

Media Mate



Combine form and function with a fashionable CD or DVD organizer.
Tuck into your briefcase or stash in your cubicle.

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Materials

Quilting cotton

2 pieces – 5 1/2" x 14"

6 pieces – 5 1/2" x 9"

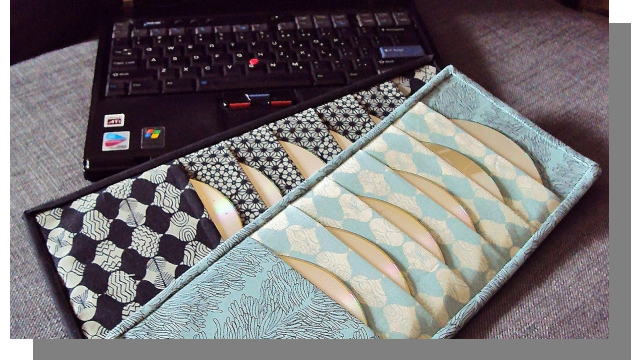
Ultra Firm stabilizer such as Peltex – double sided fusible

1 piece – 5 1/2" x 14"

Medium to heavyweight interfacing

1 piece – 5 1/2" x 14"

Double fold bias tape

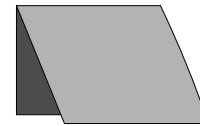


Preparation

Following manufacturer's instructions, fuse stabilizer to wrong side of quilting cotton selected for the front of organizer.

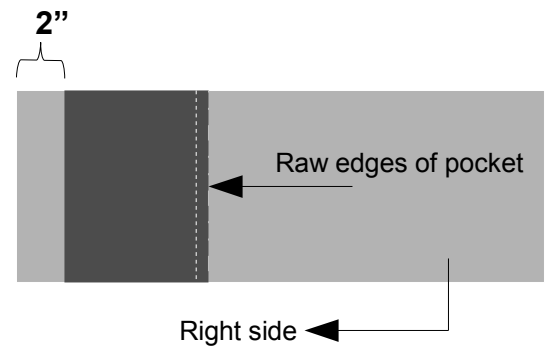
Following manufacturer's instructions, fuse medium to heavyweight interfacing to wrong side of quilting cotton selected for the back of organizer.

To make pockets, with wrong sides together, fold each of the 6 pieces measuring 5 1/2" x 9" in half lengthwise. (Folded pieces now measure 5 1/2" x 4 1/2".) Press.



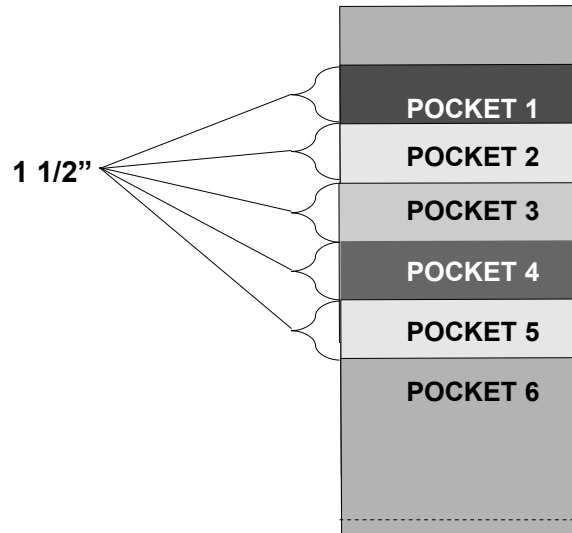
Assembly

Place one pocket on top of the front piece, right sides together, with folded edge of pocket two inches from top edge. (If you are not using a print with a directional design, either end can become your "top" edge.) Stitch in place by sewing down the raw edge using a 1/4" seam allowance.



Place each of the remaining pockets 1 1/2" from folded edge of previous sewn pocket. Raw edges of last pocket should be even with bottom edge as shown in the diagram at right.

(All folded edges should be towards the top. Only raw edges are sewn to front.)

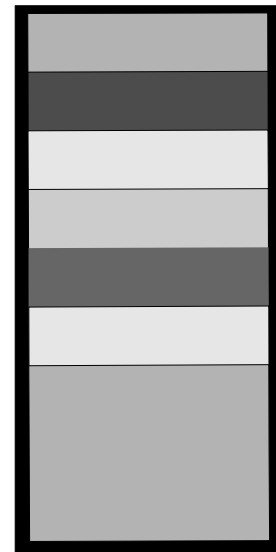


With wrong sides together, fuse front and back pieces according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Pin bias tape around edges on front side. Sew in place. Turn and press. Hand stitch bias tape edge on back side.

Nestle your CDs or DVDs in the pockets. It's ready to use!

NOTE: Seam allowance for this project is 1/4 inch.



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