

# Mina Messenger Bag - Design 1 (Large)

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*Finished bag measurements : approx. 13 1/2" x 10 1/2" x 3 3/4" (34.5 x 26.5 x 9.5 cm)*

## Supplies

Fabric 1 (Main Exterior fabric): 1/2 yard of canvas fabric (54" wide)  
Fabric 2 (Accent Fabric): 1/2 yard of cotton quilting fabric (44" wide)  
Fabric 3 (Lining Fabric) : 2/3 yard of cotton quilting fabric (44" wide)

Notes:

- the yardage requirements are an estimate.
- alternative fabric choice for fabric 1 : denim, heavier linen, home decor fabric.
- alternative fabric choice for fabric 2&3 : linen, canvas.

12" x 30" (30.5 x 77 cm) mid weight firm stabilizer such as decovil light, Pellon 808, or Pellon809

18" x 8 1/2" (46 x 22 cm) fusible woven interfacing - Pellon SF 101

All purpose zipper at least 8" (20 cm) long; for the interior zipper pocket

1" (25mm) inner measurement rectangular rings or d-rings 2x

2x sets of magnetic snap closure 18mm

(optional) - 2x set of rivets, i used medium 5/16" (8mm) size

1/8" or 1/4" basting tape

Polyester thread

Print at "actual size" or "100%.

Do not scale.

Print orientation : Auto

To ensure accuracy open the pattern with Adobe Reader.

Free download at [www.adobe.com/reader](http://www.adobe.com/reader)

## Tools

Basic sewing notions, walking foot, zipper foot, tracing wheel, tracing paper, disappearing fabric marker, pattern weights, (optional) leather hole puncher - if using rivets.

## Cutting

### Flap Exterior/ Interior

cut 1x each from fabric 1 & 2

cut 1x stabilizer

### Front Exterior/ Interior

cut 1x each from fabric 1 & 3

### Back Exterior/ Interior

cut 1x each from fabric 1 & 3

cut 1x stabilizer

### Side Exterior/ Interior

cut 2x each from fabric 1 & 3

cut 2x stabilizer

### Bottom Exterior/ Interior

cut 1x each from fabric 1 & 3

cut 1x stabilizer

### Exterior Pocket

cut 1x each from fabric 2, 3, and

fusible woven interfacing - fuse to the wrong side of fabric 2

### Interior slip pocket

cut 1x each from fabric 2 & 3 : 13" x 7" (33 x 18 cm)

### Interior Zipper Pocket

cut 1x from fabric 3 : 10" x 15" (25.5 x 38 cm)

### Ring Tabs

cut 2x from fabric 2 : 4" x 2 1/2" (10 x 6.5 cm)

### Adjustable Strap

Fabric 1 : 60" x 4" (152.5 x 10 cm)

Notes :

- Seam allowances are 3/8" (1cm) unless otherwise stated in the video.
- If using fabric with directional print, please assess the direction of the print before cutting your pattern to get the desired result.
- Print page 2 first then measure one of the test the square. All the sides of the test square should measure correctly.
- Share on Instagram with #minamessengerbag

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

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Flap Exterior/Interior

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Flap exterior



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male magnetic snap



1 inch

2 cm

test squares  
(test your printer)

Seam allowances are included in this pattern

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terior/interior



cutting line for the BACK/FLAP  
exterior/interior



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Back Exterior/Interior  
Cut 1x each from fabric 1 & 3  
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*back exterior/interior*

