



Si's Handbag

Instructions

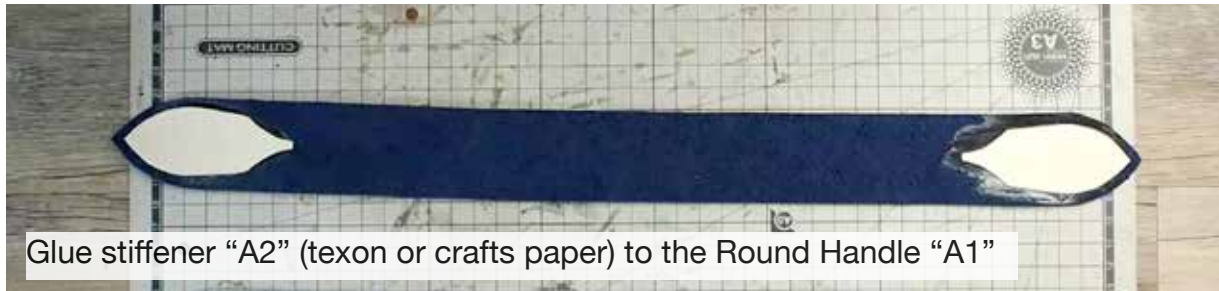
MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS:

- 2 x Cotton rope, hemp rope or leather rope (0.8 - 1.2 cm. diameter, 41 cm/ 15 inch long)
- No#5 zipper (approx 18 cm/ 7 inch)
- 1 zipper head and zipper pull
- 2 D-ring (2 cm.)
- 1 Set of magnet button
- EVA, foam, or flexible stiffener
- Hard felt or similar for bottom stiffener
- 1.8 mm. leather thickness recommended

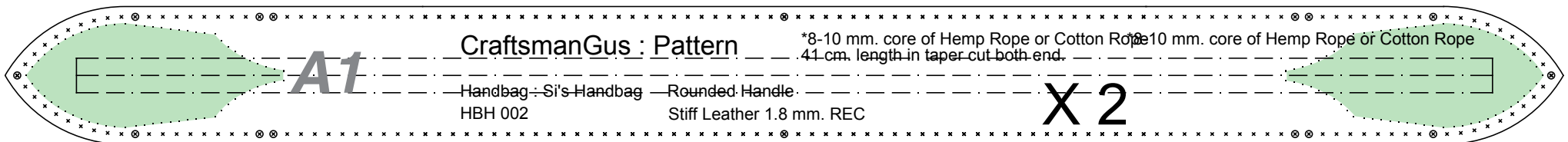
See the YouTube link for the making of this bag: <http://bit.ly/2Y03q8g>

***NOTE: this is an instruction file only. Please refer to the file named "Pattern_.....pdf" to print the pattern pieces

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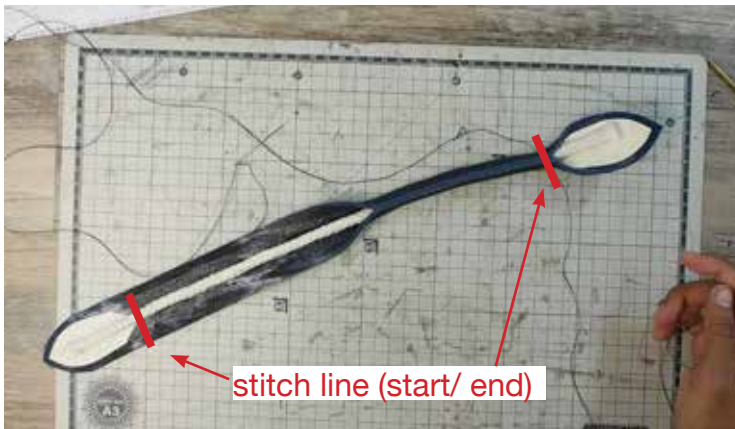
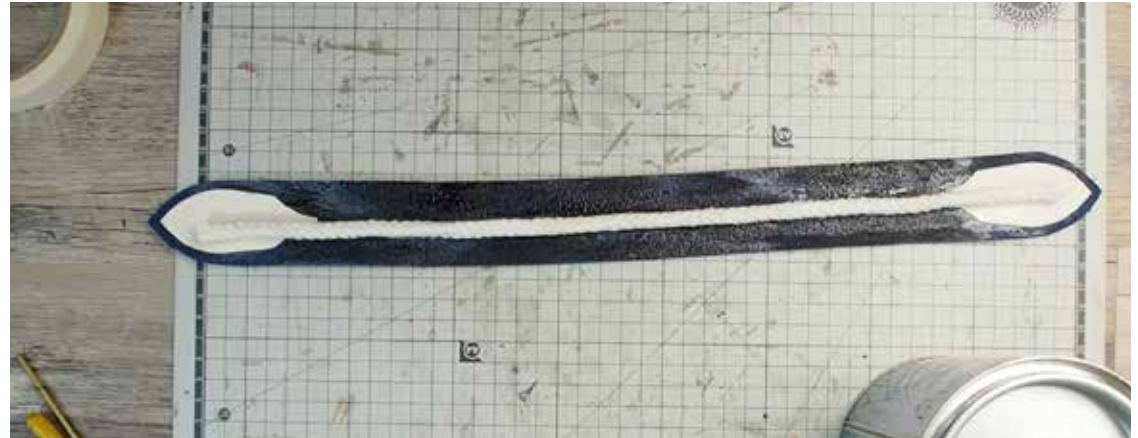
Glue stiffener "A2" (texon or crafts paper) to the Round Handle "A1"





