

# Sto-N-Go Cosmetic/Jewelry Bag

By Luveta Nickels

“My cosmetics and jewelry are always organized and at the ready in this lovely drawstring bag. I can find small items for last minute touch ups on the go without having to dig through my purse for individual items. This pouch goes from home to the work place and features a zippered pocket. Experiment with different sized circles to accommodate your needs.” - Luveta Nickels



## Machine Used:

- Janome CoverPro 2000CPX

## Materials Needed:

- 2/3 yard of fabric
- 2/3 yard of lining (Luveta used Lame')
- 2 yards of ribbon or cord
- 1 1/3 yard of fusible interfacing
- 1/2 grommet
- 9" zipper
- 1 cord lock
- Variegated thread

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## Step-by-Step Instructions:

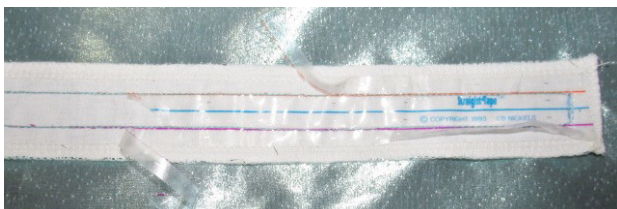
1. Use the first and third needle and remove the middle needle. Set all four tension dials on your CoverPro 2000CPX to 4. Thread the variegated thread through the third needle.
2. Cut two circles about 20" in diameter, one from the primary fabric and one from the Lame' lining. Fuse light weight fusible to the wrong side of the Lame'. Mark a 2" grid on the interfacing side.



3. Stitch with the interfacing side up on the grid using variegated thread.
4. Cut a rectangle from the Lame' approximately 3" wide and 12" long. Interface to the wrong side.

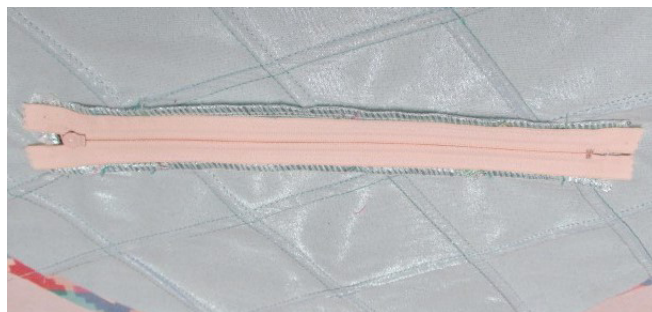


5. Position the right side of the Lame' rectangle 5" down and centered from the edge of the circle.
6. Tape the top stitching tape in the center of the rectangle and stitch on perforated lines 1/2" apart. Remove the tape and cut the rectangle apart down the center and diagonally into the corners. Turn to the wrong side and press.



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7. Position the zipper under the faced opening and top stitch in place.

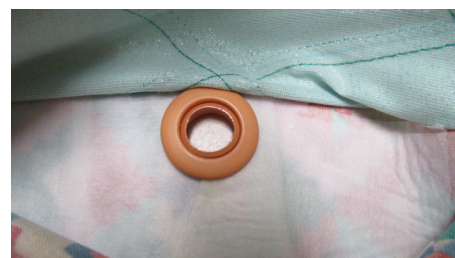
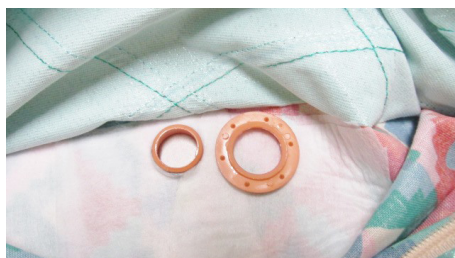
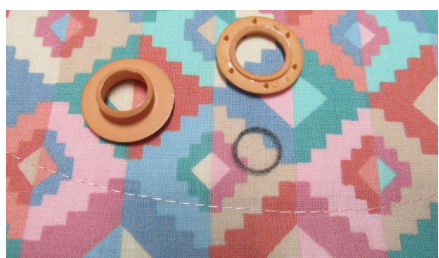


8. Place the lining and Lame' right sides together and stitch all the way around the outer edge of the circle. Be sure to leave the zipper open so that you can turn it inside out and then press.



9. Top stitch 3/4" from the outer edge around the circle.

10. Mark the grommet placement on the printed side of the fabric next to the top stitched seam. Cut out the grommet placement. The grommet is then applied to one side only, not the Lame' side. Sneak inside the circle and snap the grommet back over the grommet post in place.





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11. Stitch the second row of top stitch about 1 1/2" from the previous stitching. A zipper or narrow edge foot will make it easier to stitch beside the grommet. Thread the ribbon into the grommet and feed through the casing to create the drawstring. Both ends of the ribbon will exit the same grommet. Secure the ribbon and adjust with a cord lock or tie the ribbon together with a knot.



**Options:** Luveta chose to stitch the two layers of fabric together to form a smaller square pocket from the beginning of the zipper to the end of the zipper. Otherwise you can have the entire circle open for storage.