

Felt bag

Free sewing pattern · finished size 38 × 40 × 10 cm · level: beginner · approx. 1 hour

You will need

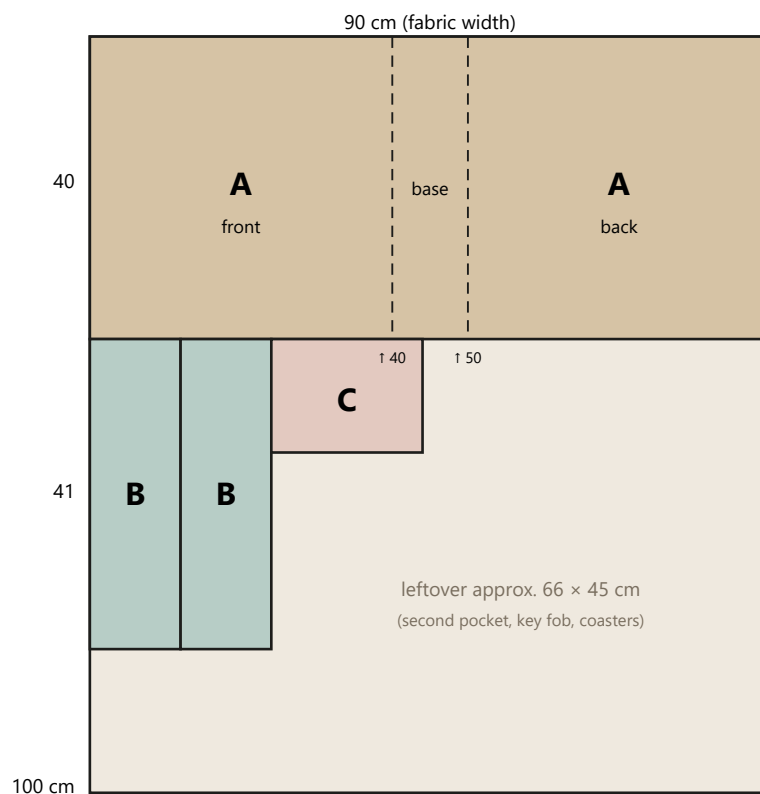
Bag felt 3 mm (90 cm wide)	1 metre
Cotton webbing 40 mm	1,30 m (2 × 65 cm)
Strong sewing thread, matching colour	1 spool
Machine needle jeans/universal	100/16
Rotary cutter + mat or sharp scissors	
Ruler, chalk or washable pen, clips	

Pattern pieces

PIECE	SIZE	QTY
A Body (front-base-back)	40 × 90 cm	1×
B Side panel	12 × 41 cm	2×
C Inside pocket	20 × 15 cm	1×
D Handle (webbing)	65 cm	2×

A 1 cm seam allowance is **already included everywhere**.
The top edge needs no allowance: felt does not fray.

Cutting layout on 1 metre of bag felt



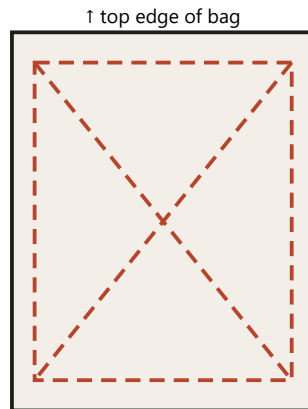
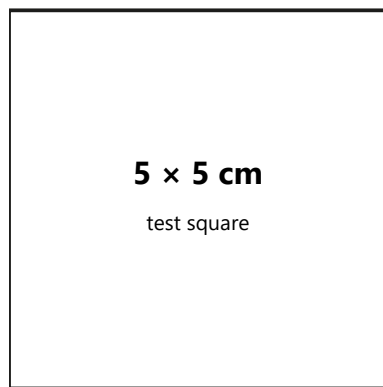
Check first: print page 2 at **100 % / actual size** (not "fit to page") and measure the test square. It must be exactly 5 × 5 cm.

Markings on piece A

Draw a dotted line across the width at 40 cm and 50 cm from one short end. That is where the base goes. At those four points, on both long edges, **snip 1 cm**, at right angles to the edge. This lets the seam allowance fan open at the corner so the base lies flat.

Templates and details

Test square and handle template are full size (1 : 1). Print at 100 %.



Handle end (D)

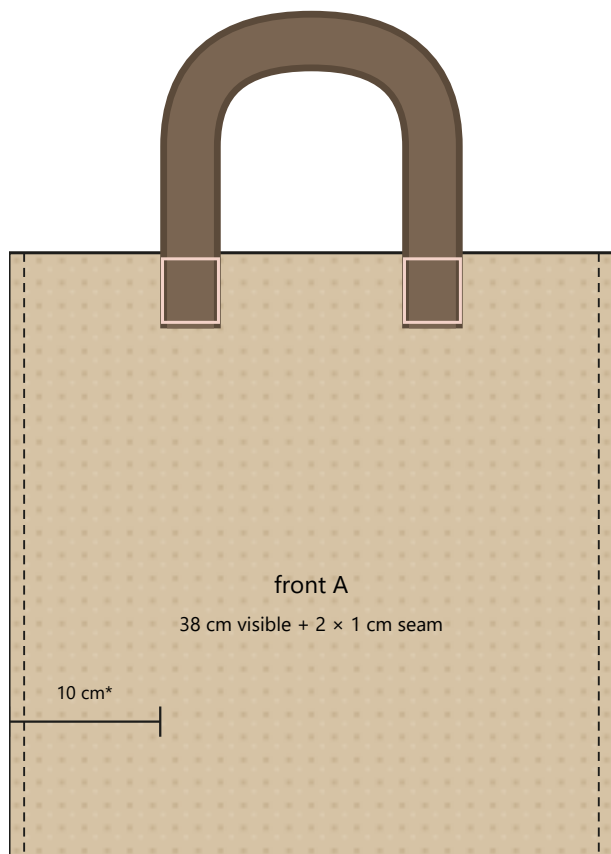
40 mm webbing, 5 cm onto the bag.

Lay the template on it, trace the red square with the cross and stitch it twice all round (box-X).

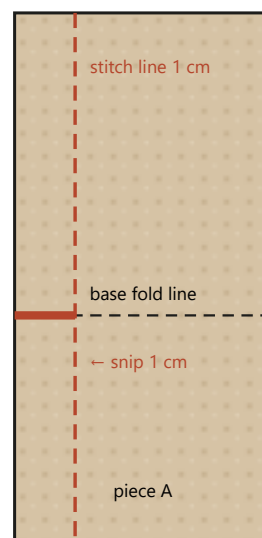
Position: outer edge of handle

10 cm from the long side edge of A.

Front with handle · scale 1 : 5



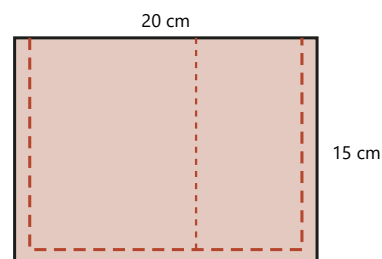
Base corner · not to scale



How to sew the corner

1. Sew to 1 cm before the fold line, needle down.
2. Lift the foot, turn the work a quarter turn. The snip lets the allowance fan open.
3. Foot down, keep sewing. Repeat at 50 cm.

Inside pocket C · scale 1 : 5



Inside of the back, 8 cm below the top edge. Sew three sides; dotted line = optional divider.

* measured from the cut edge of A