

SACHET PROJECT (In the Hoop) INSTRUCTIONS

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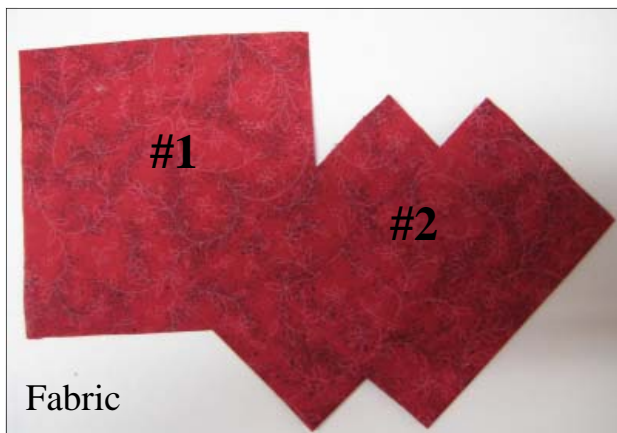
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Supply List

1. 10"-12" piece of cotton fabric (approximate size).
2. Templates for front (1) and back (2) of sachet (see last page)
3. 1 piece of *soft* "tear-away" stabilizer to fit hoop for each design.
4. Rayon Embroidery thread (40 wt), color of your choice.
5. Embroidery machine in good working order.
6. New needle and embroidery foot.
7. Hoop no smaller than 4"
8. Prewound bobbin thread OR wind your own (white or color of design)

Fabric Preparation Instructions

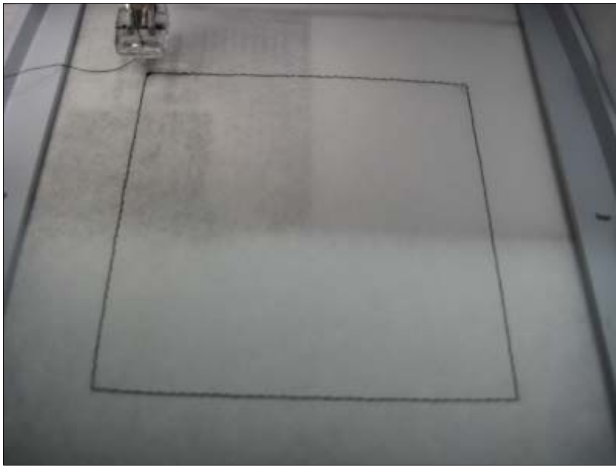
1. Cut one piece of fabric for **front of Sachet**.
2. Cut two pieces of fabric *on the fold* for **back of Sachet**.
3. Hoop "tear-away" stabilizer and attach hoop to machine. Open Sachet design in machine.



Color Sewing Order

There are several “color stops” in the design. These are there so the machine will stop to perform a function, not so you can change thread colors. You can use one color of thread, but if your fabric is very light or very dark, then you might want to use thread color to match the fabric UNTIL you get to the design in the center. Then use the color of thread to contrast with your fabric.

Instructions are using a “temporary spray adhesive” to adhere the fabric to the stabilizer, but you can use a “fabric glue stick” or just hold the fabric in place, if you prefer.



Step #1

Color Stop #1: (Same color of thread as design OR fabric) This is the *placement stitching* for the front square of fabric.



Step #2

Spray the **back** of the front square of fabric and **CENTER** over the placement square.



Step #3

Color Stop #2: Tacks down stitches.



Step #4

Color Stop #3: Monogram letter. (Can change color of thread)



Step #5

Spray one side of one of the *folded back pieces of fabric* and place on top of the front square, making sure that the *fold is toward the center* and that the *raw edges line up with raw edges of the bottom portion of the square.*



Step #6

Color Stop #4. Tacks down stitches for the *folded fabric.* (Can use same color OR color of fabric.)



Step #7

Spray one side of the other *folded back piece of fabric* and place on top of the front square, making sure that the *fold is toward the center* (overlaps the 1st folded piece), and that the *raw edges line up with raw edges of the top portion of the square.*



Step #8

Color Stop #5. Tacks down stitches for the top piece *folded fabric* and finishes sewing all pieces together. (Can use same color OR color of fabric.)



Step #9

Remove fabric and stabilizer from the hoop.

Trim around the finished stitching and round the corners and turn *right-side-out*.



FINISHED DESIGN

Suggestions

1. Stuff with batting and/or cotton lightly soaked with your favorite cologne and use as sachet in your clothing drawers.
2. Stuff with batting and use as a pin cushion
3. Use sheer fabric and stuff with Potpourri. (When using sheer fabric, the “fabric-type” water soluble stabilizer (Vilene, Aqua Mesh, etc.) should be used. Also, match the thread colors for the stitching (other than the center design) to the color of the fabric so it won’t be as noticeable.

Sachet Templates

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