

Pineapple

Finished Project Size: 3 1/4" x 9 1/2" (8.26cm x 24.13cm)



Supplies Needed

FOR 1 PINEAPPLE:

- 3 – Fat quarters* 18" x 21" (45.72cm x 53.34cm)
Coordinating prints from 5-pc Batik bundle
- 6" x 16" (15.24cm x 40.64cm) Fusible web (HeatnBond®)
- 3 7/8" x 5 7/8" (9.84cm x 14.97cm) Styrofoam egg
- 1 pkg. 1/2" (12.7mm) Appliqué/sequin pins
- Small piece of cardboard
- Green thread
- Craft glue or FloraCraft® StyroGlue®
- Rotary cutter and acrylic ruler
- Basic crafting supplies
- Iron and pressing surface
- Kitchen knife

* We used these fabrics found at [Walmart](#) ✨:
MD-WM-BND-BTK

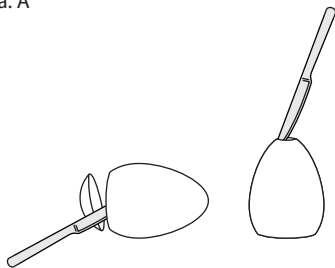
Before You Begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not prewash fabrics. Before cutting, press fat quarters with a dry iron on cotton setting. Print Top and Bottom Leaf Templates at 100% scale and check measurements after printing to ensure correct print size. Squeeze a small amount of glue on the cardboard to dip pins as you attach the fabric pieces.

Cutting

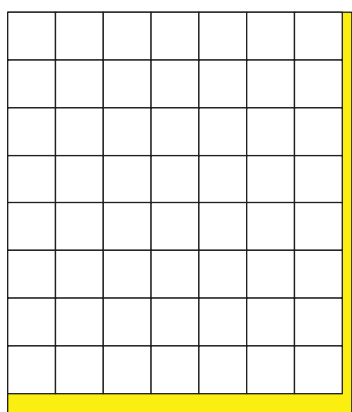
1. Using the knife, cut a thin slice off the wide end of the styrofoam egg to create a flat bottom. Cut a nickel size hole approximately 1" (2.54cm) deep in the narrow end of the styrofoam egg (Dia. A).

Dia. A

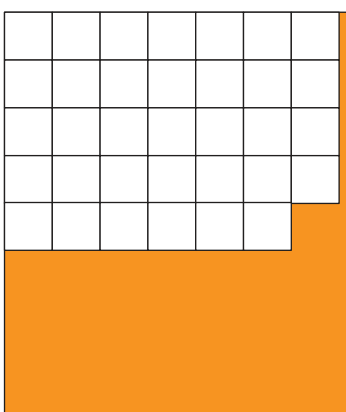


2. Use the rotary cutter and ruler to cut ninety 2 1/2" (6.35cm) squares from the yellow and orange fat quarters (Dia. B).

Dia. B



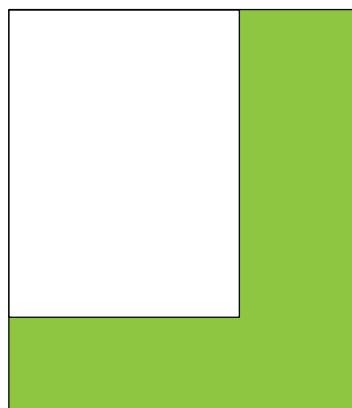
Fat Quarter Yellow – 18" x 21" (45.7cm x 53.3cm)
Cut 56 – 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" (6.35cm x 6.35cm) squares



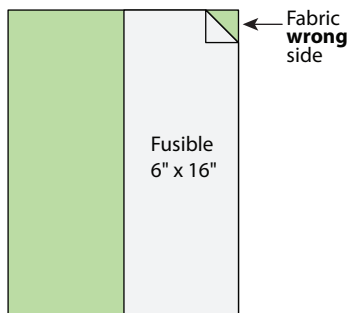
Fat Quarter Orange – 18" x 21" (45.7cm x 53.3cm)
Cut 34 – 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" (6.35cm x 6.35cm) squares

3. Cut one 12" x 16" (30.48cm x 40.64cm) rectangle from the green Fat Quarter. Position fusible to **wrong** side, iron and remove paper. Cut out the Top and Bottom Leaf Templates and pin to the fabric; cut out along the edges (Dia. C).

