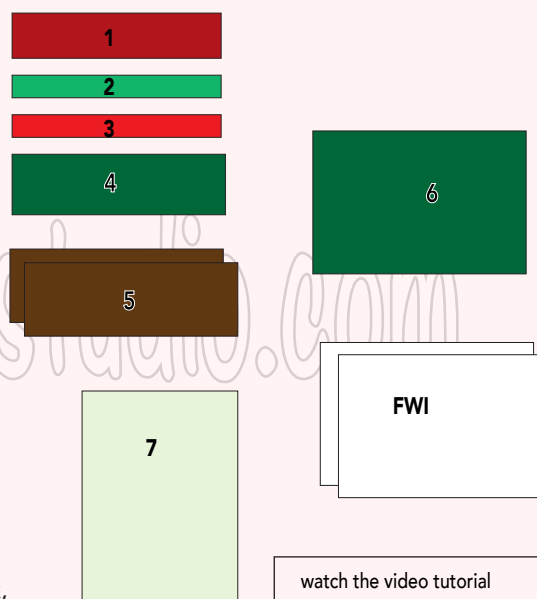
Fusible woven interfacing (to be applied on the wrong side of the upper front and back panels)

Cut 2x : 13" x 9 1/2" (33 x 24 cm)

Panel 7 (inner pocket)

Cut 1x from fabric 6 : 11" x 13" (28 x 33 cm)

Note : If you wish to leave out the upper front exterior patchwork, cut your upper front exterior panel the same as panel 6.



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Cutting

Interior

Panel 8 (upper)

Cut 2x each from fabric 3 & FWI : 13" x 2 1/2" (33 x 6.4 cm)

Panel 9 (lower)

Cut 2x each from fabric 6 & batting : 13" x 12 1/2" (33 x 31.7cm)

Panel 10 (slip pocket)

Cut 2x from fabric 6 : 13" x 11" (33 x 28 cm)

Panel 11 (zipper pocket)

Cut 1x from fabric 6 : 11" x 13" (28 x 33 cm)

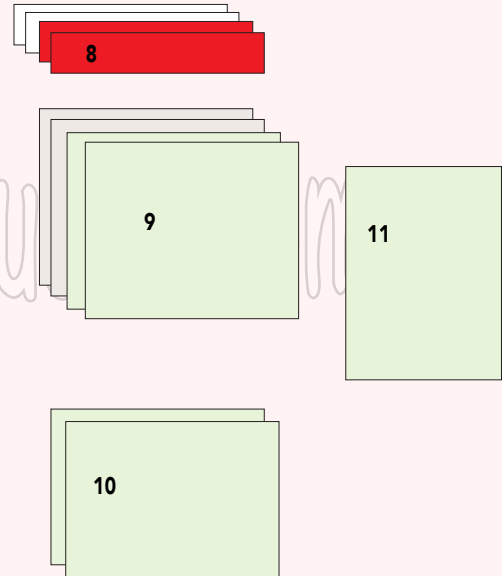
Strap

Cut 1x from fabric 5 (vinyl) : 30" x 2" (76 x 5 cm)

Cut 1x from fabric 7 : 30" x 1 3/4" (76 x 4.5 cm)



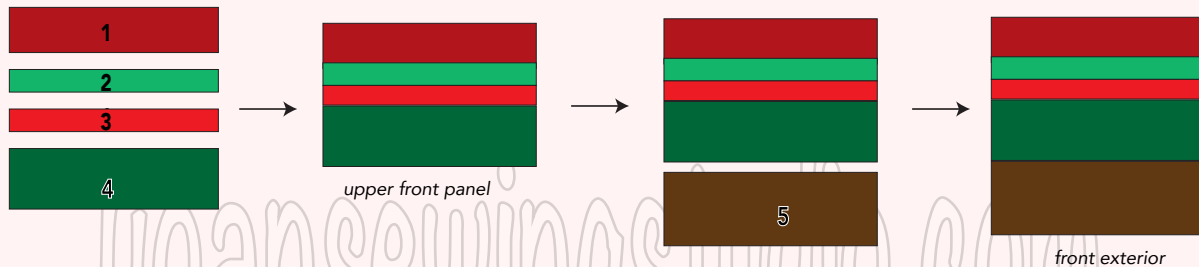
Note : feel free to adjust the length of the strap as needed, sew regular strap, use webbing, make it adjustable or crossbody style.



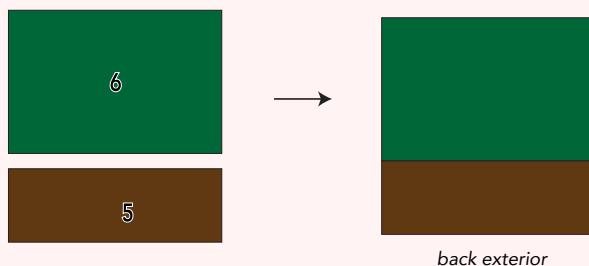
Brief Instructions

(please refer to the video tutorial for more detailed demonstration)

1. Referring to the below diagram, lay out panel 1,2,3,4 then sew them together with 1/4" (6mm) seam allowance. (press the seams as you go).
2. After applying the FWI, sew the upper front panel and panel 5 with 1/4" (6mm) of seam allowance. Finger press, then topstitch.



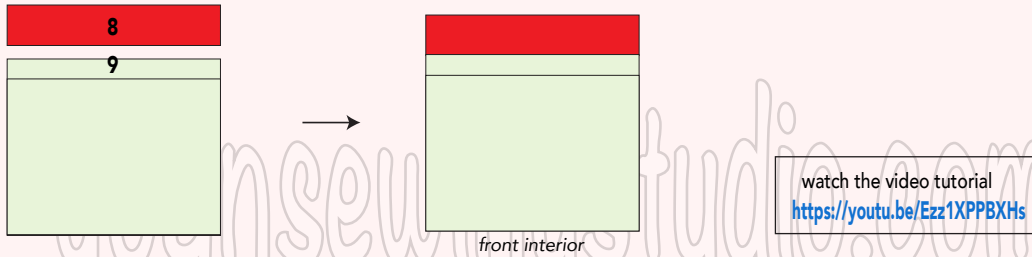
3. Apply FWI on the wrong side of panel 6, then sew panel 6 with the second panel 5 with 1/4" (6mm) of seam allowance. Finger press, then topstitch.



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4. Install the zipper pocket on the back exterior panel
5. Cut 2" (5cm) square notches at the bottom corners of the front and back exterior panels.
6. Assemble the bag exterior with 1/2" (1.2 cm) of seam allowance. Turn the exterior right side out.

7. Apply FWI on the right side of panel 8.
8. Sew and install the interior slip pocket.
9. Sew and install the interior zipper pocket
10. Sew the batting to the wrong side of the lower interior panels, use 1/8" (3mm) seam allowance.
11. Sew the upper interior (panel 8) and the lower interior (panel 9) with 1/4" (6mm) of seam allowance, Press, then topstitch.



12. Install the magnetic snap closure.

Note : if you wish to make this bag with recessed zipper closure, please refer to the direction of the Dewy crossbody bag, follow the zipper closure instructions, then continue here with the rest of the steps. You will need at least a 14" long zipper.
 Link to the video : <https://youtu.be/KnoxsjU3III?t=636>

13. Assemble the bag interior the same way as the bag exterior. Keep the bag interior wrong side out.
14. Sew and install the strap.
15. Assemble the bag with the "drop-in" method as instructed in the video tutorial.
16. Finish the bag with top stitching, and your bag is done.

You may sell the bag that you make from this pattern given that it's a home based business.
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