

# IN THE CITY CROSS BODY BAG

Featuring

## GRAMERCY

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### FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric <b>A</b>	<b>GRA- 3509</b>	1/2 yd.
Fabric <b>B</b>	<b>PE-407</b>	1/2 yd.
Fabric <b>C</b>	<b>PE-442</b>	3/4 yd.
Fabric <b>D</b>	<b>PE-449</b>	1/4 yd.

### CUTTING DIRECTIONS

#### Body of Bag

- One (1) 14 1/2" x 17" rectangle from Fabric **A**
- One (1) 14 1/2" x 17" rectangle from Fabric **C**
- Two (2) 14 1/2" x 17" rectangles from Fabric **B** (lining)
- One (2) 14 1/2" x 17" rectangle from medium weight fusible

#### Sides of Bag

- Two (2) 3 3/4" x 17" rectangles from Fabric **C**
- Two (2) 3 3/4" x 17" rectangles from Fabric **B** (lining)
- Two (2) 3 3/4" x 17" rectangle from medium weight fusible

#### Bottom of Bag

- One (1) 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" rectangle from Fabric **B**
- One (1) 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" rectangle from Fabric **C**
- One (1) 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" rectangle from medium weight fusible

#### Straps

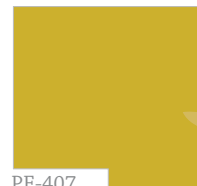
- Two (2) 3 1/2" x WOF strips from Fabric **C**
- One (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strips from medium weight fusible

#### Flap

- Two (2) flap pattern pieces from Fabric **D**
- One (1) flap pattern piece from medium weight fusible



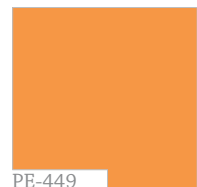
GRA-3509  
Brooklyn Brdige Glare



PE-407  
Empire Yellow



PE-442  
Ocean Waves



PE-449  
Mandarin

## BAG CONSTRUCTION

- Iron two (2) 14 1/2" x 17" fusible to the back sides of the 14 1/2" x 17" rectangles from Fabric **B**.
- Iron two (2) 3 3/4" x 17" fusible to back sides of the 14 1/2" x 17" rectangles from Fabric **B**.
- Iron one (1) 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" fusible to back sides of the 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" rectangle from Fabric **B**.
- Iron one (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip of fusible to one of the back sides of 3 1/2" x WOF strip from Fabric **C**.
- Sew 14 1/2" x 17" rectangle from Fabric **A** to 3 3/4" x 17" rectangle from fabric **C** together with right side together.
- Sew 14 1/2" x 17" rectangle from Fabric **C** to 3 3/4" x 17" rectangle from fabric **C**. Repeat same process with lining pieces.

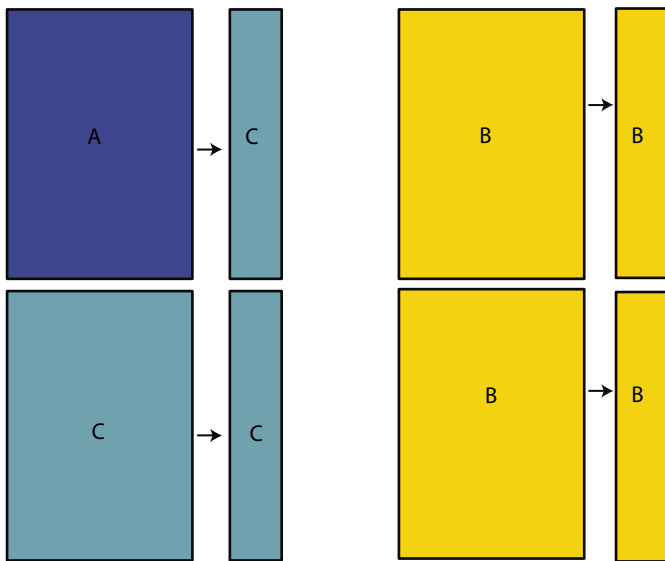
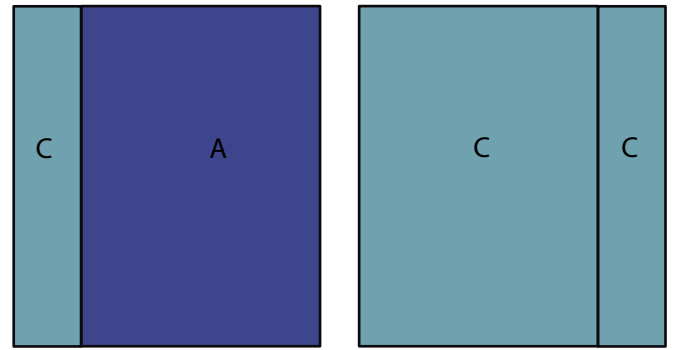


