





## Required Materials

- **Main exterior fabric (top section):** heavy cotton, velvet, linen, or canvas
- **Secondary exterior fabric (base):** printed cotton or contrasting fabric
- **Lining fabric:** cotton
- **Thin batting / wadding** (for quilting the top section)
- **1 zipper, minimum 40 cm**
- Matching thread
- Pins or clips
- Scissors / rotary cutter
- Sewing machine
- Iron

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## Finished Dimensions (approx.)

- Length: **22–24 cm**
- Width: **12 cm**
- Height: **12 cm**

👉 Ideal size for a toiletry bag or large storage pouch.

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## Pattern Pieces

*(seam allowances included)*

### Main piece (*single-piece pattern – see diagram*)

- Total width: **39 cm**
- Total height: **34 cm**

### Bottom cutouts

- Side sections width: **3.5 cm**
- Center section width: **8 cm**
- Each intermediate panel width: **12 cm**
- Notch depth: **6 cm**

This single piece forms:

- the base
- the sides
- the front and back panels



# Sewing Instructions – Step by Step

## 1 Prepare the quilting

- Layer:
  - main fabric (top section)
  - batting
- Quilt using straight vertical or horizontal lines
- Lightly press

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## 2 Prepare the main piece

- Transfer the pattern onto:
  - exterior fabric
  - lining fabric
- Cut **1 piece of each**

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## 3 Install the zipper

- Sew the zipper between:
  - exterior fabric
  - lining fabric
- Stitch carefully along the full length
- Topstitch if desired

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## 4 Assemble the volume

- Fold the piece to form the pouch
- Align the notches to create:
  - the rectangular base
  - the sides
- Pin carefully

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## 5 Final stitching

- Sew the sides and base
- Leave an opening in the lining
- Turn the pouch right side out

- Close the opening by hand or machine
- Press gently

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## Style & Tips

- The quilted top adds softness and elegance
- The printed cotton base provides extra durability
- Works beautifully with:
  - corduroy velvet
  - heavy canvas
  - Japanese cotton or Liberty fabrics
- Optional additions:
  - leather zipper pull
  - piping between top and base for a premium finish

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## Sewing Skill Level

### Intermediate

(Ideal for improving skills with volume construction and zipper installation)

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## Possible Uses

- Toiletry pouch
- Sewing kit pouch
- Makeup storage