

WHAT YOU WILL NEED

Janome Sewing Machine (we used MC15000QM)
Janome Purple needle - size 14
Janome Ribbon Sewing Guide (fits 7mm/9mm models)
Zig Zag Foot
Zipper Foot
Satin Stitch Foot **F** or Single AcuFeed Foot
Machine screwdriver (change over screw-on feet)
1 x Janome plastic bobbin wound with sewing thread
Scissors or thread snips
Cutting Mat
Rotary Cutter and Quilt ruler
Dressmaking Pins

FABRIC & NOTIONS

Main Fabric - fat quarter
Fabric for lining - fat quarter
Fusible Fleece or Iron-on pellon (optional for body)
1 x reel of sewing thread to match fabric (small reel)
50cm Ribbon to suit project (we used 9mm)
Thread for decorative stitching on ribbon
20cm (8") zip to match main fabric

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS (one each of the following)

Main Fabric & Lining Fabric each 11½" x 8"
Fusible Fleece 11" x 7½"



INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1

Iron fusible fleece/pellon to the wrong side of the main fabric. Press into place.

Tip: Place on fabric making sure there is a ¼" all the way around main fabric.

Step 2

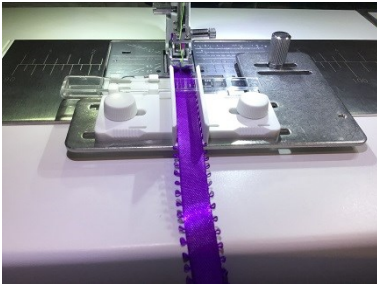
Fold the length of lining fabric in half, right sides out. The fabric fold should be 8". On each side of the fabric fold, mark in 1 and into the fold mark ¾". Then cut both sides. See below image.

Do the same with the piece of main fabric.



Step 2

Thread machine with your selected thread for decorative stitching on your ribbon.
 Attach the Ribbon Sewing Guide to your machine, following the instructions supplied with the guide.
 Lay your ribbon in the guide.
 Attach the foot you wish to use, usually F foot.
 Select your stitch, do some test stitching first.
 Then stitch the length of ribbon you require.



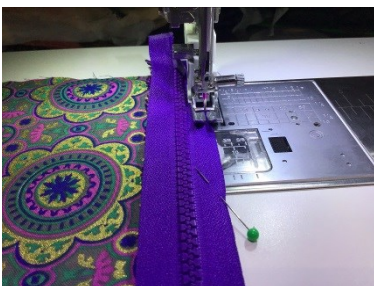
Step 3

Remove the Ribbon Sewing Guide.
 Place the ribbon on the desired position on your main fabric piece and stitch down.
 We used the same thread colour as the ribbon and stitched down with a serpentine stitch.



Step 4

Main fabric right side facing up, place the zip wrong side down along the 8" top. Attach the zipper foot and straight stitch together with a 1/8" seam.



Take the lining fabric and pin it along the sewn seam with the zipper between the 2 fabric pieces.

Stitch a 6mm seam, firstly, check the zipper will open and close, adjust seam width accordingly.

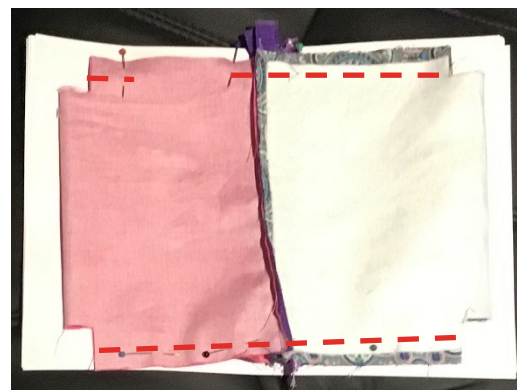


Do the same technique on the other end of the fabrics. When sewn you will have a tube with a zip.

Step 5

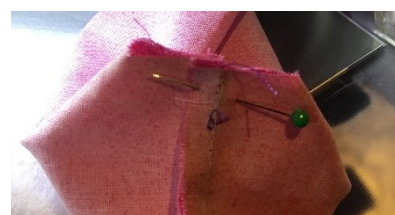
Change to Zig Zag Foot. Turn out so you have right sides together, the main fabric on one end and the lining on the other - see below image.

Seam along both sides, leaving on opening on one side of the lining fabric approx. 3.5"



Step 6

Pin each corner and stitch closed.



Step 7

Turn the bag through to the right side out.
Then stitch closed the open in the lining.

Finish.