DIAGRAM 1a

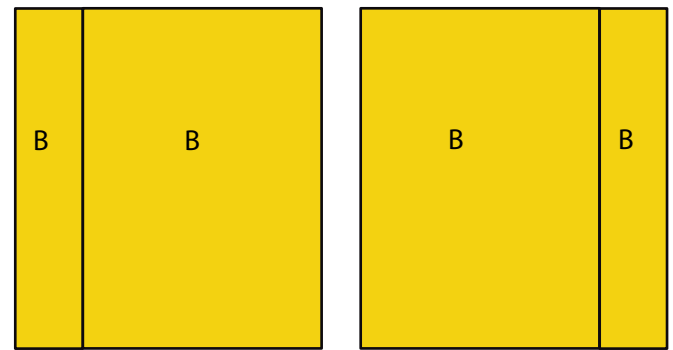
DIAGRAM 1b

- You will have four pieces that look diagram 2a and 2b, sew the exterior of the bag right sides together.
- Repeat with the lining pieces.



Exterior of bag

DIAGRAM 2a



Lining of bag

DIAGRAM 2b

- Pin 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" rectangle from fabric **C** to the bottom of Diagram 3a. Sew the rectangle piece to the bottom of the bag.
- Pin 3 3/4" x 14 1/2" rectangle from fabric **B** to the bottom of Diagram 3b. Sew all the way around leaving a 4" portion unsewn.

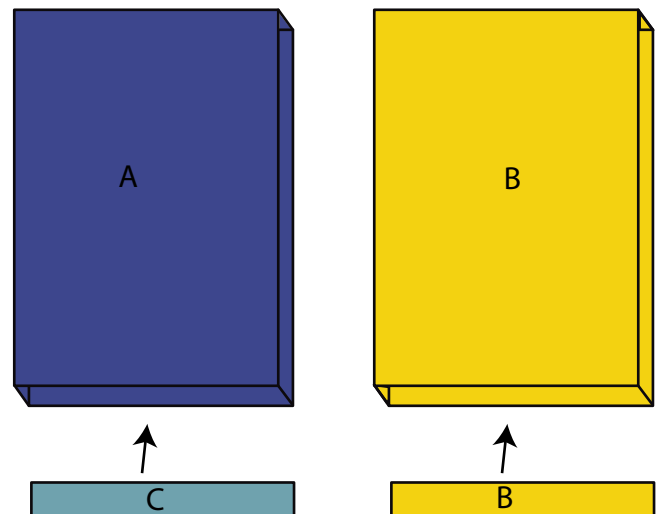


DIAGRAM 3a

DIAGRAM 3b

- Sew one 3 1/2" x WOF from fabric **C** to the other 3 1/2" x WOF strip from fabric **C**, right sides together.
- Use a safety pin to pull right side of fabric out.
- Topstitch strap as close to the side seams as possible on each side of the strap.



DIAGRAM 4a



DIAGRAM 4b

- Sew both of the flap pieces right sides together. Turn right side out and topstitch.

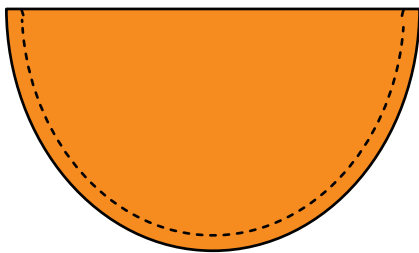


DIAGRAM 5

- Sew flap to one side of the lining on the **RIGHT SIDE** of the fabric. **DIAGRAM 6a**
- Next sew the strap to each side seam of the lining. **DIAGRAM 6b**
- Make sure the strap and flap is facing down.
- Turn lining inside out.
- Place the exterior of the bag inside the lining with right sides facing each other. **DIAGRAM 6c**
- Sew all the way around. **DIAGRAM 6d**