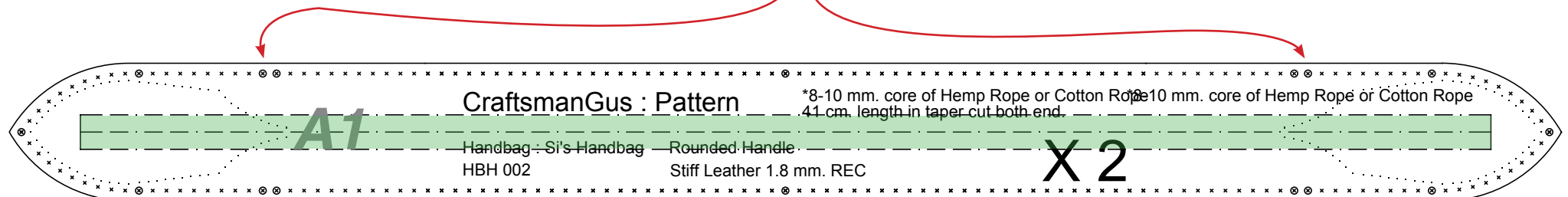
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Glue cotton rope, hemp rope or leather rope (size 0.8 - 1.2 cm. diameter) to the middle section of the Round Handle (A1) and stitch.

Stitch line (start/ end)





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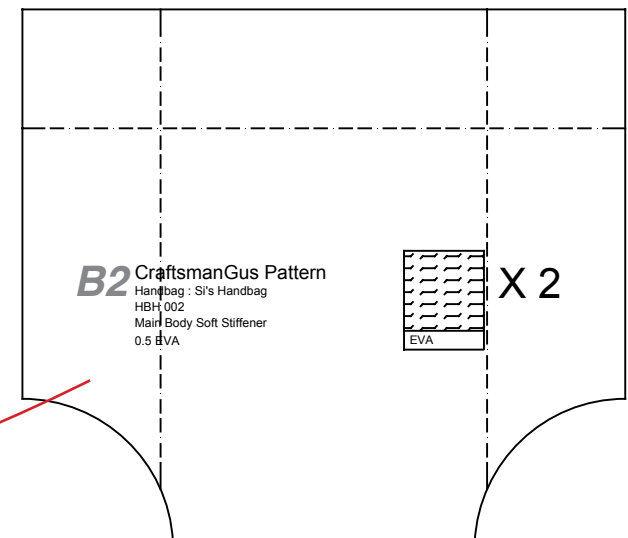
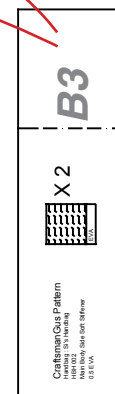
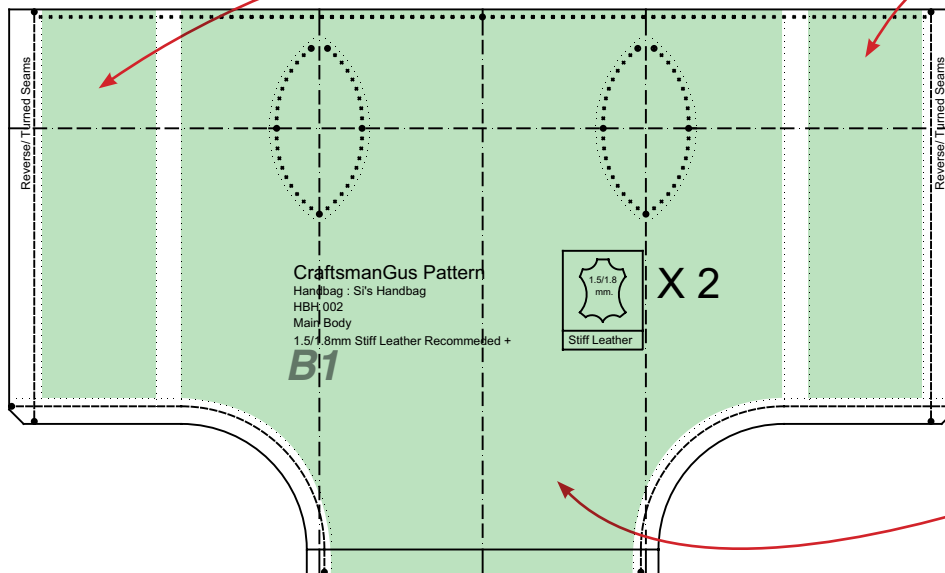
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EVA, foam, or flexible stiffener



