



# Burlap Wreath

Finished size: 22" Diameter



## SUPPLIES NEEDED

- 1 - 1 Yard Burlap (Zebra on Oyster)
- 5 Yards Burlap Ribbon (Oyster)
- 18" Straw wreath form
- Pkg. floral pins
- Wire (18")
- Yardstick
- Pencil
- Scissors

## BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Read all instructions before beginning project.

## CUTTING

1 Yard Burlap: 4 – 9" x width of fabric (approx. 44") strips  
Burlap Ribbon: 2 – 1 ½ yd. pieces (bow and bow tails)

## ASSEMBLY

1. Select one 9" strip of Burlap and place it printed side up; pinch one end together across the width of the ribbon and attach it on the front outer edge of the wreath form with a floral pin.

**NOTE:** Leave the plastic on the wreath form.

2. Measure approximately 7"-8" from the end that has just been secured and pinch the width of the strip together. Pin the pinched section to the form about 6" from the attached end to make a loop that is raised off the wreath form.

3. Continue making loops and attaching them with the floral pins to cover approximately half of the outside edge. Pinch end of strip and pin to form.

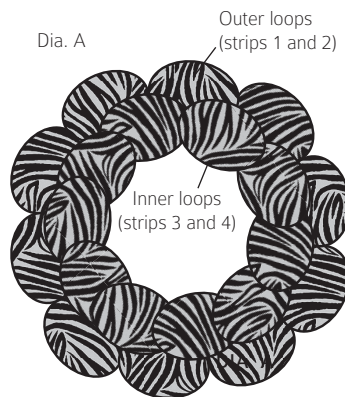
**NOTE:** You may need to adjust some loops and re-pin to wreath form to create a full wreath with good coverage.

4. Fold under and pinch one end of the second strip. Pin over one end of the first strip. Continue gathering and looping the second strip until you reach the beginning of the first strip. Fold under the cut edge of the second strip; pinch and pin over the end of the first strip.

5. Repeat for the inner edge of the wreath form with strips 3 and 4, offsetting the placement of the loops from the outer ring (Dia. A). Trim off the excess length, if needed.

**NOTE:** Be sure that the front of the wreath form is completely covered.

6. Fluff out the strips to cover the floral pins and make the wreath look full.

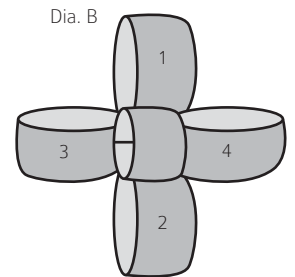


## BOW

7. Roll one end of one Burlap Ribbon piece into a center loop about 3" in diameter with the layers overlapping 1".

8. With your non-dominant hand, place your thumb inside the center loop and your index finger on the back. Hold the layers together firmly. Twist the ribbon and make a 4" loop. Hold in place firmly under the center loop.

9. Twist the ribbon again and make a second 4" loop opposite the first loop. Hold in place. Place the wire through the center loop and bring the ends around to the back of the bow. Pull tightly and twist to secure. Separate the ends of the wire.



10. Continue twisting and looping the ribbon to make loops between the first two for a total of four. (Dia. B). Secure with the wire. Trim ribbon if needed.

11. Use the second Burlap Ribbon piece for the bow tails; trim the ends diagonally. Attach the center of the tails to the back of the bow with the wire; trim excess wire.

12. Place bow on the wreath with the tails hanging over the opening. Secure to the wreath with a floral pin. Tuck the tails into the folds of the wreath if desired.

## FINISHING

13. Make a hanging loop of desired length from the remaining ribbon and pin securely to the back of wreath under the bow.

## FINISHED CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Dust gently as needed.