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MOTHER'S DAY CUP HOLDER

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PROJECT SHEET



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WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- .50cm fabric
- Pins
- Scissors
- Thread
- Measuring tape
- Sewing Machine
- Iron

Step 6-

HANDLE CONSTRUCTION:

Step 1- Fold your handle piece of fabric in half and press with the iron. Pressing your handle will ensure that it is even all the way down and make it easier to top stitch later.

Step 2- Fold both sides of the open edge in .5 cm into the center of the handle and then pin both edges together.

Step 3- Using your machine straight stitch down the open pinned edge with a .5cm hem.

Step 4- Top stitch down the folded side. Sewing on both sides of the strap will provide more stability to your handle.

Tip: Try using contrasting patterns or colors with your strap to add more personalization.

CUP HOLDER BODY CONSTRUCTION:

Step 1- Begin with one of the main body pieces. Fold it in half with right sides facing and pin the open side together. Using your sewing machine straight stitch down the open side.

Step 2- Using pins, take the bottom of the cup holder piece and divide the circle into quarters. Mark with a pin each quarter point. Do this with the cup holder body piece as well. With right sides facing, match the quarter circle points on the bottom of the cup holder and the cup holder body.

Tip: You may need to adjust your pins as you pin the circle to the base of the cup. Take your time pinning these pieces together as you want to avoid creating darts and folds when sewing them together.

Step 3- Once the two pieces are pinned together straight stitch sew them together. Using your scissors, you may want to either trim some of the raw edge or cut a few slits around the circle. Doing this removes some of the bulk of the seam when turning out your piece. Make sure you do not cut too close to the stitching or you may create a hole.

Step 4- Repeat step 1-3 with the other cup holder body piece. You will now have two cup shapes.

CONSTRUCTING THE CUP CARRIER:

Step 1- Take one of your cup shapes you have created and turn it right side facing out. Using the pattern notches as a guide pin the strap ends opposite each other on the cup body. Note that the edge of the strap and cup should be meeting; this means the strap will look like it is being attached upside down hanging under the cup.

Tip: Ensure that your strap is not twisted before sewing.

Step 2- Insert the strap and the body of the cup carrier into the second cup carrier piece so that right sides are facing and they are sitting snug like stacked cups.

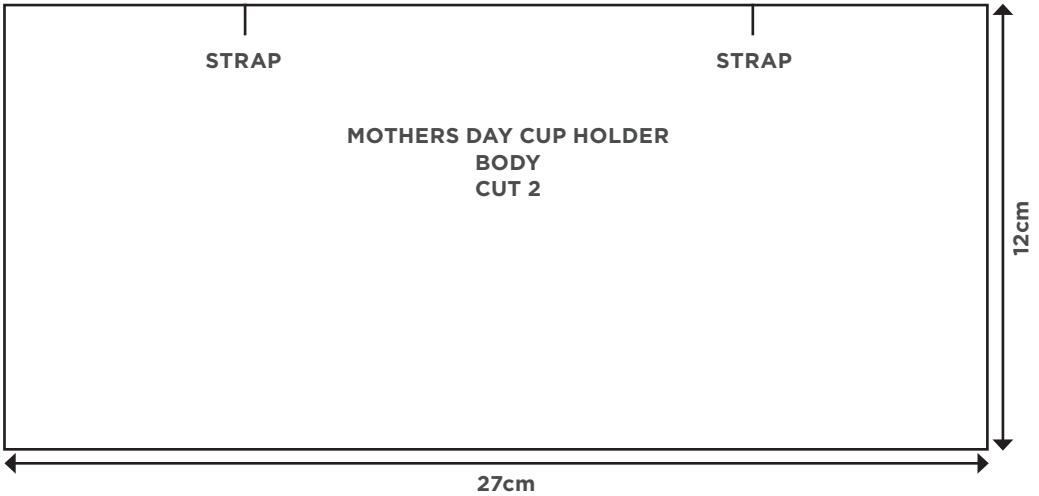
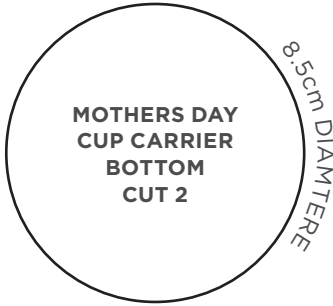
Step 3- Using your sewing machine sew around the edge of the cups sew over and between the straps joining the two cup bodies - ensuring that you are sewing through the strap ends.

Step 4- Using the opening you have left between the strap ends turn out your project. Using your hand gently push one cup body into the other.

Step 5- Fold the open raw edge inside the two pieces of fabric and top stitch to secure the edge and the opening.

Step 6- Trim any loose threads and your cup carrier is ready!

SCALE: 50%



SCALE: 33.33%