Glue stiffener to Main body "B1"





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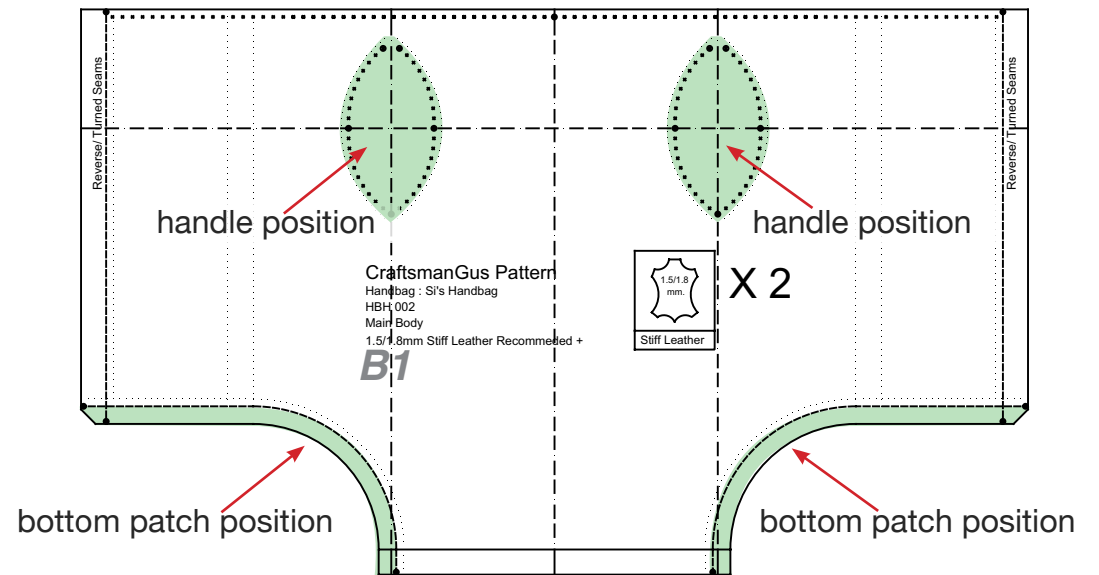
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Mark the handle and bottom patch position



Stitch the handle to the Main Body "B1"





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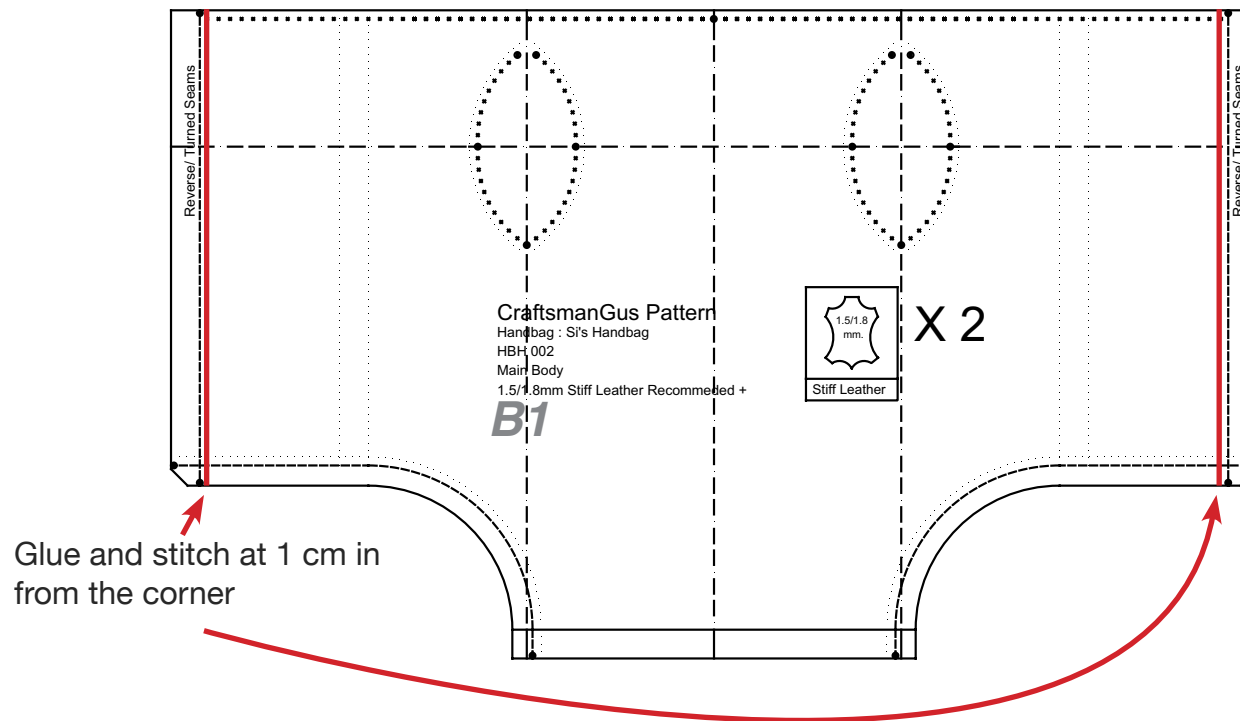
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Glue on the front side of the leather
at 1 cm. from left/ right corner



