

MATERIAL

Velvet border :

24 pieces of 14 cm

+1.30m of border for the sides of the bag.

Cotton for lining:

2 rectangles of 40 x 53cm

+ 130 x 14cm for the sides.

Iron-on fleece, fairly firm.

Removable handles or strap

LEVEL: medium

Seam allowance: 8 mm



- 1 Choose the position of your velvet squares to create a pretty composition (put the velvet in the same direction or alternate for a "weaving" effect)
Right sides together, assemble strips of 4 squares and stitch them together to obtain 2 panels of 4 x 3 squares.



- 2 Cut the large velvet strip in half and join the two pieces head to tail. Locate the centre of the panels and pin to the centre of the border. Stitch the 2 rectangles to the border to form the velvet bag.



- 3 Heat seal the fleece to the lining and make the same bag in cotton (remember to leave a 10cm opening at the bottom to turn the bag inside out).

- 4 Push the lining bag into the velvet bag, right sides together.

(If you want webbing handles, insert them between the two layers).



- 5 Stitch the top of the bag together, making sure the seams match. Turn over.
Topstitch the top of the bag and close the opening at the bottom of the lining.

Tip: If you want an inside pocket, add one in step 3!