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**19999-21 In the Hoop  
Watermelon Coin Purse**

4.10 X 6.02 in.  
104.14 X 152.91 mm  
4,018 St. **L**

Listings below indicate color sample, stitching order and suggested thread color number. "I" refers to Isacord thread and "T" refers to Timeless thread. Colors beginning with 20501 refer to YLI Fine Metallics, 7 refer to Yenmet Metallic, 8 refer to YLI Variations Variegated Thread and 9 refer to Isacord Multicolor Variegated.

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■	1. Zipper Placement Stitch.....	0020	28151
■	2. Zipper Tackdown.....	0020	28151
■	3. Front Panel Tackdowns.....	1900	12115
■	4. Cream Rind Shading.....	0870	20148
■	5. Rind Placement Stitch.....	5633	18154
■	6. Rind Cut Line & Tackdown.....	5633	18154
■	7. Rind Cover Stitch.....	5633	18154
■	8. Seeds.....	0020	28151
■	9. Seam Stitch.....	0020	28151

⌘ Design contains a loose fill.

⚙ Some solid areas shown are not stitched.

**L** Design is larger than 5" (127 mm) in either direction.

**S** Design is smaller than 1.5" (38.1 mm) in either direction.



# In the Hoop Watermelon Coin Purse

## Instructions

In honor of Watermelon Day on August 3, you can create a watermelon shaped zippered coin purse in the hoop of your embroidery machine. Use red fabric for the main purse and green fabric for the rind. Seeds are stitched on the bottom part of the purse. Add a cord for a handle. It is a quick and fun in the hoop project. Enjoy!

### Supplies:

- OESD embroidery design In the Hoop Watermelon Coin Purse
- Medium tear away stabilizer
- ¼ yd. red fabric (pouch)
- 7" x 5" piece green fabric (rind)
- 7" red zipper
- Embroidery threads
- Temporary spray adhesive
- *Optional* ¾ yd. cord (handle)

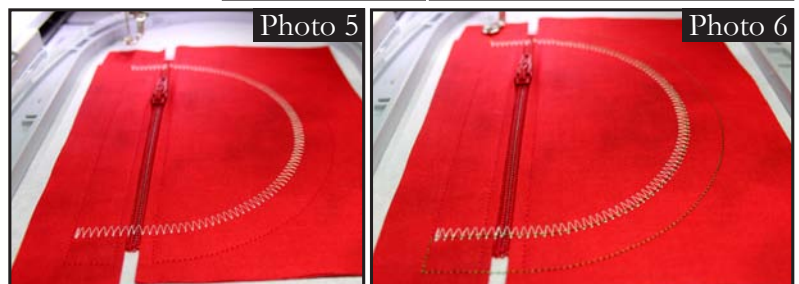
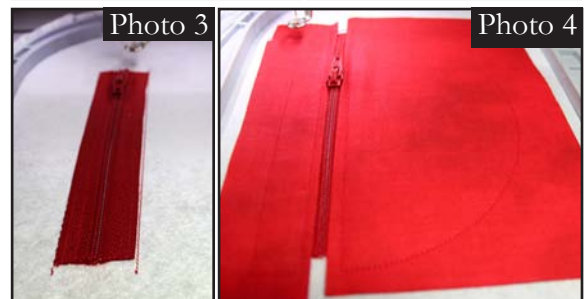
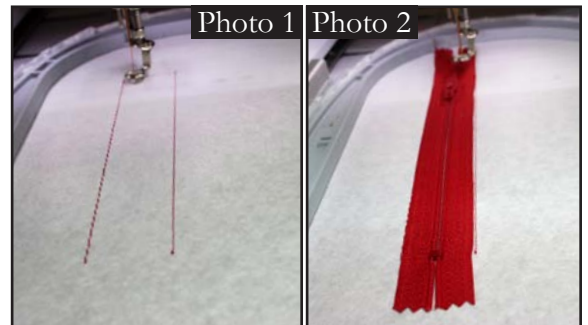


### Cut:

- (1) 7" x 3" piece red fabric (fold in half to measure 7" x 1 ½") (upper top)
- (1) 7" x 8" piece red fabric (fold in half to measure 7" x 4") (lower top)
- (1) 7" x 10" piece red fabric (fold in half to measure 7" x 5") (back)
- (1) 1" x 5" piece red fabric (zipper pull strip)

### Instructions:

- Hoop tear away stabilizer.
- Stitch first stitch of embroidery design which is the Zipper Placement Stitch. **Photo 1**
- Using temporary spray adhesive, spray the zipper placement stitch. Center and place zipper over the stitching lines. Unzip the zipper. **Photo 2**
- Stitch the second stitch of embroidery design called Zipper Tackdown. Trim the ends of the zipper on either end outside the stitching line. **Photo 3**
- Using upper top and lower top fabric pieces, fold in half as indicated in the cut section, wrong sides together. Press. Center and place upper top fabric with folded edge to top teeth of zipper, leaving at least a ¼" on either end. Center and place lower fabric with folded edge to bottom teeth of zipper, leaving at least a ¼" on either end.
- Stitch the next stitch of the embroidery design called Front Panel Tackdowns. This will stitch upper top and lower fabric sections in place. **Photo 4**
- The next stitch is a color change called the Cream Rind Shading. Change colors and stitch. **Photo 5**
- Stitch the next color change called Rind Placement Stitch. It will stitch the placement line for placing the green fabric for the rind. **Photo 6**



- Place the fabric over the placement stitch right side up. Stitch the next color called Rind Cut Line and Tackdown. **Photo 7**
- Trim the fabric on the inside of the cut line. **Photo 8**
- Leaving the same thread on the embroidery machine, stitch the next color called Rind Cover Stitch. Change colors of thread and stitch the next stitch called Seeds. **Photo 9**
- *Optional:* A cord strap using  $\frac{3}{4}$  yd. cord. Tape the cord ends in the upper top section inside the stitching line and making sure the cord is not in the stitching lines for the rest of the purse before placing the back fabric over the top section.
- Unzip the zipper halfway. Right sides together, place back fabric over top section. Stitch the final stitch called Seam Stitch. Use a red embroidery thread to match the red fabric for the final stitching. This will stitch the sections together. **Photo 10**
- Remove the purse from the hoop and trim excess stabilizer and fabric. Trim the stabilizer from the zipper before turning right side out. **Photo 11**
- Turn right side out. Press. **Photo 12**
- Using 1" x 5" piece fabric (zipper pull strip), fold and press in half, wrong sides together. Fold raw edges in to meet fold line. Press. Topstitch. Cut one end at an angle to insert into the end of the zipper pull. Fold the strip over onto itself, and stitch the two pieces together. Trim other end of strip at an angle.
- Have fun making the in the hoop Watermelon Coin Purse.