Paste 1 pieces of "B1" with right side facing in
and stitch the left and right side at 1 cm





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Glue and fold the seams flat



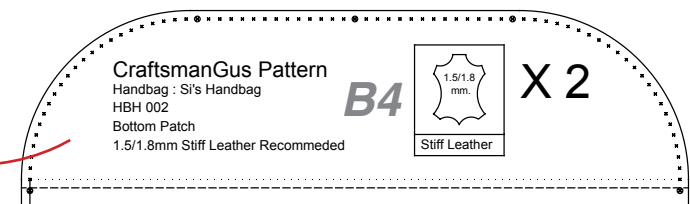
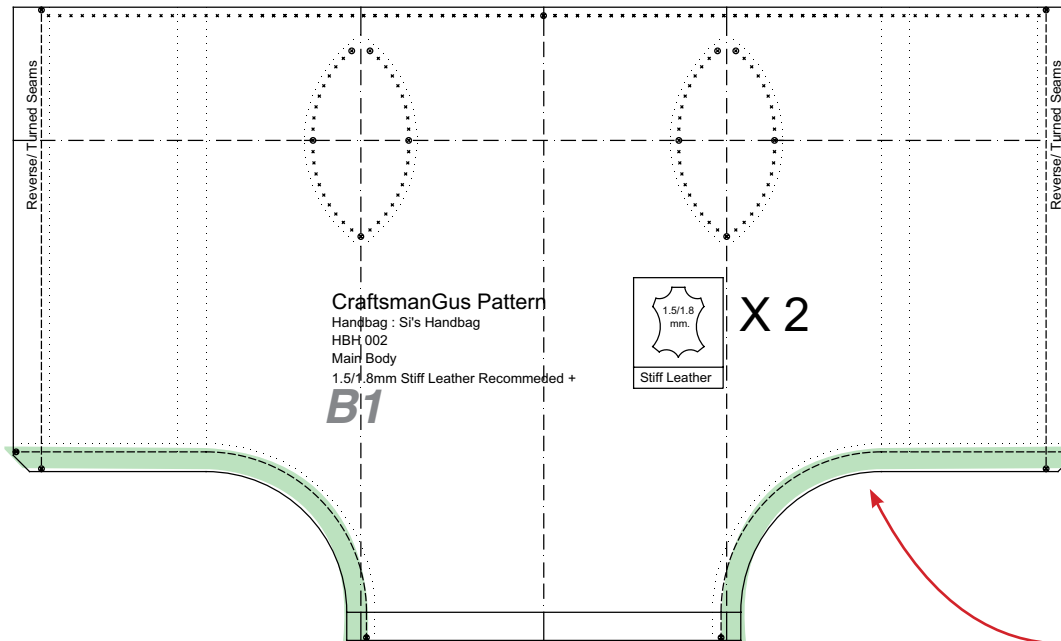
Flip the right side out



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Stitch the bottom patch to the main body





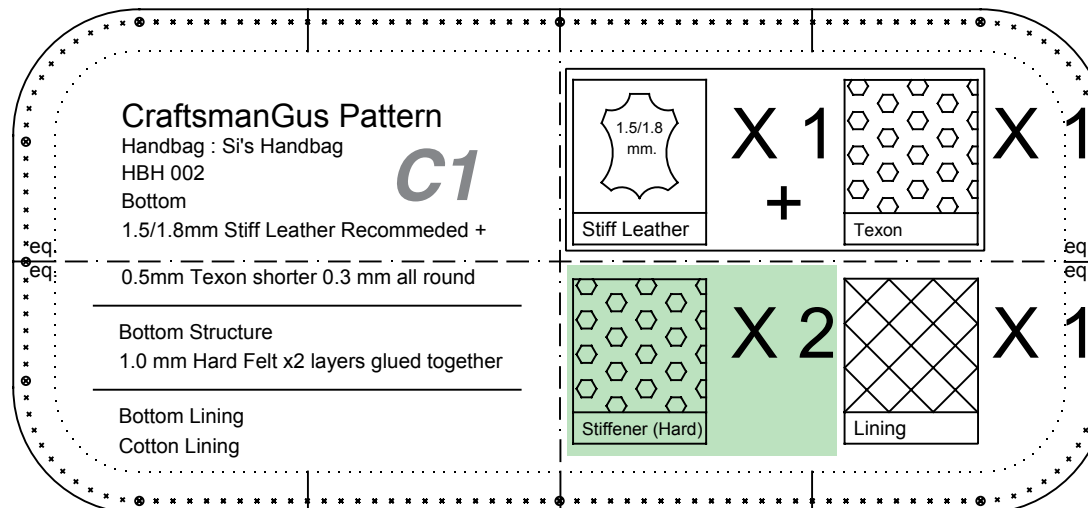
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Use hard felt or material of your preference for the bottom stiffener.