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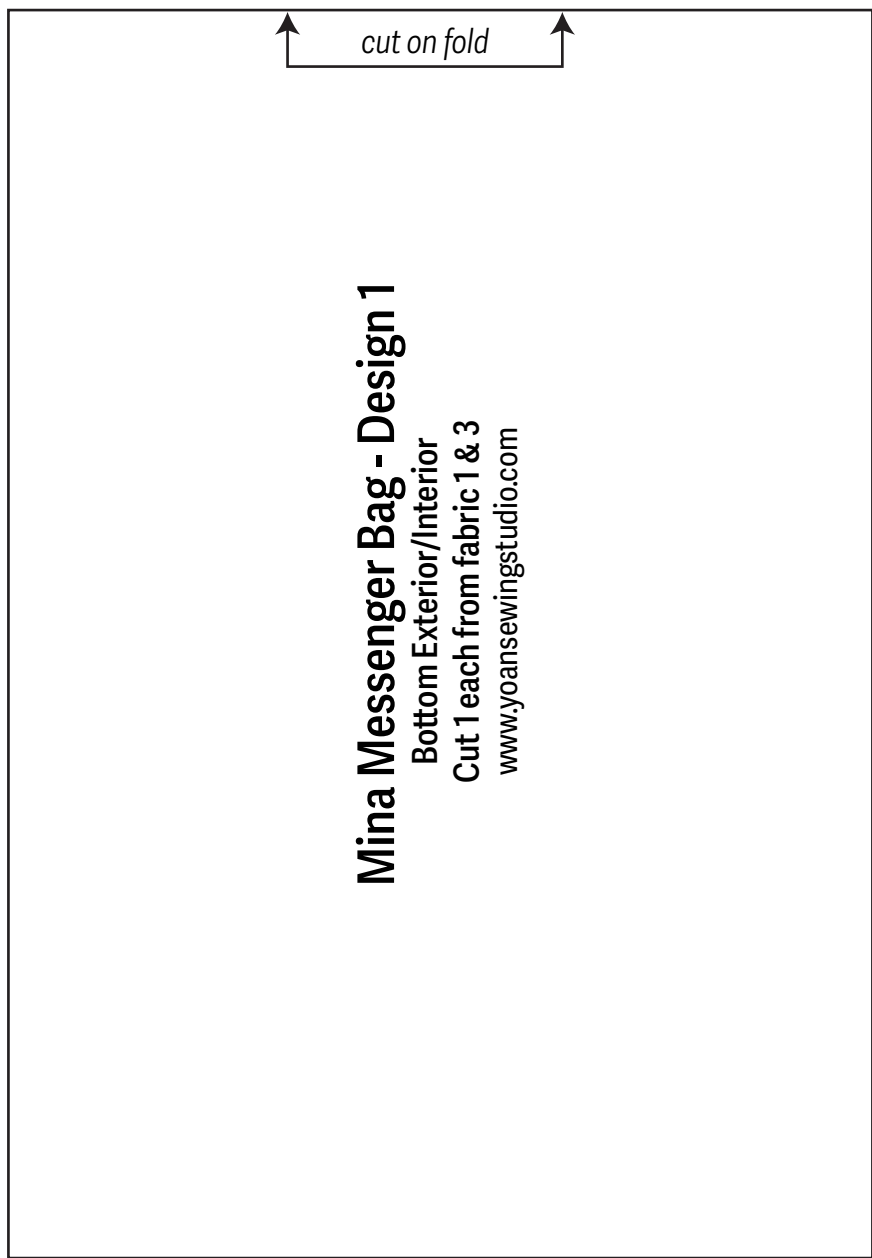
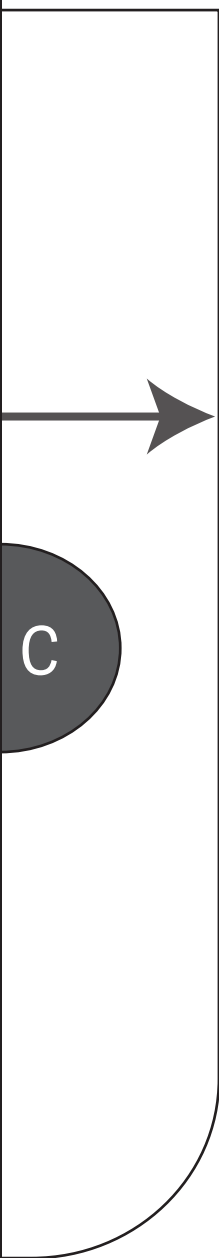


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Side Exterior/Interior  
Cut 2x each from fabric 1 & 3  
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**PATTERN SYMBOLS**



*NOTCHES indicate matching points of the pattern pieces.*



*CUT ON FOLD - indicating the side of the pattern piece to be placed on fold during cutting.*



