

Sunshiny Day Tote & Zip Pouch



Sunshiney Day Tote

16" x 4" x 16"

Yardage Requirements for Tote:

- 1/3 yd. Print 1
- 3/4 yd. Print 2
- 1 yd. Print 3
- 1 yd. Buckram
- 1 yd. Fusible Fleece (44" wide)
- 1/3 yd. Medium weight interfacing



Please read through instructions carefully before beginning.

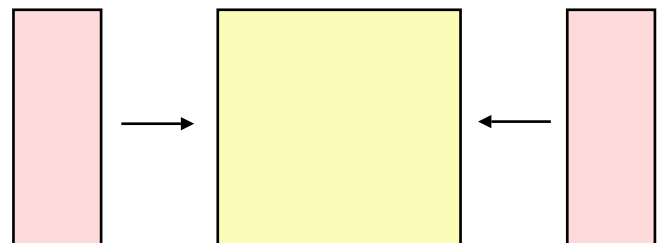
Fabric/Interfacing	# of pcs.	Piece Name	Cut Size	X
Print 1 - Exterior	2	Top (Front/Back)	20 1/2" x 9 1/2"	
Print 2 - Exterior	1	Bottom	20 1/2" x 18 1/2"	
	2	Pocket	9 1/2" x 12 1/2"	
	1	Handles	6" x WOF	
Print 3- Lining	1	Lining	20 1/2" x 36"	
Fusible Fleece	1		20 1/2" x 36"	
Buckram	1		20 1/2" x 36"	
Med. Interfacing	1		6" x 44"	

If print requires fussy cutting to utilize design elements, allow extra yardage.

NOTE: Seam allowances are 1/4" unless stated otherwise.

PREPARATION

Right sides together, sew the Top pieces to either end of the Bottom piece along the 20 1/2" sides. Press the seams.



Fusing:

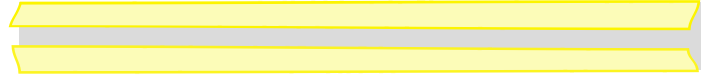
Following the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the fusible fleece to wrong side of Top/Bottom/Top exterior.

Baste the buckram to the wrong side of the Lining.

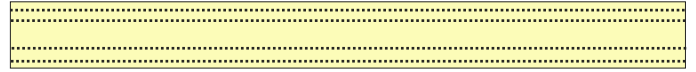
Following the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the interfacing to wrong side of Handle strip.

Handles:

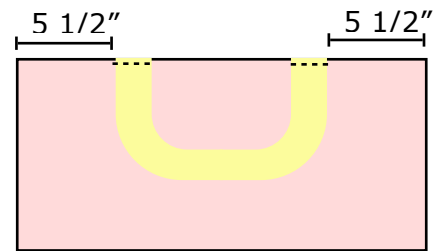
Fold strip in half lengthwise and gently press a crease. Fold raw edges to crease, wrong sides together. Press.



Bring folded edges together and press. Edgestitch down both sides. Topstitch 1/4" from edgestitching. Cut into two 21" pieces.

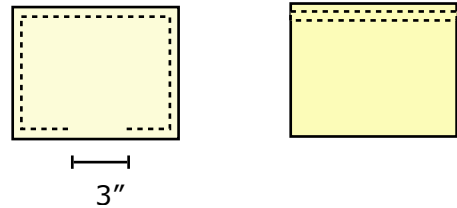


Pin one handle end to right side of bag top. Outer edge of handle should be 5 1/2" from side. Pin other end of handle 5 1/2" from other side. Stitch in place using a scant 1/4" seam allowance. Repeat for other side with



Interior Pocket:

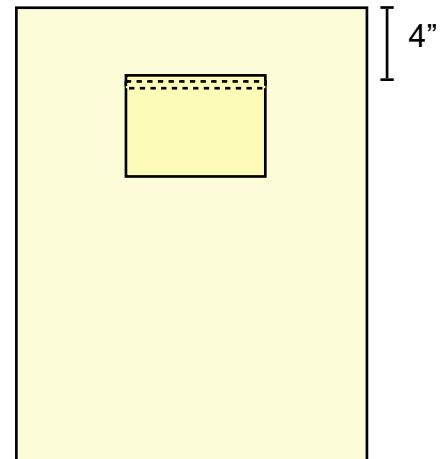
Right sides together, sew pocket pieces together around edges. Leave a 3" gap for turning on one edge.



Clip corners before turning inside out. Slipstitch opening. Press.

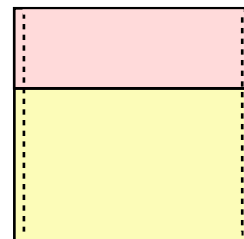
Edgestitch top edge. Topstitch again 1/4" away from previous stitching.

