



MATERIALS

Coats & Clark™ Dual Duty XP® All-purpose Thread

Coats & Clark™ All-purpose zipper, 12" (30.5cm)

½ yd (46cm) main fabric

¼ yd (46cm) pocket fabric

⅝ yd (57cm) woven fusible interfacing

¾ yd (69cm) grosgrain ribbon, ¾" (1 cm) wide

1 yd (1m) decorative elastic, 1" (2.5cm) wide

One rectangular metal ring, 1" (2.5cm)

Removable fabric marker

Zipper foot

 SEWING | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

Featuring Coats & Clark™ Dual Duty XP® All-purpose Thread & Coats & Clark™ All-purpose zipper, 12" (30.5cm)

If your chargers, cords, plugs and jump drives are crammed in a junk drawer, organize them with this handy caddy. Two pockets hold the items, and the elastic bands keep cords in place.

MEASUREMENTS

14½" x 9½" (37cm x 24cm) (open)

CUTTING

From the main fabric, cut:

(2) rectangles, 10" x 15" (25.5cm x 38cm)

(1) strip, 2½" x 3" (6.5cm x 8cm), for hanger loop

From the pocket fabric, cut:

(2) rectangles, 6" x 10" (15cm x 25.5cm)

From the interfacing, cut:

(2) rectangles, 10" x 15" (25.5cm x 38cm)

(1) strip, 2½" x 3" (6.5cm x 8cm)

PREPARATION

Following the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the interfacing pieces to the wrong side of their respective main fabric pieces. Seam allowances are ¼" (.64cm).

ASSEMBLING THE INSIDE

1. To prepare the hanger loop, press the strip in half lengthwise, then unfold and press both short edges to the center. Topstitch both edges to make a loop 1" x 2½" (2.5cm x 6.5cm). Slip the loop through the rectangular ring and baste the ends together.



2. Mark the top and bottom centers of one interfaced rectangle. Position the elastic 1¼" (3cm) on each side of center, evenly along the length. Pin in place and trim excess length. Mark the location of the elastic stitching lines as follows (measured from the top): 3", 5", 7½" and 9" (7.5cm, 13cm, 19cm and 23cm). Sew across the elastic width at each marking, backstitching at both ends.
3. Matching the raw edges, baste the hanger loop to the upper center marking.
4. Press under 1" (2.5cm) on one long edge of each pocket rectangle. Place the folded edge along the zipper teeth and stitch close to the fold. Repeat for the opposite side of the zipper, aligning the ends. Fold the pocket in half at the zipper and baste the ends and lower edges together. Stitch across the zipper teeth at the extending end, zip the zipper, and cut off the excess length.

5. Aligning the edges, sew the pocket to the lower edge of the organizer inside. Leave the zipper open part way to avoid having the pull close to the seam allowance.
6. Fold the ribbon in half and baste to the lower edge center (over the pocket) with the fold aligned with the raw edges.

ASSEMBLING THE ORGANIZER

1. Place the pocketed inside section right sides together with the unpocketed section, matching raw edges. Pin the ribbon ends out of the seam area. Sew around the edges, leaving an opening for turning along one long edge.
2. Trim the corners, then turn the organizer right side out. Press the edges (avoid pressing over the elastic), turning under the seam allowances at the opening. Hand-stitch the opening closed.
3. Topstitch around the edges, leaving the ribbon free. Trim ribbon ends, if desired.

FINISHING

1. Fill the elasticized sections with folded cords and put connectors in the pocket.
2. Hang on the wall, or roll or fold for travel, tying it closed with the ribbons.

