



## COFFEE CUP COASTER INSTRUCTIONS



Use our Coffee Cup Applique to make a unique Coffee Cup Coaster, or add to a Tea Towel (with a neat and tidy patch backing)



5X7 Hoop Required

## MATERIALS

- Water Soluble Stabiliser
- 6x8 piece of:
  - Thin Pellon/Batting
  - Front Fabric
  - Backing Fabric
  - Small coffee colored fabric for top of coffee \*\* optional
- Matching Bobbin thread

## CONSTRUCTION – COASTER

- Load design to machine
- Hoop 2 layers of Water Soluble Stabiliser
- Thread machine with a neutral color (we used tan throughout)



Stitch Color 1 – the outline of the Cup



Place peltan/thin  
batting over the  
Guideline and  
Stitch Color 2 to attach



Place coffee fabric over  
Guideline

Trim away excess fabric  
where Cup Fabric will  
go



Place Cup Fabric over  
Guideline

Stitch Color 3 to attach



\*\*\*\* I created this design a few months ago, and now that I am writing up the instructions, I'm a bit stumped as to why I cut away the fabric around the edges – its easier to just trim around the edge of the cup fabric (no need to remove hoop from machine for that)

**You can trim the excess fabric around the edges later after you have added the backing!!**

*I was going to re-do the photos, (the design is correct, just me who made an error) - then decided to leave it as is – see even seasoned digitisers/stitchers make mistakes. – I've done this type of design 100's of times!!*



Complete Embroidery detail in your chosen colors

Color 5 – Quilting Cup  
 Color 6 – Quilting – Coffee  
 Color 7 – Word Coffee

\*\*Skip the color if you do not want the quilting and/or wording



Remove hoop from  
Machine

Tape Backing Fabric in  
place as pictured

WRONG-SIDE OF FABRIC  
FACING HOOP



Return hoop to Machine

Stitch Color 8 to attach  
backing



Remove hoop from Machine

Cut away excess Fabric on FRONT and back of hoop



Return hoop to Machine

Change bobbin thread to match Satin Stitch

Stitch Color 9 which zig zags, then stitches satin stitch edge



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

## CONSTRUCTION – LINED PATCH – TEA TOWEL

- Load design to machine
- Hoop 2 layers of Water Soluble Stabiliser
- Thread machine with a neutral color (we used blue throughout)
- Mark centre placement on Tea Towel

I hoop Stabiliser only, then float the Tea Towel over the hoop – it's my personal preference only – I find it helpful for heavier towels. But your choice – you can hoop both stabiliser and towel – completely up to you.





Then, as before, I removed hoop from machine

Taped Backing Fabric in place

Returned hoop to Machine

Stitched Color 8 to attach Backing

Removed from hoop and cut away excess fabric on Front and Back



Return hoop to Machine

Stitched Color 9 - zig zag and Satin Stitch edging



Cut away excess Stabiliser, and use Cotton Bud/Q Tip to dissolve all Stabiliser

I use this Applique Patch Technique if I am gifting Towels – particularly heavy bath Towels – I think it gives a neat and tidy backing



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Cheers Heather

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