For this project I glued 2 pieces of hard felt together for extra stiffness.





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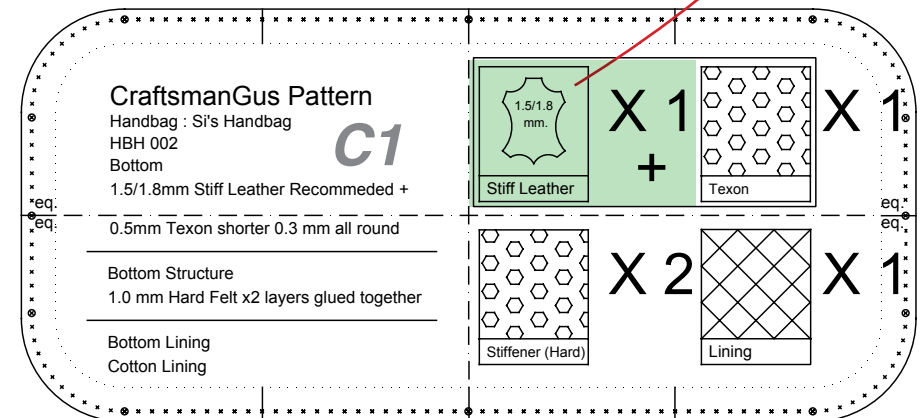
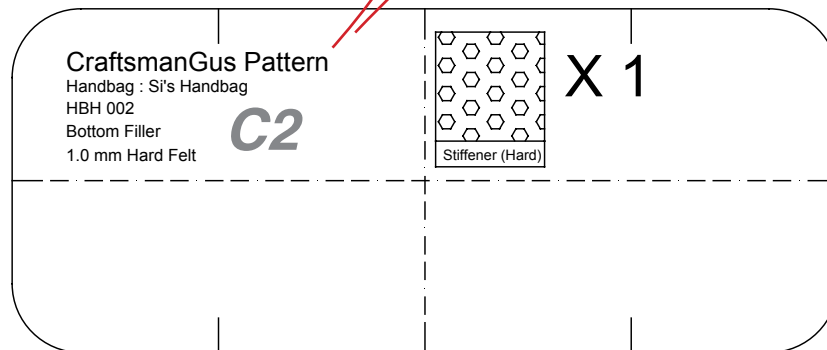
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Glue the Bottom Filler "C2"



Glue and stitch the bottom

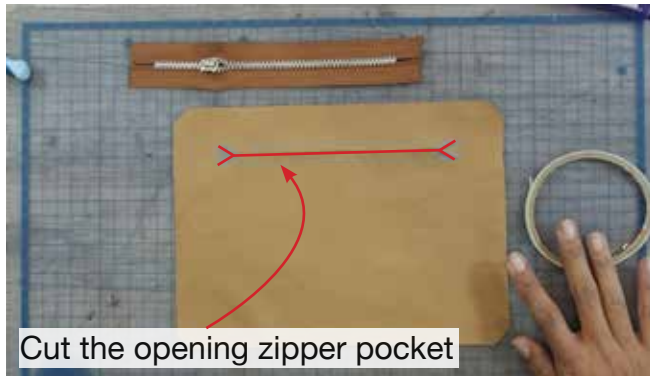


**Adding texon or stiffener to the leather before attaching to the bottom and stitch is optional



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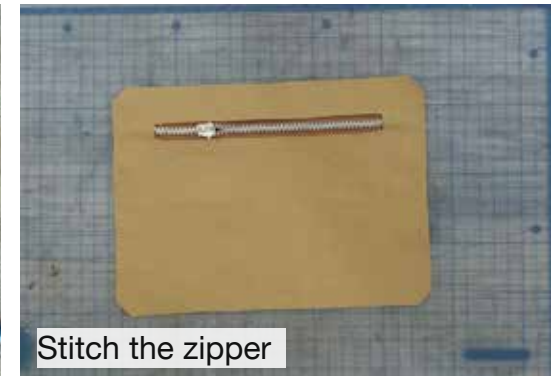
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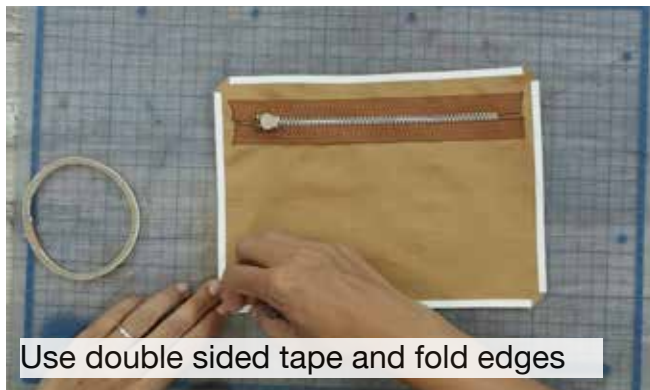
Cut the opening zipper pocket



