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ART-43103 AHOGANY BLOCKS



ART-43101 PYROGRAPHY SINOPIA



PE-436 CREME DE LA CREME





FAUX LIGHT TAN LEATHER

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric A ART-43103 % yd.
Fabric B ART-43101 % yd.
Fabric C PE-436 1 yd.
Fabric D Blue Denim % yd.
Fabric E Faux Leather ¼ yd.

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

- One Everything Mary Antique Buckle
- One Everything Mary Small Antique Magnetic Snap
- Pellon Fusible Fleece 987F
- Pellon Ultra Firm Fusible #71
- Leather Hole Puncher

CUTTING DIRECTIONS

- Two (2) 16" x 18" rectangle from Fabric A, C, and Fusible Fleece (Body of Bag)
- One (1) 11" x 12 " rectangle from Fabric B,C, and D (Pocket)
- Two (2) 5 1/2" x 13" rectangle from Fabric D (Pocket Flap)
- Four (4) 1 1/2" x 34" strips from Fabric **E** (Straps)
- Two (2) 3/4" x 9 1/2" strips from Fabric **E** (Buckle Strip)
- 1" x 1" Ultra Firm Fusible

HANDBAG CONSTRUCTION

Sew all rights sides together with ½"seam allowance.

- Fuse fusible to front and back tote (16' x 18' rectangles from Fabric **A**).
- Next take both 5 1/2' x 13' rectangles from Fabric D
 and sew at 1/2' all the way around with right sides
 together, leaving a small unsewn portion to turn
 piece right side out. (Diagram 1)

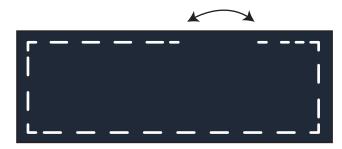


DIAGRAM 1

• Turn piece right side out and tuck in unsewn portion and topstitch around entire piece at 1/4". (Diagram 2)



DIAGRAM 2



Applying the female side of your magnetic snap

- Note: A magnetic snap has two main components, a male side & a female side. The magnetic snap also comes with a backing washer for each component. When you purchase a magnetic snap, you will receive 4 metal pieces in total.
- Take a 11' x 12' rectangle from Fabric **B** and find the center of your piece and measure up from the bottom center of your pocket 6'. (Follow Diagram 3)
- This is where you will be attaching the female side of your magnetic snap

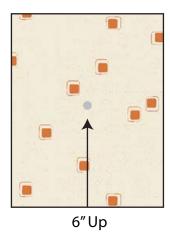


DIAGRAM 3

 At the 6' mark on the wrong side of the fabric fuse the 1' x 1' ultra firm fusible. Remark your 6' mark on fusible and place washer on this point. Mark with a pencil two lines, from top and bottom tracing inside the rectangles on the washer. (Diagram 4)

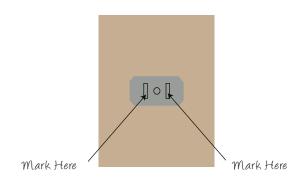


DIAGRAM 4

- Remove the washer and make two slits on those marks using a small pair of sharp scissors.
- Place the arms of the female magnetic snap through the slits from the right side of the fabric.

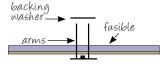


DIAGRAM 5

- Put the washer over the arms from the fusible side.
- Using pliers, fold each arm of the snap out and down in opposite directions around the washer. Make the arms as flat as a possible.

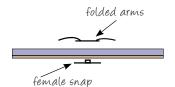


DIAGRAM 6

- Next pin a 11' x 12' rectangle from Fabric C to the back of a 11' x 12' rectangle from Fabric B.
- Place and pin this piece with right side of rectangle **B** to the right side of a 11'x 12' rectangle from Fabric **D**.
- Sew all the way around the pieces leaving a small unsewn portion at the top of your pocket.
- Pull right side of the pocket through the unsewn portion and tuck unsewn portion in and topstitch at 1/4" on the top of your pocket. (Diagram 7)

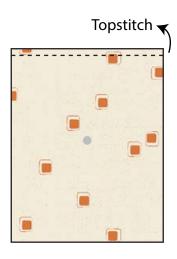


DIAGRAM 7



• Take your 16' x 18' rectangle from Fabric A and find the center of your piece. Measure 3 1/2' up from the bottom center of your 16' x 18' rectangle from Fabric A. Place and pin your pocket piece created in Diagram 7 at this mark. Topstitch the left, bottom and right side of your pocket, securing your pocket to your tote. (Diagram 8)

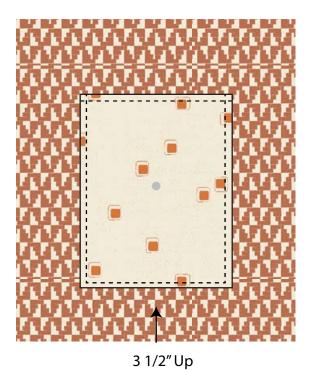


DIAGRAM 8

- Now it's time to create the leather strip that the male side of the magnetic snap will be attached to.
- Take a 3/4' x 9 1/2' strip from Fabric E. Apply
 the male side of the magnetic snap 3' up from
 the bottom of your 3/4' x 9 1/2' strip from Fabric
 E,following the same process as the female side.
 (Diagram 9)



