

Sew and Go Bag

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# **SEWING SUPPLIES**

- H|CLASS™ 100Q sewing machine by HUSQVARNA VIKING®
- 35"  $\times$  55" (88  $\times$  140 cm) Beige heavy weight cotton fabric for bag and bag lining.
- 5-1/2" x 55" (14 x 140 cm) pink imitation leather fabric
- 14"  $\times$  30" (36  $\times$  76 cm) of 2 different beige lightweight fabrics such as silk organza for bias strips on bag front.
- 17-1/2"  $\times$  35" (44  $\times$  88 cm) Heavy fusible interfacing for the lining
- 17-1/2" x 17" (44 x 44 cm) Tear-a-way stabilizer for the front
- Button
- · Sewing thread to match imitation leather
- · Sewing thread to match bag fabric
- Robison Anton 40 wt. rayon embroidery thread in pink and purple colors.
- Bobbin thread
- · Pictogram pen
- · Pressing cloth
- · Rotary cutter, ruler and mat
- · Glue stick

# **HUSOVARNA VIKING® ACCESSORIES**

HUSQVARNA VIKING® Non-stick Glide Foot H, #412796145

# **CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS**

From beige cotton fabric cut:

2 pieces 17-1/2"  $\times$  17-1/2" (44  $\times$  44 cm) for bag

2 pieces 17-1/2" x 17-1/2" (44 x 44 cm) for bag lining.

6 strips, I 3/4" x 55" (4.5 x I40 cm) for bag handles.

5 strips cut on bias 3/4" x 17-1/2" (2 x 44 cm).

From pink imitation leather fabric cut:

2 bag bottom pieces from attached pattern.

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2 bag top bands  $2-1/2" \times 17-1/2"$  (6.3 x 44 cm) I piece  $3/8" \times 10-1/2"$  (1 x 27 cm) for closing strap

I strip I"  $\times$  I3" (2.5  $\times$  33 cm) for tassel strap

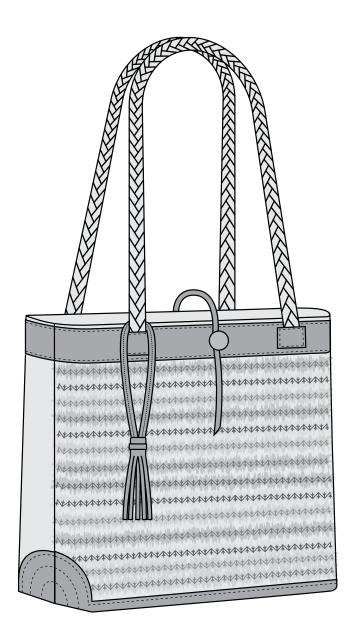
I piece  $4.5" \times 6"$  (II  $\times$  I5 cm) for tassel fringe.

4 pieces  $1-1/8" \times 1-5/8"$  (3 x 4 cm) for covering handle ends.

From I beige lightweight fabric cut:

5 strips on bias 3/4" x 17-1/2" (2 x 44 cm)

From remaining beige lightweight fabric cut: 4 strips on bias 3/4" x 17-1/2" (2 x 44 cm).



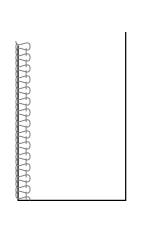


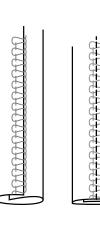
#### CONSTRUCTION

- Fuse heavy interfacing to wrong side of both 17-1/2" x 17-1/2" (76 x 76 cm) bag lining pieces. Use pressing cloth when pressing imitation leather.
- Thread your H|CLASS™ 100Q sewing machine with pink sewing thread top and bobbin. Attach non-stick glide foot H.
- Measure down ½" on the top of the bag front and back piece.
- Place wrong side of pink imitation leather top band to right side of the 17-1/2" x 17-1/2" (76 x 76 cm) bag front and bag back pieces matching raw edge of imitation leather to the ½" mark on the front and back pieces. Straight stitch along top and bottom edge of pink imitation leather.
- Place the wrong side of pink imitation leather bag bottom pieces to the right side of the bag front and bag back matching the bottom and side edges. Edge stitch in place along top of imitation leather.
- Sew another row ½" (1.3 cm) away from the first row of edge stitching.
- Sew a third row ½" (1.3 cm) away from the second row of stitching.
- On the front bag piece mark with ruler and pictogram pen placement lines for the bias strips. Measure down from top band ½" (1.3 cm) and draw a line parallel to the edge of the imitation leather.
- Continue to draw lines  $\frac{3}{4}$ " (2 cm) apart on the bag front stopping  $\frac{3}{4}$ " (2 cm) from bottom pink imitation leather.
- Center the bias strips on the drawn lines alternating the three different fabrics and pin in place.
- Place stabilizer behind the bag front piece.
- Attach Presser foot B
- Sew a decorative stitch down the center of the bias strips using the pink and purple Robison Anton 40 wt rayon embroidery threads in the top of your machine and bobbin thread in the bobbin. Remove pins as you come to them. We have used stitch #16.
- Remove stabilizer from behind decorative stitches.
- Pull out threads on the strips to make them fray. Or rub a piece of heavy weight cotton fabric over strips to fray/distress them.