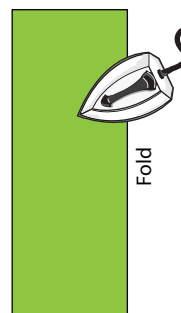
Dia. C



Fat Quarter Green – 18" x 21" (45.7cm x 53.3cm)
Cut 1 – 12" x 16" (30.48cm x 40.64cm)



Place fusible web 6" x 16" (15.2cm x 40.6cm) on half the rectangle (**wrong** side) and fuse.



Fold fabric in half and fuse to make 6" x 16" (15.2cm x 40.6cm) double-sided fabric



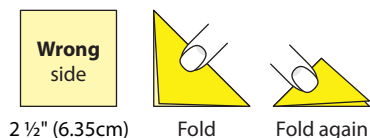
Using templates:
Cut 1 - Leafy Bottom
Cut 1 - Leafy Top

Constructing

PINEAPPLE BODY:

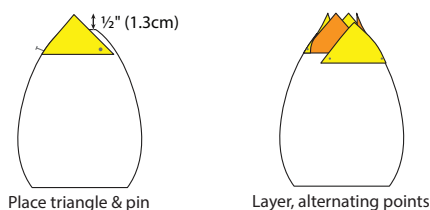
- Place a fabric square with the **wrong** side face up. Fold the square diagonally and finger press the fold. Fold in half again to create a smaller triangle; finger press again (Dia. D).

Dia. D



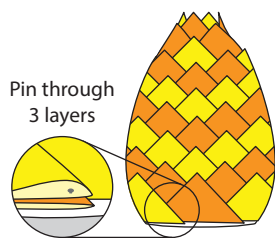
- Place the fabric triangle with the tip $\frac{1}{2}$ " (12.7mm) up above the top of the styrofoam egg (narrow end with hole). Dip the tips of two pins in glue and insert one in each corner along the bottom (cut) edge. Repeat with a second triangle and place it overlapping the pin of the previous triangle. Repeat with two more triangles to complete the first row. Mix the yellow and orange batiks randomly (Dia. E).
- For the next row, alternate the triangle points between the first four triangles in the top row (Dia. E). **Note:** Check that the pins are not visible.

Dia. E



- Continue to follow Steps 4 through 6 until the styrofoam egg is completely covered. For the bottom row only, to hide the pins, lift up the top layer of the triangle corner and pin through three layers instead of four (Dia. F). **Note:** Check that there are no pins showing. The bottom row of triangles should be "sitting" on the bottom edge of the styrofoam. If some styrofoam is showing, use the knife to shave it off.

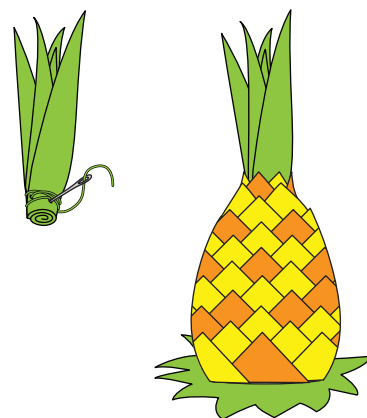
Dia. F



PINEAPPLE LEAVES:

- Leafy Top:** On one side at the bottom edge, start rolling and gathering the fabric until it's tight enough to fit into the hole at the top of the Pineapple. Hand stitch the bottom edge together (Dia. G).
- Leafy Bottom:** Using glue, outline the bottom edge of the Pineapple. Center the Leafy Bottom on top of the glue and press down (Dia. G).
- Carefully pull back the triangles in the top row and squeeze some glue into the top hole. Place a row of glue along the stitched edge of the leafy top and insert into the hole.

Dia. G



Finishing

11. Allow glue to completely dry. Shape leaves as desired.

Optional: Print and add Thank You Card.