DIAGRAM 9

• Next take the other 3/4' x g 1/2' strip from Fabric **E** and the strip with the magnetic snap. Place wrong sides together and sew a long rectangle on the top of your strip and a smaller rectangle at the bottom of your strip. Sew as close to the top and bottom of the magnetic snap. Follow Diagram 10. Hot glue the two leather strips together where the magnetic snap is.



DIAGRAM 10

- Measure 5 1/2' up from the bottom of your leather strip. Mark and use your hole puncher to punch a hole.
- Thread the buckle through the hole of your leather strip. Center leather strip on top of the flap pocket created in Diagram 2.
- Stitch leather strip to flap pocket sewing on each side of the buckle as close to the buckle as possible. (Diagram
 11) Also secure the top of the leather strip to the top of the flap.

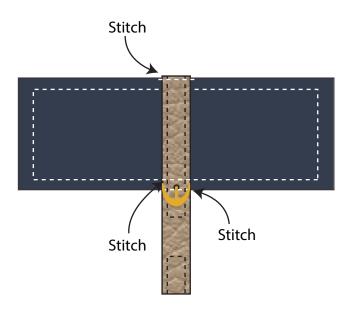


DIAGRAM 11



 Place flap of pocket about 3 1/4' down from the top of the tote, centered to the pocket. (Diagram 12)
 Stitch top of flap to the tote at 1/2'. (Diagram 13)

3 1/4" down

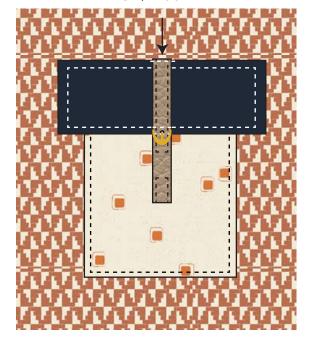


DIAGRAM 12

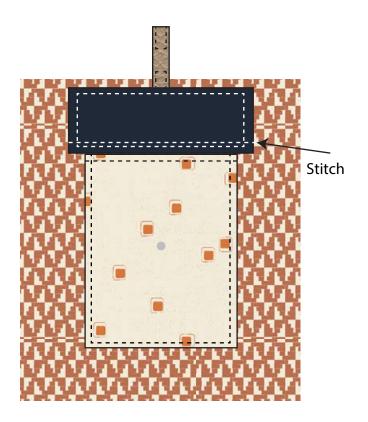


DIAGRAM 13

Creating the straps

- Take two 1 1/2' x 34' strips from Fabric E and place wrong sides together. Topstitch about 1/8' on each long side of your strips.
- Repeat the same process with the other 1 1/2' x 34' strips from Fabric E to get the other strap. (Diagram 14)



DIAGRAM 14

• Fold under each end of strap 1 1/2". Place end of straps 2 1/2" over from each side seams of your front tote and about 3" down from the top of your tote. Sew a 1 1/4" square with an X in it to secure your straps to your tote. Repeat the same process with the other strap and your back tote. (Diagram 15)



DIAGRAM 15

BOX CORNERS

CONSTRUCTION

• We want to box the interior corners to get a really nice flat bottom on the bag; this way the bag will have more body.

- Take the exterior of the bag (wrong side out) and pinch apart the two layers of the bag to get a little triangle on one corner. Flatten it down a little bit and make sure the top and bottom seams are lined up. Hold it tight.
- Place the bag flat on the table. Take the acrylic ruler with the 45° angle and lay it on the corner so that the 45° line is right on the edge of the triangle corner.
- We want to do a 1 1/2" gusset for this bag, so draw a line 1 1/2' long (with the air-erasable marker) right across the bottom of the 45° corner.
- Stitch on top of the marked line. Trim excess fabric if desired, or leave it to add more body to the corner.
- Repeat these steps for the other tote corner and for both lining corners as well.

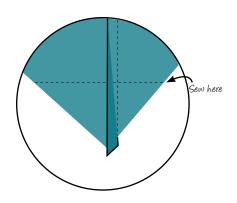


DIAGRAM 16



Assembling the Tote

- Sew front and back tote together as well as the two lining pieces cut in Fabric C, with right sides together.
- Leave a small unsewn portion at the bottom of the lining to pull the right side of the bag through.
- Place exterior of bag inside lining making sure right sides are touching and that the straps are out of the way. Line up side seams, pin lining to the exterior of the bag and sew all the way around the top of your bag at 1/2' seam allowance.
- Pull exterior of bag through the unsewn portion in the lining.
- Handstitch or machine stitch unsewn portion.





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