

HANDS FREE Crossbody

My most favorite bag! Perfect for shopping trips and daily errands
But large enough for an Ipad mini. Great to throw in a backpack or
briefcase. Use quilting leather for a bag that really lasts!!!

MATERIALS

*Suitable for non-directional cotton quilting fabric 42/44" wide, cork, or
quilting leather from **GYPSY WOOD LEATHERS** (gypsywoodleathers.com)*

FABRIC

OUTSIDE (choose one)

° PATCHWORK BAG BODY 3 strips 2½ wide x wof

1 strip from 3 different fabrics that work well with FABRIC A. These 3 strips will
be supplemented with strips from both FABRIC A and FABRIC B

° FOCUS FABRIC BAG BODY 1 piece 14" wide x 23" long

Use a fabulous print or other Focus Fabric, cork or quilting leather

FABRIC A

PATCHWORK

FOCUS

COORDINATING

¾ yard

¼ yard

*Note: if making a PATCHWORK BAG, Fabric A should be an eye catching fabric.
If making the FOCUS FABRIC BAG, select a fabric that coordinates well with
your FOCUS FABRIC Use for Handles, Zipper Covers and Bow, Binding*

FABRIC B

PATCHWORK

FOCUS

INSIDE

¾ yard

¾ yard

Use a light or bold fabric. *Use for Lining, Inside Pockets, Connector Covers*

INTERFACING

IN-R-FORM DOUBLE-SIDED FUSIBLE FOAM BATTING by Bosal

½ yard x 58" wide (makes more than one bag)

DURA-FUSE (pre-packaged 36" x 20") by Bosal OR Decor Bond by Pellon

¼ yard x 20" wide

ZIPPERS

One 14" (or longer)

*Use #4.5 nylon coil zippers. Zipper tape is wider(makes it easier to sew), zipper pull is
larger (easier to insert fabric accent bows). Available from wingspancrafts.com*

TEXTURED LOOP STRAP CONNECTORS by Sallie Tomato

Usually come in sets of four. Use two per Bag. *They are attached using prongs and
metal backings similar to magnetic snaps.*

Other Tools: Coordinated thread. Sewing machine, Janome's Purple Tip
machine needles (great for leather). Steam iron. Removable
chalk or Frixon pen. Scissors (both large and small), rotary
cutting mat, acrylic rulers, rotary cutter, pins, seam ripper.
Leather awl. Fabric Fuse by Therm-O-Web.

Printed in Farmington, ME by Franklin Printing

