

Keep your cosmetics organized in personalized cosmetic bags. It's simple to make - perfect for a quick gift for yourself or a friend.

Cosmetic Bags

Skill Level: Beginner

Supplies:

- Baby Lock Trend-setting Sofia²
 Sewing and Embroidery Machine
- ½ yard pink double-faced quilted fabric
- ½ yard of floral print cotton
- 9" zipper
- 7" zipper
- · Rose pink embroidery thread
- · All-purpose sewing thread
- Steam-A-Seam2® fusible web
- Brown medium rickrack
- 1/8"-1/4" wide pink trim
- Cut-Away Mesh stabilizer
- · Iron and ironing board
- · Rotary cutter, mat and ruler
- Chalk

INSTRUCTIONS:

- For the large bag, cut a rectangle from the pink double-faced quilted fabric 17" x 9½".
 Cut a piece of the floral print cotton 9" x 9½".
- 2. On the pink quilted piece, measure 41/4" down from both short ends and draw a line with chalk.



 For the small bag, cut a rectangle from the pink double-faced quilted fabric 14" x 7".
 Cut a piece of the floral print cotton 7" x 7".

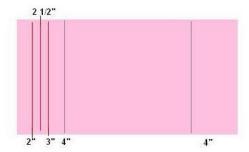


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INSTRUCTIONS continued:

 On the pink quilted piece, measure 4" down from both short ends and draw a line with chalk. Draw three additional lines on one side as guidelines for the decorative stitches spacing them approximately ½" apart.



- 2. Following the manufacturer's directions for the Steam-A-Seam2® fusible web, fuse one side of the paper-backed fusible web to the wrong side of the floral print pieces.
- Fuse the floral pieces to the outside of the pink quilted pieces between the first set of chalked lines.
- 4. Thread the machine with the decorative thread.
- 5. For the large bag, set the machine up for embroidery mode. Select a font and program in the initials for the monogram.
- Hoop the stabilizer and one end of the pink quilted piece, centering it for embroidery.
- 7. Embroider the monogram.
- Once the embroidery is complete, remove the item from the hoop and remove any excess jump threads or stabilizer.

- For the small bag, select the sewing letters and program in the following: spaces "Blush", spaces "Lipstick", spaces "Eye Shadow", spaces. Stitch this combination across the center line.
- Chose a decorative stitch and stitch along the remaining two chalked lines above and below the sewn lettering.
- 11. Baste along the short sides of the floral piece to secure the piece in place.
- 12. Layer the pink trim on top if the brown rickrack along the edge of the floral print fabric covering the raw edge. Stitch in place using a straight stitch.



- 13. Repeat adding the layered trims to the other side.
- 14. Thread the machine with all-purpose sewing thread.
- 15. Match the right side of the zipper to the right side of the pink quilted fabric and topstitch one side of the zipper tape in place.
- 16. Repeat for the other side of the zipper to create a centered zipper.
- 17. Fold the pieces right side together so the wrong sides are facing out.
- 18. Open the zipper partially. Stitch along the side seams.
- 19. To make the bag sit, pull the corners into a point and measure approximately 1" in from the point. Stitch across the point and repeat for the other side.
- 20. Turn the bag right side out through the zipper.
- 21. To create a decorative zipper pull, thread a small piece of rose trim through the zipper head and tie a knot to secure it.

