

MITTIES

Designed and created especially for Pfaff

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Keep your hands warm and your fingers free with our cuddly fleece mitties. So quick to stitch, you'll be making pairs for everyone you know!



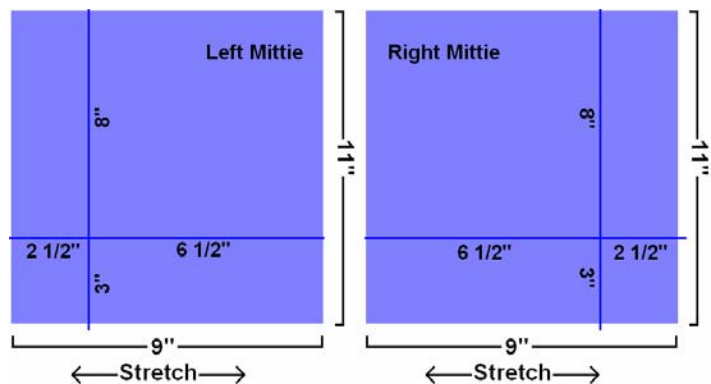
Supplies You'll Need:

- Pfaff creative 2170
- Pfaff creative cd 317 Christmas, design 11
- Pfaff creative 3D Embroidery Artist (to cut apart the embroidery design – you can substitute a different motif if you do not have the ability to edit designs – just make sure the design is about 3" square)
- 2 – 9" x 11" fleece squares (fabric should stretch the most across the 9" direction)
- 2 – 3" x circumference of wrist plus 1" rib knit for cuffs – I KNEW there was a reason I'd saved the bottom ribbing band from those old sweatshirts!
- Rayon embroidery threads, metallic embroidery threads
- Regular sewing thread to match fabric
- Temporary-adhesive water-soluble stabilizer

Let's Get Started:

1. Cut apart and download your favorite single snowflake from design 11 to your Pfaff creative 2170.

2. Following the diagram, use a fabric marker to draw intersecting horizontal and vertical lines on your fabric to create a right and left mittie, as shown.

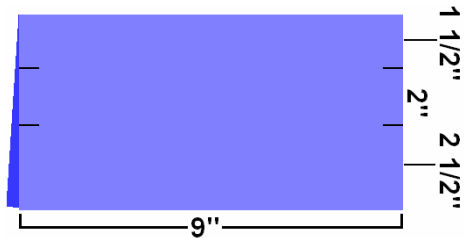


3. Hoop a piece of stabilizer.

4. Center the intersecting horizontal and vertical lines on one mittie in the hoop, aligning the drawn lines with the notches on the hoop.

5. Embroider your chosen design centered on the intersecting lines.

6. Remove from hoop and repeat on second mittie, making sure to mirror image the embroidery motif.
7. Remove excess stabilizer and allow to dry.
8. Following diagram, fold fabric in half, right sides facing, across the 9" width.
9. Using a 1/2" seam allowance, stitch across ONLY the 2" section on each side of both mitties. DO NOT stitch remaining open edges. Clip seam allowance up to, but not through the stitching at both ends.



10. Tuck the right edge inside the mittie so the stitched sections meet.
11. Fold the clipped edges outward so all 4 layers are aligned above and below the stitched sections.
12. Stitch through all 4 layers above and below the 2" stitched sections, being careful to NOT re-stitch the 2" sections.



13. Flip top layer (in photo) right side out over bottom layer, so the 2" stitched sections form a thumb-hole in the side of the mittie and all seam allowances are sandwiched between the layers.
14. With right sides facing, use a 1/2" seam allowance to stitch 3" ends of ribbing together. Turn right side out and fold in half lengthwise to form a double-layer tube.
15. Mark the quarter points on the mittie and the ribbing. Pin right sides together, matching the quarter marks, and use an overcast stitch or your serger to attach the ribbing.