*Do not cut along the side with this marking.*



*MAGNETIC SNAP - recommended male & female magnetic snap positioning.*



*Double Arrow - indicating a section of a pattern piece.*



*FOLDING DIRECTION - when pleating the front exterior pocket.*

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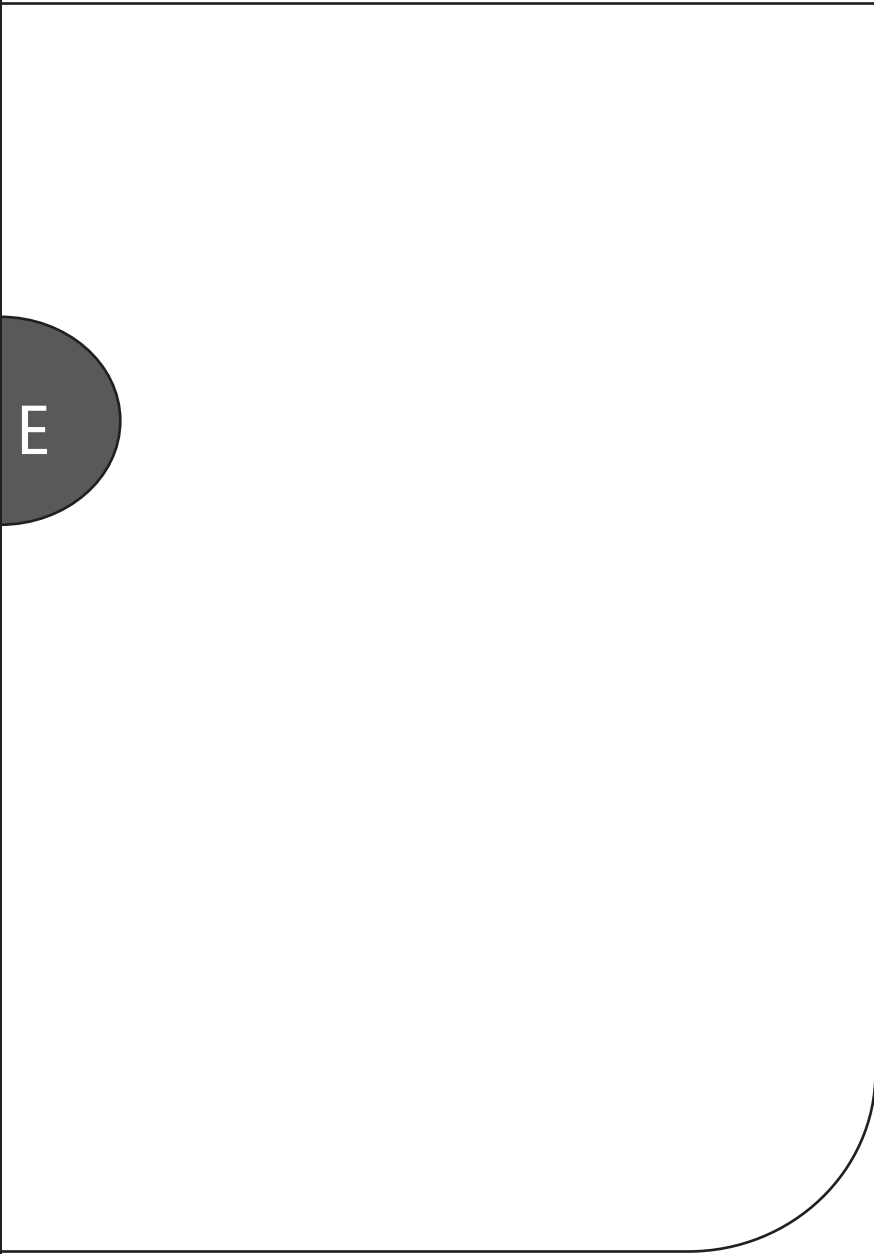
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Front Exterior/Interior

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Flap Stabilizer Cut 1x

Fuse to the wrong side of flap interior (centered)

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Side Stabilizer Cut 2x

Fuse to the wrong side of side interior (centered)

