MULTI-STAMP TRANSFER

44-INCH GIRL DOLL

This pattern (complete in 2 sheets) contains directions and pattern pieces for making a 44-inch Doll. Use a flesh-colored washable cotton fabric such as broadcloth or percale or some similar closely woven fabric for Doll. Fabrics of rayon content, novelty weaves and blends are not recommended. Use polyester filler for stuffing, rug yarn for Hair and mercerized six-strand cotton floss for embroidery. A pattern for Shoes is included, chart is given for Dress, or use discarded children's clothing.

NOTE: Please read Stamping Directions completely before starting to stamp fabric.

COMPLETED DOLL MEASURES 44" TALL.

MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS: Use only fabric recommended as all fabrics react differently to the stamping ink. Doll: 1-1/3 yds. 44" fabric; Stuffing: About 4 lbs. polyester filler; Hair: Rug yarn in desired color; Eyelashes: Black synthetic yarn inworsted weight; Embroidery: Six-strand cotton embroidery floss - Black for Eyebrows and None, Red for Mouth and Blue or Brown for Eyes; Shoes: 1/4 yd. felt, a piece of cardboard for Soles, two small snaps and 1/4 yd. of 1/2" elastic; Dress: 1-1/8 yards fabric, 1-1/4 yds. eyelet for lace ruffling, 1-1/2 yds. 1-inch ribbon for tie, 4 snaps and elastic thread.

STAMPING DIRECTIONS: Do NOT stamp Ear or Shoe pattern pieces. Cut all other pieces from pattern, Match A's on front center body pieces and B's on back center body pieces before stamping and stamp all in one piece. Protect ironing board with clean fabric or heavy brown paper as the stamping lines may bleed through the fabric. Pin pattern pieces securely to fabric, PRINTED SIDE (INKED SIDE) DOWN. Set temperature control on iron between Synthetic and Wool. Use a dry iron; never use steam. Place iron straight down over motif, press down hard, count 10. Do not move iron back and forth over pattern piece as this smudges stamping. Lift iron straight up and place over pattern piece as many times as necessary to complete stamping. If you stamp more than one design, or the pattern piece you are stamping is large, gradually reduce the "count" time as so not to scorch the fabric.

CUTTING THE PATTERN: Cut on the outer line; the inner dashed line is the sewing line. After front and back center body pieces have been stamped, fold piece in half lengthwise and cut lower part on fold. The front and back center body pieces must then be seamed together at top of head, matching C's (as the joining is under the hair, it will not show), cut out the other stamped pieces. Use the used transfers as traces patterns to cut one reverse of side body piece; cut one and two reverse arm and leg pieces. Trace all lines and dots on pieces not stamped; place reverse eye in correct position on reverse sidebody piece and stamp it. Cut 2 and 3 reverse ear pieces. Cut 2 and 3 reverse shoe upper and sole pieces. Mark exactly like pattern. Trace outline of shoe sole on card-board and cut out on line. Cut pieces for dress from Chart given. Measurements are given for Skirt. Each block in Chart measures 1 inch; make paper patterns first, then cut from fabric. Slash through one side of bodice to neck indicated by darkened line on Chart for center back opening; slash skirt 6 inches in center of 16 inch piece as indicated on Chart.

MAKING DOLL: Embroider Mouth in Satin Stitch, None in Outline Stitch. After Doll is stuffed, embroider the Eyes in Satin and Outline Stitch, Eyebrows in Outline Stitch. For Eyelashes, withworsted weight yarn, take stitches along edge of Eye and let 1/2 inch length of yarn extend from each side (see Detail); trim when completed (see Detail). Sew all darts on doll body pieces. The body of doll is formed by three pieces. Join center body strips matching D's; match parts of Eyes on this piece with rest of Eyes on the two body pieces, pin together wrong side out and stitch leaving bottom edge free for stuffing. Slash edges on inside curves, turn and stuff. Pin opening. Join two pieces together for each leg; join sole to bottom of each foot easing around heel and toe. Slash edges, turn and stuff them to dashed line; top-stitch at dashed line and secure bottom opening and insert in bottom of body of doll; saw bottom and legs securely together, Join pieces for arms leaving top edge free, Slash edges, turn and stuff to dashed line; top-stitch at dashed line and attach them to shoulder of doll at dashed line. Face ear pieces and pad slightly; attach to head on lines.

MAKING HAIR: Thread a darning needle with rug yarn and fill in dots in front by taking one stitch up and down on each dot and leaving 3-1/2 inches of yarn extend (see Details 1 and 2). Working from hairline to top of head, fill in head with long outline stitches, letting 11 inches of yarn extend down every other row. (See Details 2 and 3.) Tie all strands of yarn together at top; curl slightly. Dampen and set buns in pin curls; comb out when dry and trim ends.

MAKING DRESS: With right sides of fabric together, join side seams of bodice. Turn in edge of sleeve 1/4 inch and baste ruffling to it; top-stitch. With elastic thread, run a row of small stitches close to edge; gather to fit doll's arm and secure thread. Make 1/4" slashes on neck edge; turn under same as for sleeve and baste ruffling to it; top-stitch. Seam pieces for skirt; gather skirt to fit waistline of dress and stitch. Hem center back opening and lower edge of dress. Sew snaps equally spaced to center back opening. Tie ribbon around waist.

MAKING SHOES: Cover cardboard pieces with sole pieces, Seam center back of upper. Match notches on sole piece with center back seam, then sew upper to sole easing around heel and toe. Attach center of strips to back seam; attach snaps to ends of straps for closing. Sew two pieces of elastic to bottom of shoes at X's.

DRESS CHART

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1 Square = 1 Inch
Part 2
Side Body

Center back body piece transfer half transfer other half

Fold ear away before stamping