Sew pocket to lining approximately 4" from top edge and centered across back.



ASSEMBLY

Right sides together, sew bag exterior sides. Press the crease at bag bottom.

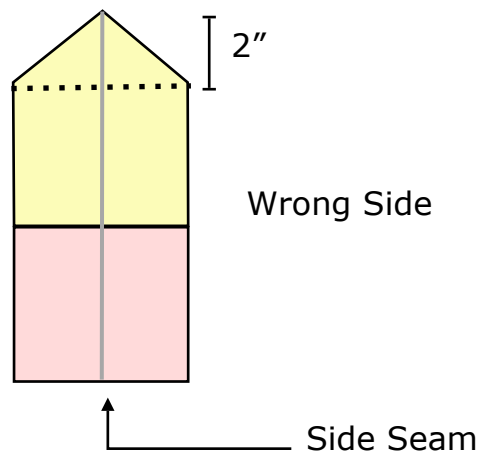


Align crease and side seam. Box the corner 2" from point. Trim off corner. Repeat for other side.

Repeat these steps for lining.

Place bag inside lining, right sides together. Pin top edges and sew around, leaving a gap of approximately 5" for turning.

Turn bag inside out and press. Slipstitch opening closed.



Sunshiney Day Zip Pouch

9 1/2" x 2" x 5 1/2"

Yardage

Quilting Cotton - A	1 Fat Quarter or 1/4 yd.
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Décor Bond	1/4 yd.
Mediumweight Interfacing	
Peltex Stabilizer	1/8 yd.

Cutting Instructions

Cut 2 from template
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2 1/2" x 15" strap
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1/8 yd. 2 1/2" x 15"
2" x 8"

Other supplies: 7" zipper, D ring and swivel hook.

Note: Seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise stated.

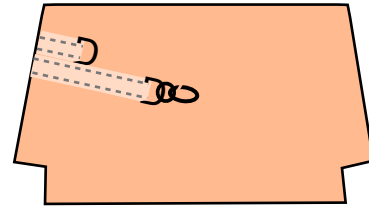
Zip Pouch Instructions

Fuse Mediumweight Interfacing to wrong side of 2 1/2" x 15" piece. Right sides together, sew along long edge. Turn inside out. Press. Edgestitch both sides.

Cut off 2" for D ring tab. Thread through D ring and align raw edges. Pin to one side of exterior approximately 1 1/4" from top edge. Using a scant 1/4" seam allowance, sew in place.

Sew one end of remaining 13" strap directly below D ring tab.

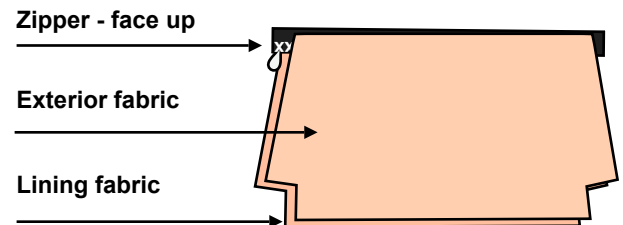
Thread opposite end of strap through swivel hook. Fold raw edge under 3/8" and sew in place approximately 1" from swivel hook.



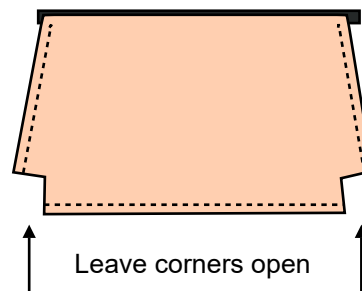
Fuse Décor Bond to wrong sides of exterior pieces.

Pin zipper between right sides of both exterior fabric and lining. Right side of zipper (side with pull) should face right side of exterior fabric.

Using zipper foot, sew through all layers. Fold each fabric back from zipper teeth, wrong sides together. Press. Repeat for other side of zipper.



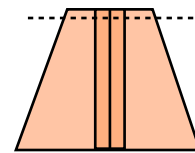
Unzip the zipper at least 4". Right sides together, sew exterior fabric sides and bottom edge separately as shown. Repeat for lining fabric, leaving a gap in the bottom seam of at least 4" for turning.



Finger press seams open. Align the side seam and bottom seam on one side of exterior. Sew.

Repeat for remaining bottom side and for each ottom side of the lining.

Turn pouch inside out through gap. Press carefully.



Insert 2" x 8" piece of Peltex through the gap. Fit in place along bottom of bag.

Slipstitch opening closed. Smooth lining in place on bottom and fuse Peltex in place.

For more fun projects and inspiration, please visit my website: www.100billionstars.com
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Zip Pouch Template

*Featured fabrics are from
Kaffe Fassett's Artisan collection
for Free Spirit.*

