

Creating a Alternate Kaleidoscopic Front for your Triple Play handbag

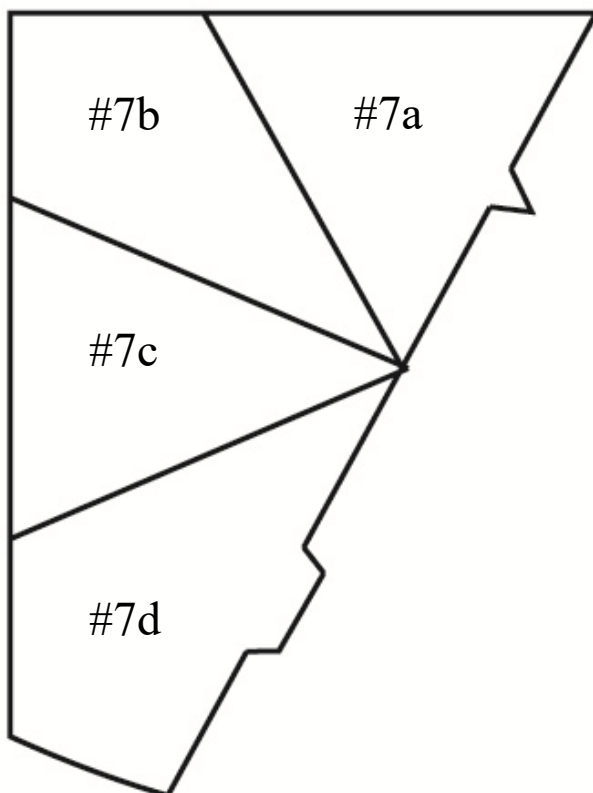
- 1- To create your kaleidoscopic bag Front, you will be using pieces #7 a-e instead of the Bag Front (#7).
- 2- First you'll have to cut out your pattern pieces. #7a and #7e will only be used one time, placed **WSD on the right side** of your fabric for cutting. #7c, #7d, and #7e will be used twice. When these pattern pieces are placed **WSD on the right side** of the fabric, they'll be used on the left side of your finished Bag Front. To create the pieces that will comprise the right side of your finished Bag Front, you'll need to use them again, **BUT** this time--- flip these pattern pieces over so that they're **RSD on the right side** of the fabric for cutting.



In this picture I have the template pieces for the left side of what will be my pieced Bag Front lined up along the desired design element. As you can see, they are all placed WSD on the right side of the fabric.

Next, I laid out the pieces for what would be the right side of my Bag Front (#7b, #7c, #7d and #7e).

BUT--- here's the big difference, for this layout, the ONLY pattern piece that was laid WSD on the right side of the fabric was #7e. Pieces #7b, #7c and #7d were all laid out RSD on the RIGHT side of the fabric!



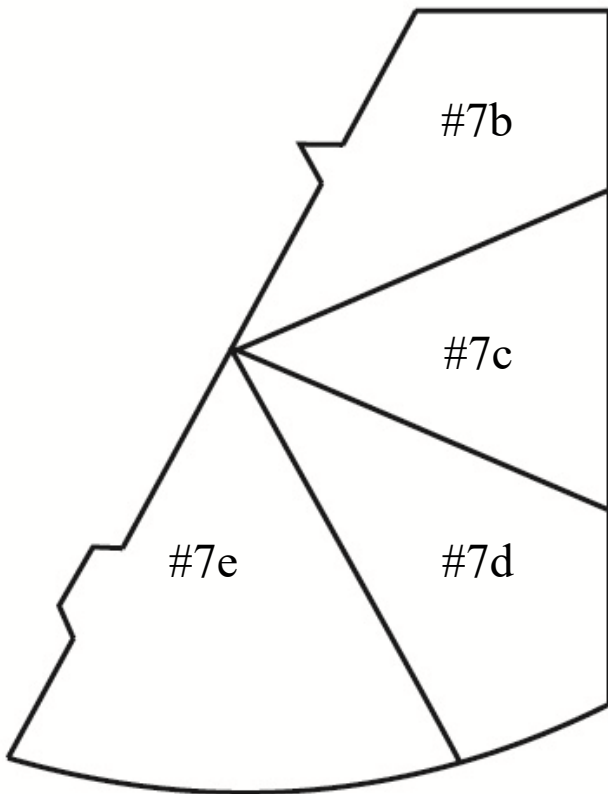
3- let's start stitching them together now.

Begin by stitching #7b to #7c (matching double notches)

Then, stitch #7a to the free edge of #7b matching single notches

And finally, stitch #7d to the free edge of #7c matching triple notches. Press all seams open.

When you're done, it should look like the figure at left.



4- Now, for the right side of your pieced Bag Front.

Begin this time by stitching #7c to #7d (matching triple notches)

Then, stitch #7b to the free edge of #7c matching double notches

And finally, stitch #7e to the free edge of #7d matching quadruple notches. Press all seams open.

When you're done, it should look like the figure at left.



5-Let's finish your pieced Bag Front

Place the left-side unit you made in step 3 RST with the unit you made in step 4, matching the single notches of #7a with the #7b...

And the quadruple notches on #7e with #7d.

When you're done, it should look like the figure at left.

You're DONE! Use your pieced #7 in step 7 of the ***Triple Play*** instructions. Wasn't that ***EASY?***

Now even if you run into someone who's made a Triple in the same fabric as you, YOUR bag will look totally