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SEWING PATTERNS



fabric leaves

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Pattern!*

Fabric Leaves

SEWING PATTERN INCLUDES:

Instructions, measurements and pattern pieces to create your own **FABRIC LEAVES**.

A burst of nature with a modern approach. Liven up your homestead with this colorful accent piece.

Fabrics shown are from Amy's Nigella collection from Rowan.

Pattern design and instructions by Brice Corder of Green Velvet. Visit www.mygreenvelvet.com

Materials List:

- For making 4 branches with 6-8 leaves each:
- 8 coordinating 1/8 yard pieces of 44" or 54" wide light to mid-weight cotton fabric
- 1/2 yard of heavyweight double-sided fusible Peltex
- 4 lightly wired silk flower branches with approximately 6-8 stems

Tools Needed:

- Iron/Ironing board
- Scissors
- Pinking shears
- Heavy duty sewing machine needles (size 16)

Step 1.

MAKE THE 1ST BRANCH WITH LEAVES

- A. Cut out the leaf and interfacing pattern pieces.
-Cut 16 leaves, nine each from the coordinating fabric.
-Cut 8 Peltex pieces using the interfacing pattern piece.

- B. Center the Peltex pieces on the **WRONG** side of 9 of the leaves. Then place the **WRONG** side of another leaf on top of the Peltex, matching the leaves raw edges.

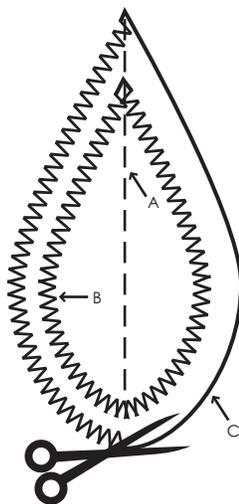
- C. Fuse the Peltex in between the 2 leaves following the manufacturers instructions.

- D. Once adhered, straight stitch the leaves down the center stitching line (A).

- E. Next sew a zigzag stitch 1/8" from the outside edges of each leaf (B).

- F. Finally, using pinking shears, cut along the outer edge of the leaf shapes.

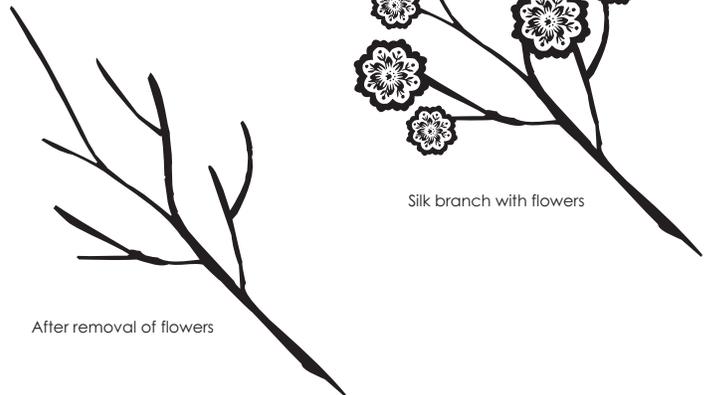
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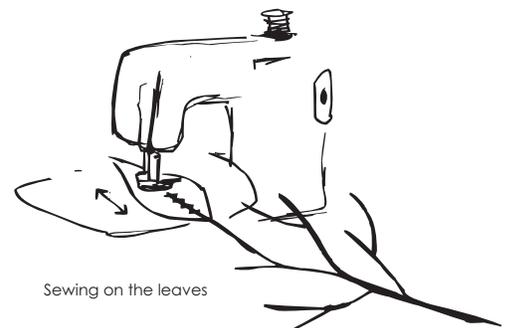
Step 2.

MAKE THE BRANCHES

- A. Take the lightly wired silk flower branch and remove all of the flowers from the stems.



- B. Using a heavy-duty needle on your machine, place the stem 2/3rds of the way on the top of the leaf. Insert the stem and leaf under the presser foot, using a wide zigzag stitch, sew over the stem several times as shown below.



NOTE: Be careful when sewing the leaves to the branch, not to hit the stem with the needle.

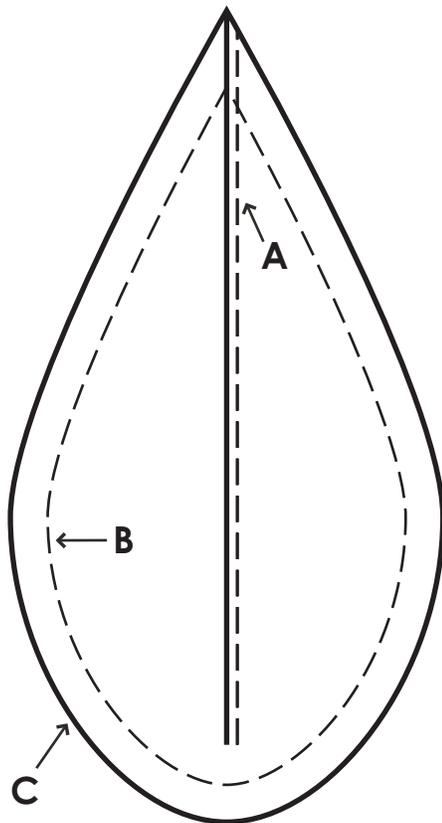
- C. Continue this process to attach the remaining leaves on all of the stems.

- D. Repeat all of the steps to make the remaining 3 Branches.



FABRIC LEAF PATTERN PIECES

LEAF PATTERN PIECE



LEAF INTERFACING
PATTERN PIECE

