



## SANTA COASTER INSTRUCTIONS



5X7 HOOP



- Quick Stitching
- No hand sewing required
- Great way to use up scraps of Fabric
- Use as a festive Coaster, or Gift Card Holder

### MATERIALS

- 6x8 Inch piece of thin batting or felt
- 6x8 piece of white fabric
- 6x3 piece of red fabric
- 6x8 inch piece of backing fabric
  - 6x8 piece of fabric folded in 1/2 for pocket (finished size 6x4 inch)
- Water Soluble Stabiliser to fit hoop
- Sharp scissors
- Matching Bobbin Thread – White and Red

## PREPARATION – COASTER



### TIP for Cotton Fabric

I have been using a very thin iron-on Interfacing on the Coaster backing fabric – it just makes the fabric easier to cut on the back of the hoop, and no threads peeking out of the satin stitch.

## CONSTRUCTION

- Load design to machine
- Hoop 2 layers of Water Soluble Stabiliser
- Thread machine with a neutral color – we used white



Stitch Color 1 – the outline of the Coaster



Place your pellon/thin  
batting and fabric over  
the Guideline

Stitch Color 2 to attach

*If you have used a bulky  
white fabric (minky),  
you can cut out the hat  
part to reduce bulk*



Place your red fabric  
over the Guideline

Stitch Color 3 to attach





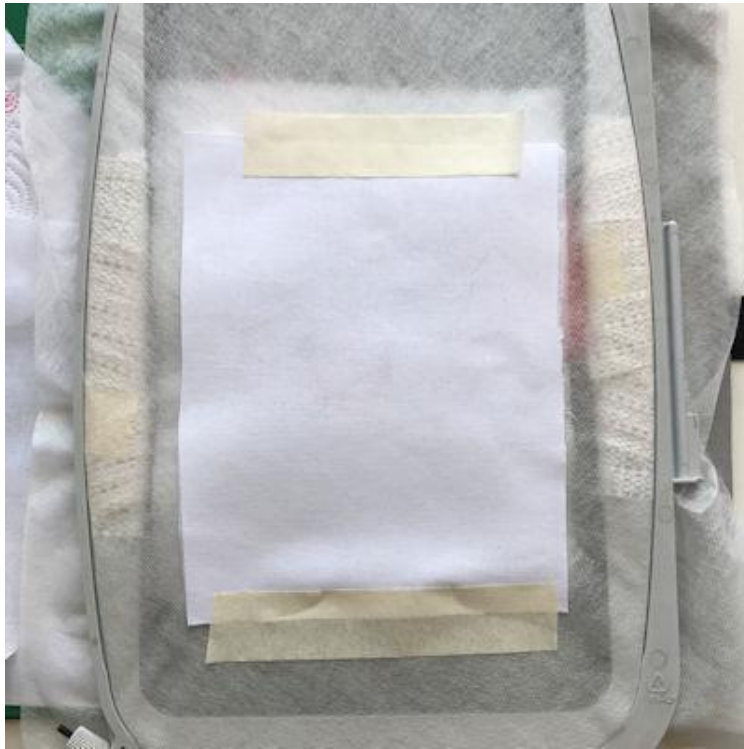
Cut away the excess fabric as pictured (around santa face)



Complete face embroidery

Color 4 – Skin – Lite Pink  
 Color 5 – Moustache – white  
 Color 6 – White of eyes  
 Color 7 – Black of eyes  
 Color 8 – Nose – Lite Pink

## ADD BACKING



Remove hoop from Machine, and tape Backing Fabric to hoop

**Wrong Side of Fabric facing Hoop**

## VARIATION



If you want to add a Gift Card pocket,

Place your folded backing piece (folded edge towards middle)

I placed the top edge of my folded pocket at the top of the hat bobble – to keep the pocket open you need to have the folded edge under the hat brim



Return hoop to  
Machine

Stitch Color 9 to  
attach the backing



Remove hoop from Machine

Cut away excess Fabric on  
FRONT and back of hoop







Return hoop to Machine

Stitch Color 10 which zig zags, the edge

*Change Bobbin thread to red*

Stitch Color 11 – Hat Satin Stitch

*Change Bobbin thread to white*

Stitch Color 12 – White satin stitch



Remove from hoop

Cut away the excess Stabiliser around the edges

Use a Cotton Bud/Q Tip and **warm water** to dissolve any stabiliser left on the edges

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