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# Pellon Projects™

Beginner



## Counting Bags

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## SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- Ten 5" x 5" squares of Wool Felt or Solid Fabric
- Ten different 5" x 5" fabric squares
- Ten coordinating 4" x 4" fabric squares
- 1 pkg Pellon® EZ25S EZ-Steam® II
- 1 pkg Pellon® Forever Loft® Latex Fill
- Ten 5" x 5" squares Pellon® 987F Fusible Fleece
- Thread
- Uncooked rice
- Sewing machine and related supplies
- Rotary cutter and related supplies
- Iron and ironing surface

## DIRECTIONS:

1. Using desired font, print out the numbers 0 - 9. Each number should be no larger than 3½" x 3½".
2. Trace each number in reverse onto the gridded backing of the EZ-Steam® II. Roughly cut around each number to separate. Remove the opposite backing.
3. Finger press the sticky side of one piece of the EZ-Steam® II to the wrong side of each of the ten 4" x 4" fabric squares. Cut out numbers.
4. Remove the remaining backing and position each number onto the right side of the 5" x 5" wool felt squares. Finger press into place.
5. Fuse the numbers to the wool felt following manufacturer's instructions. Zig-zag or straight stitch to finish the edges if desired.
6. Place the fusible side of the Fusible Fleece against the wrong side of the 5" x 5" fabric squares and fuse following manufacturer's instructions.
7. Place the wool felt and the fabric squares right sides together and stitch around all four sides leaving a small gap for turning. Clip corners.
8. Turn the squares right side out through the gap and carefully push out corners.
9. Fill each square with equal parts rice and Forever Loft® and hand stitch the openings closed.

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