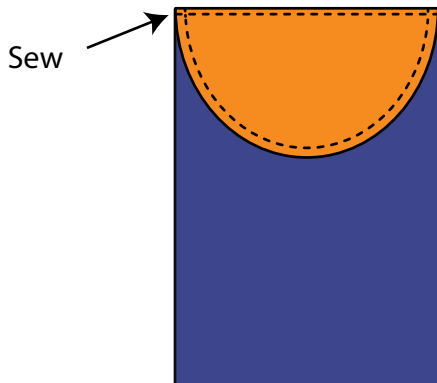


DIAGRAM 6a

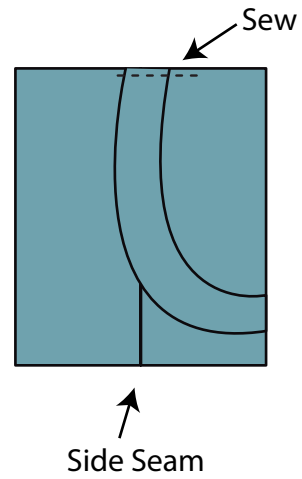


DIAGRAM 6b

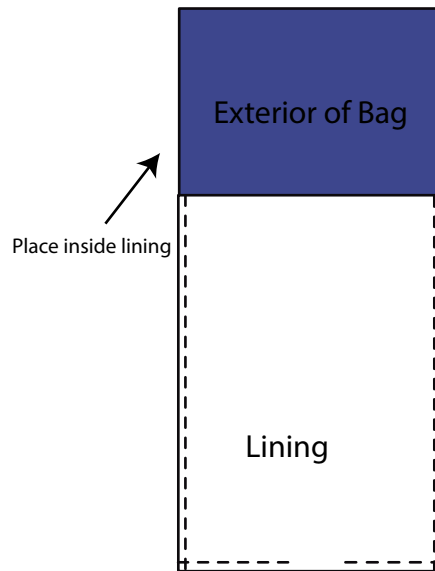


DIAGRAM 6c

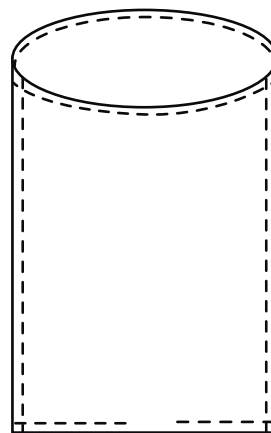


DIAGRAM 6d

- Pull exterior of bag out through the unsewn portion of the lining.
- Hand stitch unsewn portion with a blind stitch.
- Topstitch around the top opening of the bag all the way around.



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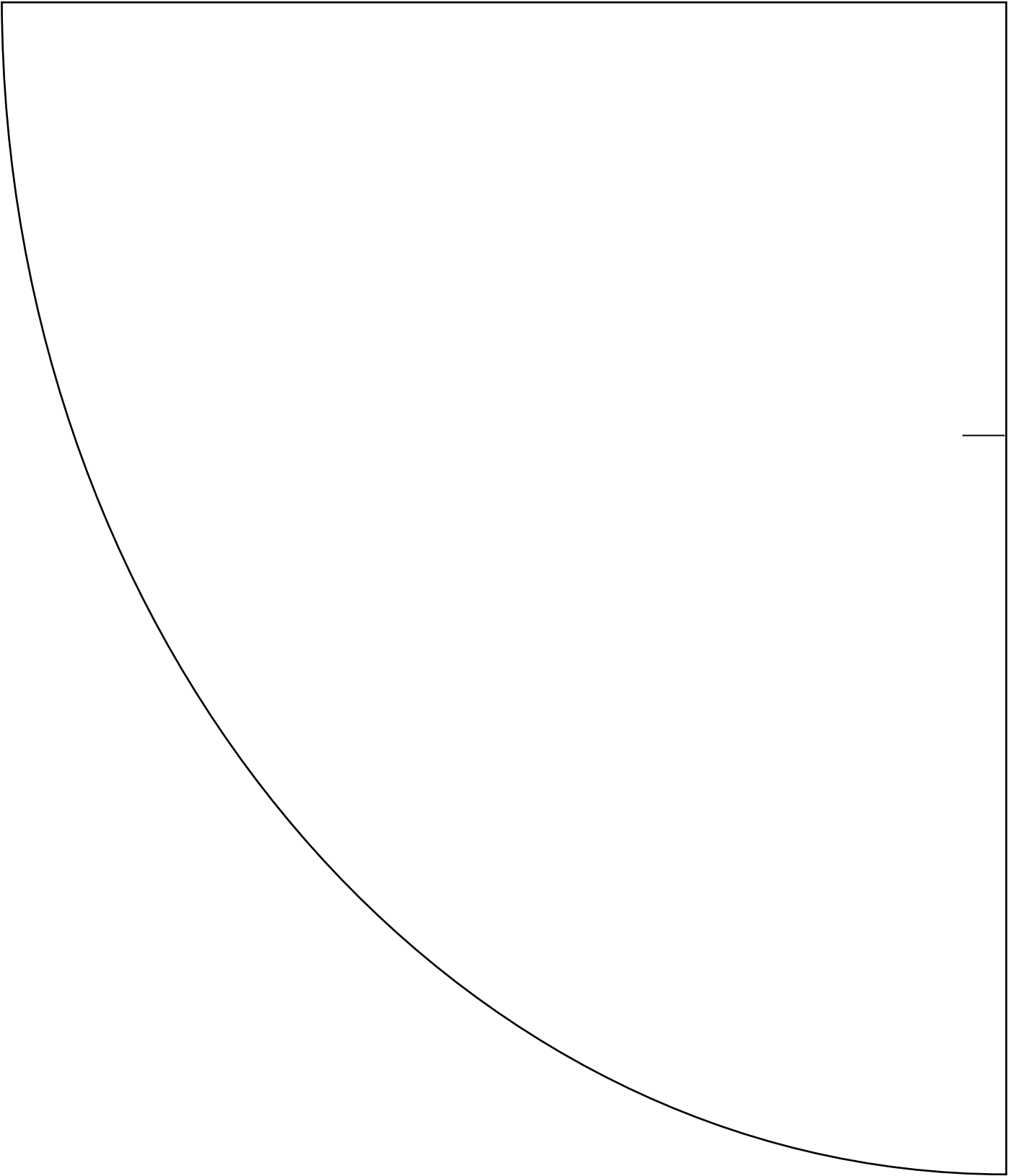
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# Flap Template

Cut and tape together at notches



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