Use double sided tape and fold to shape



Stitch the zipper



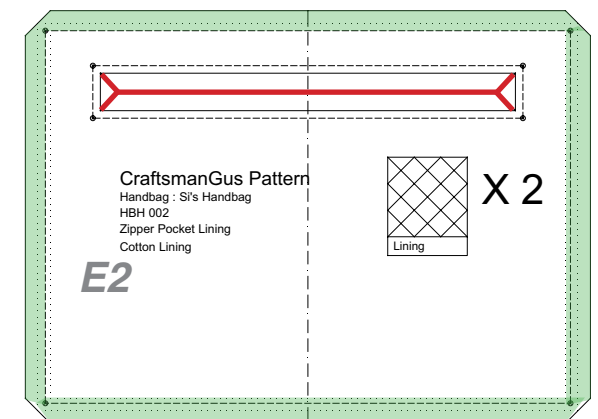
Use double sided tape and fold edges



Fold edges of another piece of "E2"



Stitch around the edges of 2 pieces of "E2"





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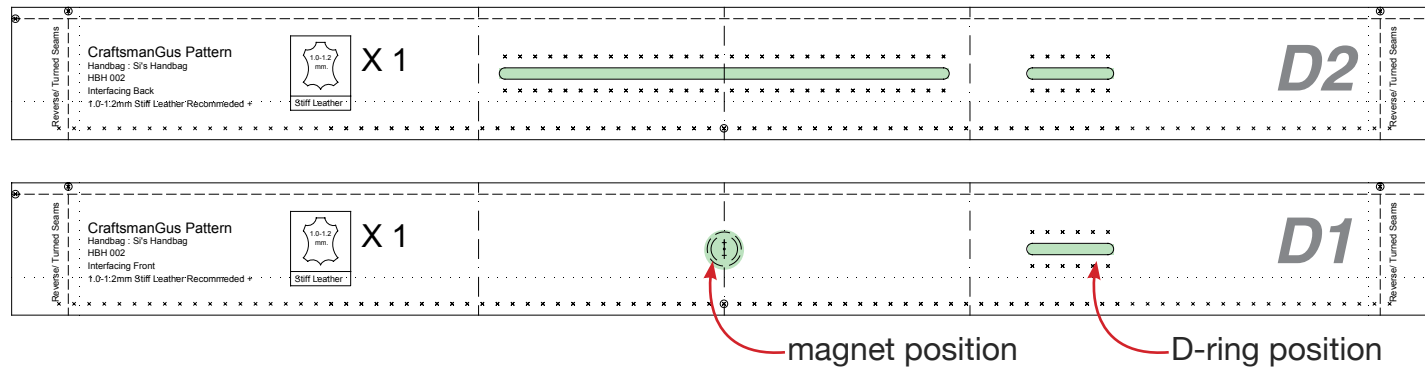


D-Ring Holder

Leather

D3
X 2

12.





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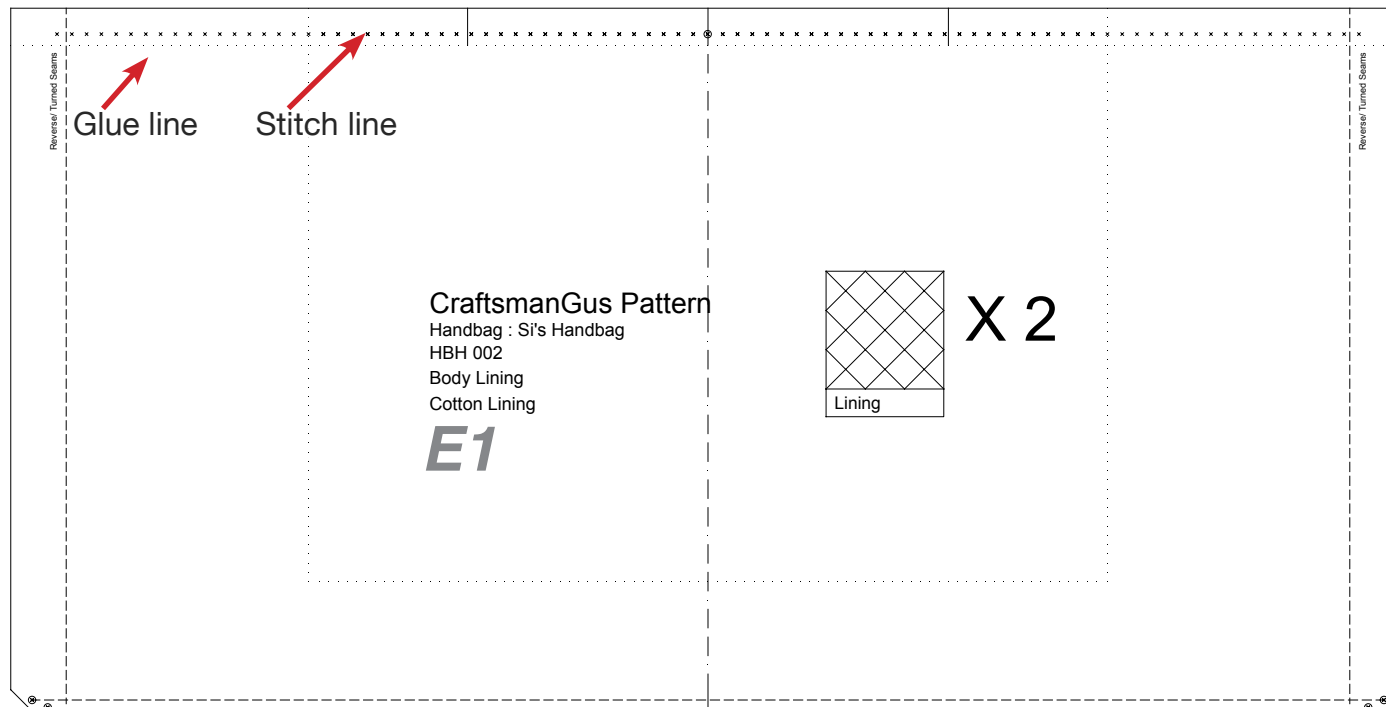
Glue the zipper pocket from step#10 to the Body Lining "E1"



