

Ruthie

A Stylish, Handy Half Apron

MATERIALS:

- 10" x 10" Fabric 2 (pocket)
- 14H" x 24W" Fabric 4 (main apron body)
- ¾ yard Fabric 1 (pocket, waistband, ties, scissor loop, apron binding)
- ½ yard Fabric 3 (pocket and ties)
- 24" rick rack (optional)
- Thread

TOOLS:

- Straight Pins
- Iron
- Seam ripper
- Marking pen
- Scissors
- 1" bias tape maker (optional)



Ruthie is the perfect match for the craft room goddess, lady of the garden, or queen of the weekend craft sales. Her generous pockets and tool loop will gladly hold everything you need.

Ruthie's finished size is approximately 22" x 13"

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Country Mouse



Fabric design by Dan Morris
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NOTES ABOUT THIS PATTERN

Read entire instructions before beginning. All seam allowances are 1/4" unless indicated differently.

TECHNIQUES

Bias Tape (binding)

To enclose the raw edges of a project for a nice finished look. There are two kinds: bias and straight grain.

Bias Binding (stretchy)

Binding cut on the crosswise grain of the fabric (at a 45 degree angle). This gives your binding some stretch to work with while going around rounded corners.

Straight Grain Binding (non-stretchy)

Binding cut on the straight grain of the fabric (the direction the threads run, either across or the length of your fabric piece). Works nicely for projects with right angles.

Edge Stitch

Topstitching as close to the fold or seam as possible, usually about 1/8" from an edge. Edge-stitching will help your project lie flat and give it a nice finished look

Stitch in the Ditch

Stitching directly on top of where a finished seam meets, when you do not want topstitching to show. Take it slow so you can be precise.

METRIC CONVERSION CHART

1/8 in	0.32 cm	1/8 yd	0.11 m
1/4 in	0.64 cm	1/4 yd	0.23 m
3/8 in	0.95 cm	3/8 yd	0.34 m
1/2 in	1.27 cm	1/2 yd	0.46 m
5/8 in	1.59 cm	5/8 yd	0.57 m
3/4 in	1.91 cm	3/4 yd	0.69 m
7/8 in	2.22 cm	7/8 yd	0.8 m
1 in	2.54 cm	1 yd	0.91 m

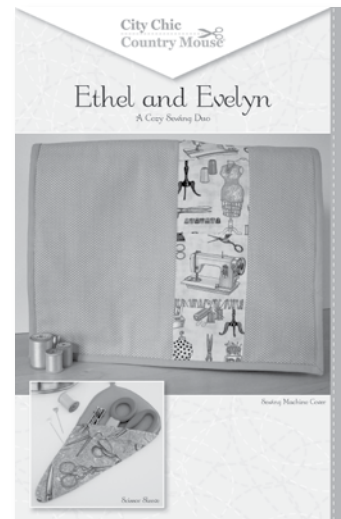
To convert inches into centimeters multiply by 2.54

To convert yards into meters multiply by 0.9144

12 inches = 1 foot 1 foot = .305 meters 3 feet = 1 yard 1 yard = .915 meters

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