## **HANDLES**

- Thread sewing machine with sewing thread to match bag fabric top and in bobbin.
- Finish one long sides of each strip with an overlock stitch. Fold 1/3
  of the long unfinished edge to the wrong side. Fold the finished long
  edge to the wrong side overlapping the unfinished edge. Press and
  from the right side sew a straight stitch down the middle of the strip.









- Braid 3 strips together. Cut to your desired length and sew across the bottom to secure.
- Place ends of one braided handle on the front imitation leather top band 5-1/2" (14 cm) in from both side seams and approx 1-1/4"
   (3.2 cm) down on top band. Sew along bottom edge of handle.
- Repeat for the remaining 3 strips and attach to back bag.
- Center the 1-1/8" x 1-5/8" (3 x 4 cm) imitation leather pieces over each handle end and edge stitch in place to cover handle ends.
- Sew bag front to bag back on both sides with 3/8" (1 cm) seam allowance. Match edges of imitation leather.
- Press open. Use pressing cloth over imitation leather.
- Sew bottom seam with 3/8" (1 cm) seam allowance. Press open. Use pressing cloth over imitation leather.

#### **CREATE BAG BOTTOM**

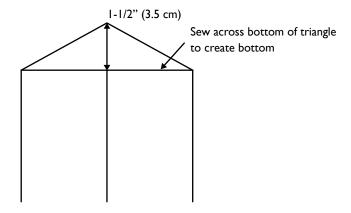
- At bottom of bag, match side seam to bottom seam right sides together. Measure up from corner seam I-I/2" (3.5 cm) and sew across corner.
- Repeat for other side of bag bottom.

# **BAG LINING**

- Sew the bag lining pieces right sides together along side seams leaving one side open approx. 5" for turning.
- Sew bag bottom together.
- Create bag bottom the same as the bag see illustration above.

# **SEW BAG TOGETHER**

- Place imitation leather closing strap right sides together to bag back. Center the short edge with top edge of bag back and rest of closing strap towards bag bottom.
- Pin bag lining right sides to right sides of bag matching side seams and raw edges and keeping bag handles out of the way.
- Sew in place with straight stitch with 3/8" (1 cm) seam allowance.
- Turn right sides out through opening left in bag lining.
- Give final press to bag. Sew lining side seam shut.
- Sew button to center of bag top imitation leather band.
- Wrap strap around button to close.







# **TASSEL**

- Attach non stick glide foot H and thread machine with matching sewing thread top and bobbin.

#### Tassel strap:

- Fold long edges of  $1" \times 13"$  strip (2.5 x 33 cm) to center and from the right side sew a straight stitch down the middle of the strip.
- Place strap around one of the front bag handles.

## Tassel fringe:

- Cut I piece of pink imitation leather 4-1/2"  $\times$  6" (11  $\times$  15 cm). On the wrong side draw a line 1-1/2" (3.5 cm) from one long edge.
- Cut up to the line (3" long strips) approximately every 1/4" (6 mm).
- Fold top long edge down 3/8" (1 cm) to the wrong side. Use glue stick to secure.
- Start to wrap the fringe together from one short end. When you get close to the end catch one end of the strap end in the tassle.
   Glue in place to hold. Finish wrapping the tassel catching the other end of the strap in place. Glue to secure the opposite end of the strap. Strap ends should be opposite each other in the last wrap of the tassel.
- Cut 1/4" (0.6 cm) wide strip of pink imitation leather fabric and tie around top of tassel to finish.