Glue the Interfacing Front from step#12 to the Body Lining "E1" and stitch



Glue the Interfacing Back from step#12 to the Body Lining "E1" and stitch





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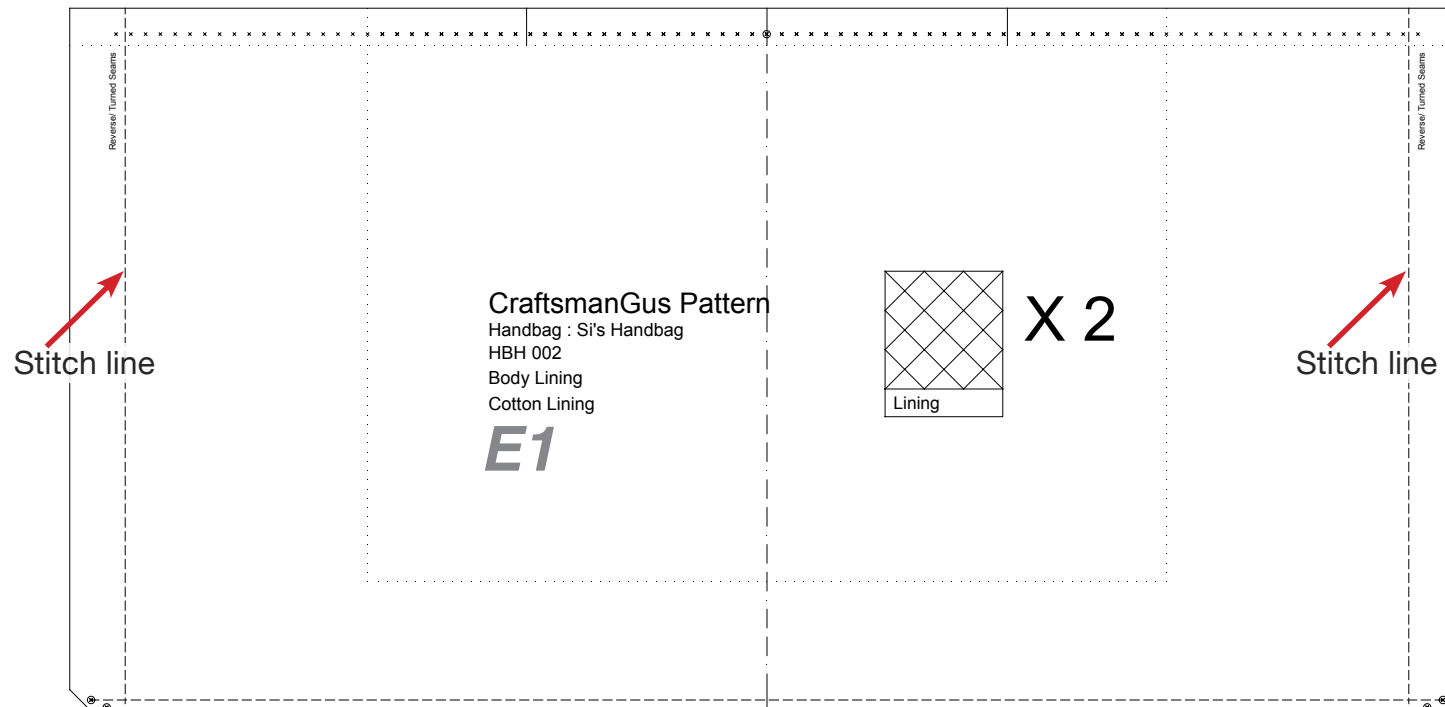
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Stitch the left and right side of the
body lining



