

Product Usage Instructions

SoftWeb

For use with hand appliqué or hand-guided machine appliqué

- Place SoftWeb over the pattern with the paper side UP.
- Trace the pattern. The pattern should be REVERSED from the way it will be used in the project.
- Rough-cut the SoftWeb approximately ¼" from the edge of the traced pattern.
- Place the SoftWeb web side DOWN (Paper side UP) onto the WRONG side of the appliqué fabric.
- From the paper side, press with a dry, medium-hot iron (silk setting) for 3-5 seconds. SoftWeb is very fine, so it takes only a few seconds to bond.
- Cut out the shape you traced on the paper backing.
- Peel away the paper backing from the appliqué fabric.
- Position appliqué fabric onto backing fabric.
- Press into place with a dry, medium-hot iron (silk setting) iron for 3-5 seconds.
- Finish appliqué with hand or machine stitching.

For use with machine-embroidered (in the hoop) appliqué:

- Prepare fabric for appliqué by hooping with the appropriate stabilizer. Stitch the placement stitch for the appliqué design.

Using a printed appliqué pattern:

- On an inkjet printer, print a mirror image of the applique shape (at 100% scale) onto the paper side of the SoftWeb sheet.
 - Rough-cut the SoftWeb approximately ¼" from the edge of the printed pattern.
 - Place the SoftWeb web side DOWN (Paper side UP) onto the WRONG side of the appliqué fabric.
 - From the paper side, press with a dry, medium-hot iron (silk setting) for 3-5 seconds. SoftWeb is very fine, so it takes only a few seconds to bond.
 - Cut out the shape printed on the paper backing.
 - Peel away the paper backing from the appliqué fabric.
 - Remove the hoop from the embroidery machine.
 - Place hoop onto pressing surface.
 - Position appliqué fabric onto backing fabric, aligning it with the placement lines.
 - Press appliqué fabric into place with an iron. Use a dry, medium-hot iron (silk setting) for 3-5 seconds.
 - Return the hoop to the machine and stitch remaining color changes to complete your design.
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