

JUST BEACHY TOTE

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Finished tote measures 16" x 17" x 5"

Pattern Level: Confident Beginner







*"I have basic block construction down
and would like to learn a new trick!"*

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Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	
Option 1		A	AAK-16276-76 REGATTA	1/4 yard
		B	M177-1395 YELLOW	1/2 yard
				<p>You will also need:</p> <p>3/4 yard of lining fabric</p> <p>2 yards of woven fusible interfacing</p> <p>2 yards of 2" wide cotton webbing</p>
Option 2		A	AAK-16277-76 REGATTA	1/4 yard
		B	M177-1192 LIME	1/2 yard
				<p>You will also need:</p> <p>3/4 yard of lining fabric</p> <p>2 yards of woven fusible interfacing</p> <p>2 yards of 2" wide cotton webbing</p>
Option 3		A	AAK-16275-60 PACIFIC	1/4 yard
		B	M177-1376 TURQUOISE	1/2 yard
				<p>You will also need:</p> <p>3/4 yard of lining fabric</p> <p>2 yards of woven fusible interfacing</p> <p>2 yards of 2" wide cotton webbing</p>

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Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/2" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

Cutting Instructions

Fabric A

- Cut two rectangles 8" x 19"

Fabric B

- Cut two rectangles 13" x 19"

Fabric C

- Cut two rectangles 19" x 20"

Fusible Interfacing

- Cut two rectangles 19" x 20"

Cotton Webbing

- Cut two strips 30" long

Assembly Instructions

Assemble the Exterior Bag

Step 1:

- Sew Fabric A and Fabric B together along the long side to make 1 Exterior Panel.
- Repeat this for the other Fabric A and Fabric B pieces to make a second Exterior Panel.

Step 2:

- Fuse the interfacing to the wrong sides of your two Exterior Panels, following the manufacturer's instructions.

Step 3:

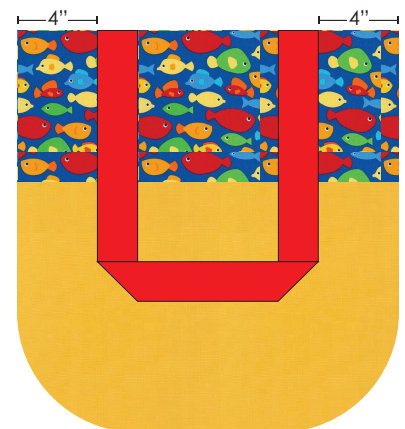
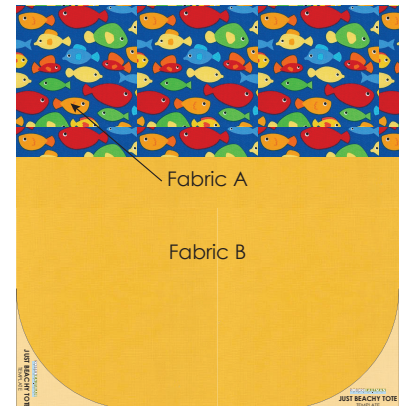
- Place the curved template at each of the bottom corners. Trace the curve using a fabric marker and trim away the excess. Repeat for the second exterior panel.

Step 4:

- On the outside of an Exterior Panel, measure 4" in from the left side and place a cotton webbing strip with raw edges aligned.
- Pin in place and baste with an 1/8" seam allowance.
- Measure 4" in from the right side and baste the other end of the webbing strip the same way.

Step 5:

- With the right sides together, and the handles tucked in between the layers, sew the Exterior Panels together down both 20" sides and across the 19" bottom. Backstitch at the beginning and end of your seams.



Make the Bag Lining

Step 1:

- Trace curved template onto the lower corners of the lining, just as you did with the exterior.

Step 2:

- With the right sides together, sew the two Fabric C pieces together down both 20" sides and around the curve toward the bottom, stopping each row of stitches in order to leave a 6" opening in the bottom seam for turning the bag right side out.
- Turn the Lining right side out.

Step 3:

- Slip the Bag Lining into the wrong side out Exterior Bag, matching up the top raw edges and the side seams and pin in place. Make sure that the handles are tucked down in between the Exterior and Lining.
- Sew around the top edge using a 1/2" seam allowance. Backstitch over the handles to reinforce.

Step 4:

- Reaching in through the 6" hole that you left in the lining, turn the entire bag right side out and then stitch the hole in the lining closed using an 1/8" seam allowance.

Step 5:

- Nestle the lining down into the exterior of the bag and give the top seam a good press.
- Make sure that side seams are aligned, and curved corners are pushed out and then sew around the top of the bag with an 1/8" seam allowance. Give the outside of the bag one more press and you are done!

1" box for
scale

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TEMPLATE