Glue and fold the seams flat

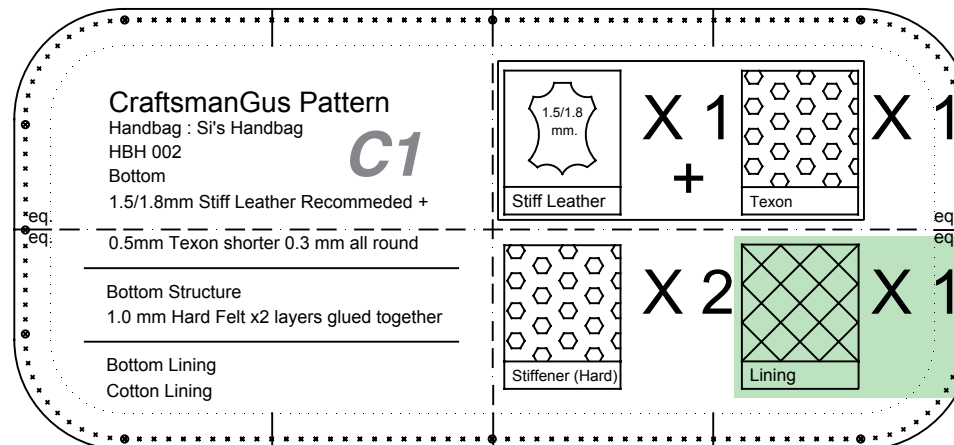




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Stitch the bottom lining to the body lining





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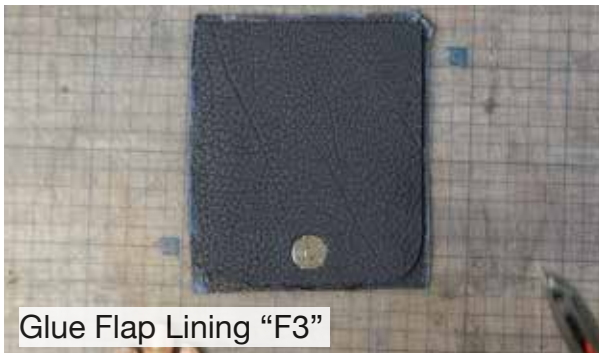
Glue the Flap "F1" to Flap Stiffener "F2"
Use EVA, foam, or flexible stiffener



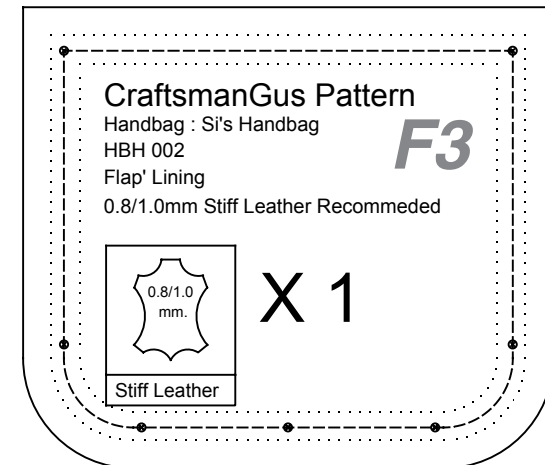
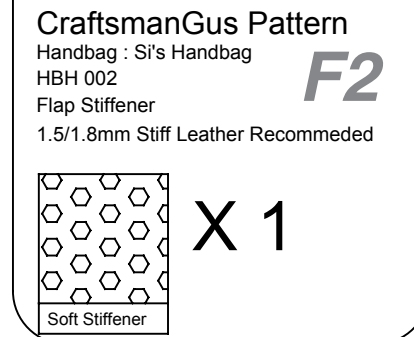
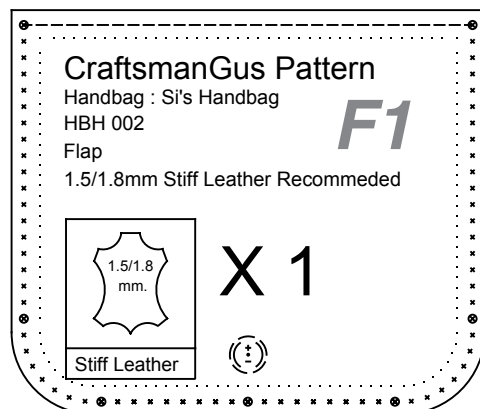
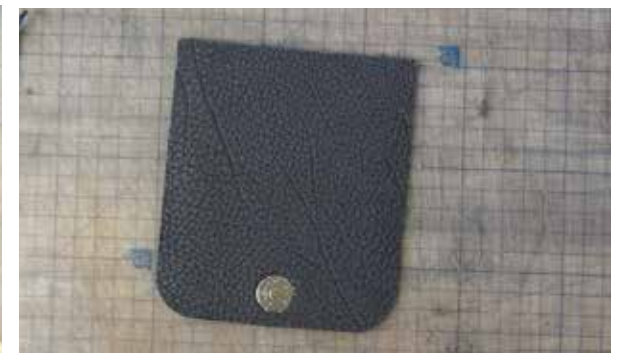
Install the magnet



Glue Flap Lining "F3"



Cut off the excess leather





17.



Slide the flap in the interface



Glue the flap and in the interface together



Stitch the flap to the interface





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