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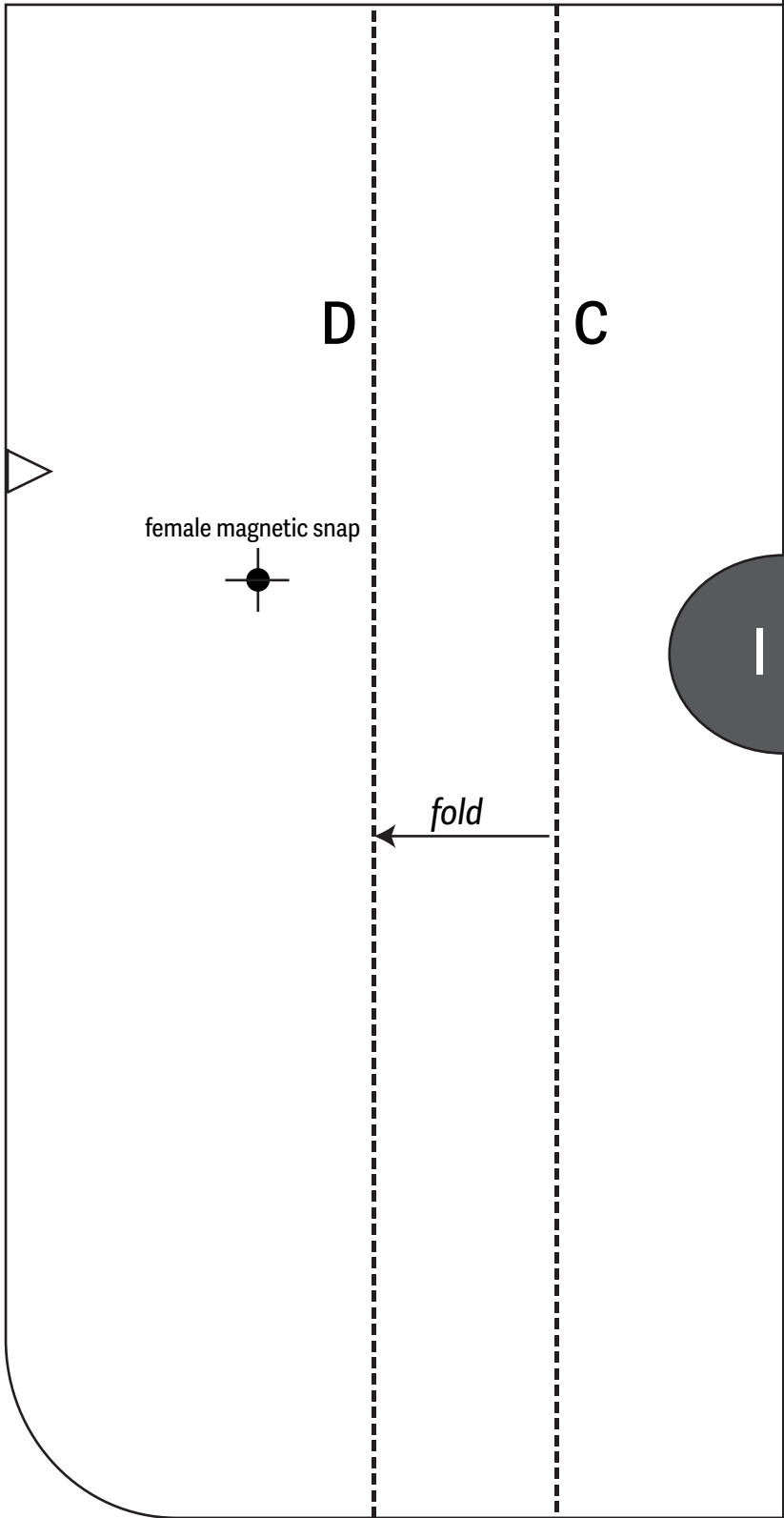
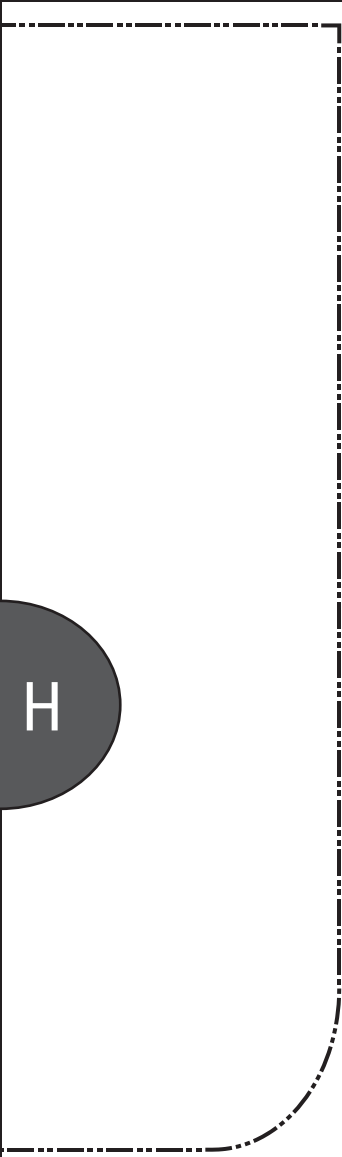
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**Mina Messenger Bag - Design 1**  
Back Stabilizer cut 1x  
Fuse to the wrong side of back interior (centered)  
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**Mina Messenger Bag - Design 1**  
Bottom Stabilizer Cut 1x  
Fuse to the wrong side of bottom interior (centered)  
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Front Pleated Pockets

Cut 1 each from fabric 2 & 3

Cut 1x Fusible woven interfacing

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**A**

*fold*

*cut on fold*