Gift Card
Trim on gray line

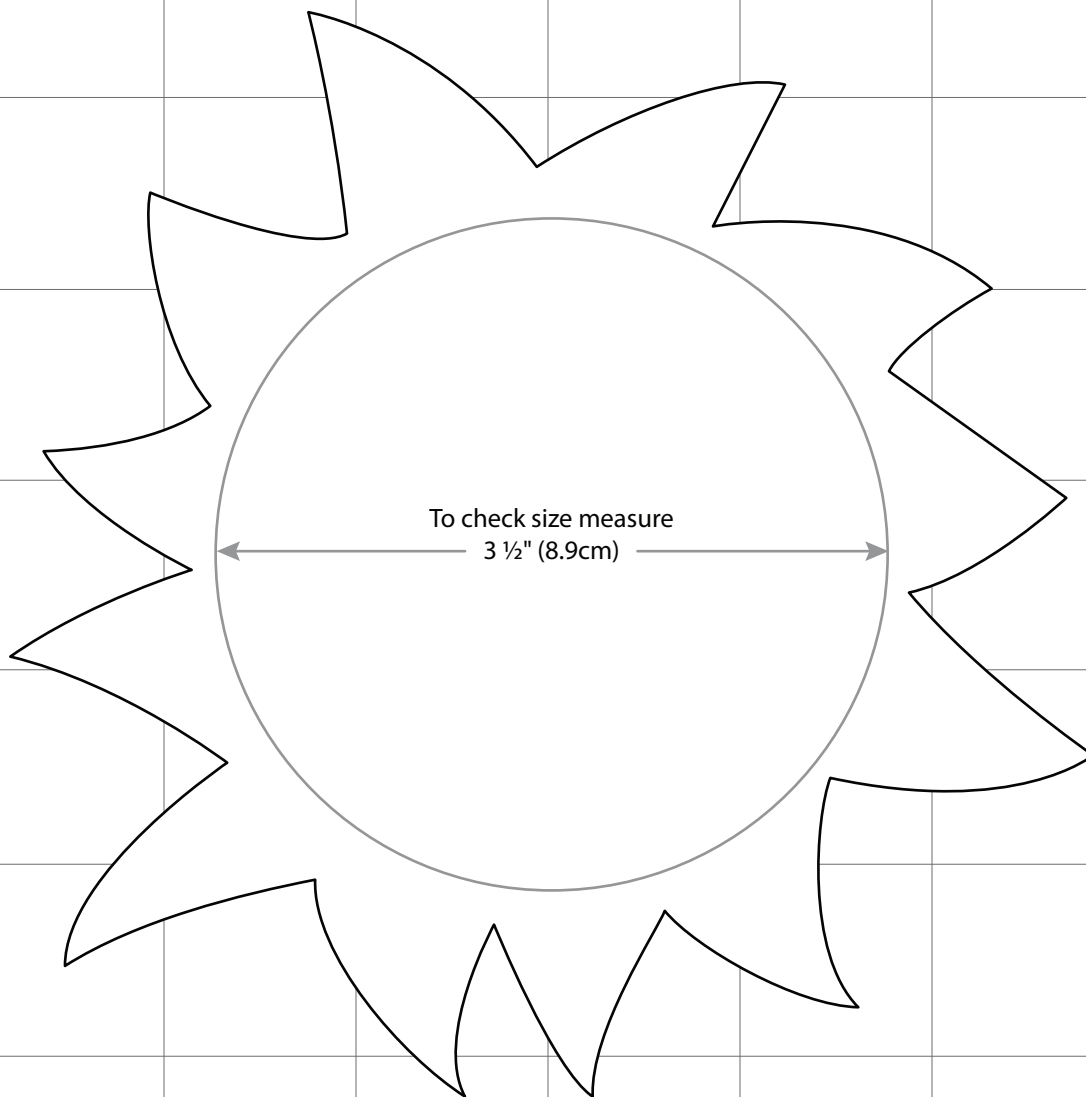
Finished Care Instructions

12. Dust with a cloth or use a hair blower on cool setting to remove dust.

100% Scale:
1 square =
1" x 1"

Pineapple Leafy Bottom Template

Measure the top left corner to ensure the templates printed at the full size. Follow the instructions to cut out templates. All templates are at 100% scale and are reversed for tracing.



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Pineapple Leafy Top Template

Measure the top left corner to ensure the templates printed at the full size. Follow the instructions to cut out templates. All templates are at 100% scale and are reversed for tracing.

