BIKE TO BACK
Bicycle Bag

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FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

| Fabric B | PE-413   | 1/4 yd. |
| Fabric C | PE-431   | 7/8 yd. |
| Fabric D | PE-433   | 1/4 yd. |

MATERIALS NEEDED:

- One (1) White 14” All Purpose Zipper
- Four (4) 1 1/2” Circle Rings
- Structured Fusible

CUTTING DIRECTIONS

- Eight (8) 14 1/2” x 1 1/2” strips from Fabric A
- Two (2) 14 1/2” x 3 1/2” strips from Fabric A
- Two (2) 42” x 2 1/2” strips from Fabric B
- Three (3) 4 1/2” x 14 1/2” strips from Fabric C
- Two (2) 36 1/2” x 3 1/2” strips from Fabric C
- Four (4) 14 1/2” x 1 3/4” strips from Fabric C
- Two (2) 14 1/2” x 11 1/2” rectangles from Fabric C
- Eight (8) 14 1/2” x 1 1/2” strips from Fabric D
- One (1) 36 1/2” x 3 1/2” strips from a structured fusible
- Two (2) 14 1/2” x 11 1/2” rectangles from a structured fusible
BAG CONSTRUCTION

Sew all rights sides together with ¼” seam allowance.

- To construct the back and front of the bag take the eight (8) 14 1/2" x 1 1/2" strips from fabric D and from Fabric A and lay them out following Figure 1.
- Sew them all together with right sides facing each other.

- Sew one of the 14 1/2" x 3 1/2" strips from fabric A to the top of the piece you made in Figure 1.
- Repeat the steps in Figure 1 and 2 for the back of the bag.

- Take the three (3) 4 1/2" x 14 1/2" strips from fabric C and fold them in half following Figure 3. Sew all the way around the piece leaving the bottom open. Turn the piece inside out through the unsewn portion.

- Place the pockets on one of the pieces you made in Figure 1 and 2 with 1/2" spacing between each pocket.
- Fold the unsewn portion of your pocket 1/4” and press.
- Match the bottom of the pocket to the last seam between the 14 1/2" x 1 1/2” from fabric C and A. Sew pockets down starting at one long side of the pocket sewing all the way around. Sew as close to the side of the pocket as possible and stop at the other end. (Figure 4b)
• Take the two (2) 14 1/2” x 1 3/4” strips in Fabric C and sandwich them in between your 14 “zipper.
• Using a zipper foot sew as close to the zipper teeth as possible.
• Sew the two pieces of fabric with right sides together with the zipper sandwiched in between the two pieces of fabric. (Figure 5a and 5b)
• Press fabric away from zipper and topstitch as close the zipper as possible. (Figure 5c)
• Repeat process for the other side of the zipper.

To sew the zipper piece to the bag, take the outer layer of fabric and sew it right sides together to the front of the bag.
• Sew the other side of the zipper piece to the back of the bag the same way.

To make the straps for the back of the bag take the two (2) 42” x 2 1/2” strips from Fabric B.
• Fold strip in half with right sides together and sew 1/4”. (Figure 7a)
• Turn strap inside out with a safety pin. Press. (Figure 7b)
• Repeat this step for other strap.
• Take one of your straps and loop about 1 1/2" of the strap through two of the 1 1/2" circle rings and sew straight across the strap to secure the circle rings. (Figure 8)

• Place it 1 1/2" away from the side of the bag and at the bottom seam between 14 1/2" x 11 1/2" strip from fabric D and 14 1/2" x 1 1/2" strip from Fabric A.

  Figure 8

- Sew strap to bag up 8" sewing as close to the side of the strap.
- Tuck in the end of the strap 1/4" and press.
- Topstitch the remaining strap that is not attached to the bag all the way around to finish the strap.
- Repeat the same process for the other strap.

• Take one of the 36 1/2" x 3 1/2" strips from fabric C and pin it all the way around the sides and the bottom of the front piece of the bag. Once you have it properly pinned sew strip to the front piece of the bag. Repeat the same steps to sew the back of the bag to the other side strip. This strip will create the side and bottom of your bag.

• Now the exterior of your bag is finished.

• Iron the two 14 1/2" x 11 1/2" rectangle fusible pieces to the 14 1/2" x 11 1/2" rectangles from fabric C.

• Iron the 36 1/2" x 3 1/2" fusible strip to the 36 1/2" x 3 1/2" strip from fabric C.

• Now sew these pieces together following the same steps we used to sew the 36 1/2" x 3 1/2" strip to the front pieces of the bag.

• Place lining inside the exterior of the bag.

• Handstitch the lining to the exterior of the bag.

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NOTE: While all possible care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of this pattern, we are not responsible for printing errors or the way in which individual work varies.

Please read instructions carefully before starting the construction of this bag. If desired, wash and iron your fabrics before starting to cut.

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