

## GO! Witchy Cat Treat Sack

Finished Size 12" x 15" x 2"

Fabrics provided by Riley Blake Fabrics



### GO!® Dies Used, Number of Shapes to Cut & Fabric Requirements

Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
9 or 18 Assorted Halloween Prints		GO! Square-4½" (4" Finished) (55060 or 55018)	If using 55060, Cut 2—9½" x width of fabric (WOF) strips. Fanfold the strip into 9½" widths. Cut 18—4½" squares (two of each print - one for front of tote, one for back of tote or 18 assorted). If using 55018, Cut 3—5" x WOF strips. Fanfold the strip into 5" widths. Cut 18—4½" squares (two of each print - one for front of tote, one for back of tote or 18 assorted).	Fat eighths or charm pack
*Green		GO! Ribbon Twist (55055)	Cut 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "W x 3"H rectangle. Lay rectangle on 2 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "W x 2 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "H ribbon twist and cut 1—ribbon twist.	Fat eighth or scrap
*Green		GO! Heather Feather #1 by Sarah Vedeler (55087)	Cut 2¼"W x 3¾"H rectangle. Lay rectangle on 1 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>16</sub> " x 3¼" feather and cut 1—feather.	Yardage included above
Black		GO! Calico Cat (55065)	Cut 3 5/8"W x 5"H rectangle. Lay rectangle on cat and cut 1—cat.	1/3 Yard
Black		GO! Strip Cutter-4½" (4" Finished) (55054)	Cut 2—4½" x WOF strips. Sub cut <u>one</u> strip into 2—12½" lengths.	Yardage included above
White		GO! Square-8½" (8" Finished) (55058)	Cut 1—9"W x 9"H square. Lay square on 8½" square and cut 1—8½" square. 8½" square will be trimmed to 7" x 8½" after machine embroidery	Fat Eighth

### Additional Fabrics Needed:

- Lining Fabric—3/8 Yard  
2 pieces—12½" x 16½"  
1 piece—7" x 8½"
- Muslin Fabric—3/8 Yard  
2 pieces—12½" x 16½"

- Fusible Fleece or Batting—1/2 Yard  
2 pieces—12½" x 16½"  
1 piece—7" x 8½"  
1 piece—1⅞" x WOF (optional)
- Fusible Web—1/8 Yard

### Additional Product Needed:

GO! Calico Cat with Witch Hat Embroidery Designs by V-Stitch Designs (VQ-CCWH)

### Sewing Directions

1. Following the instructions provided with the GO! Calico Cat with Witch Hat Embroidery Designs by V-Stitch Designs (VQ-CCWH), machine appliqué one cat with hat blocks.

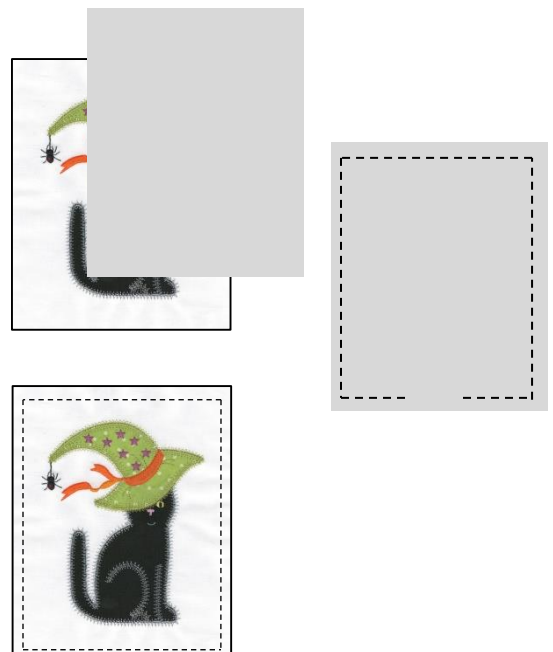
Use the following block images as a reference. 1 white 8½" square, 1 green ribbon twist, 1 green feather, 1 calico cat.



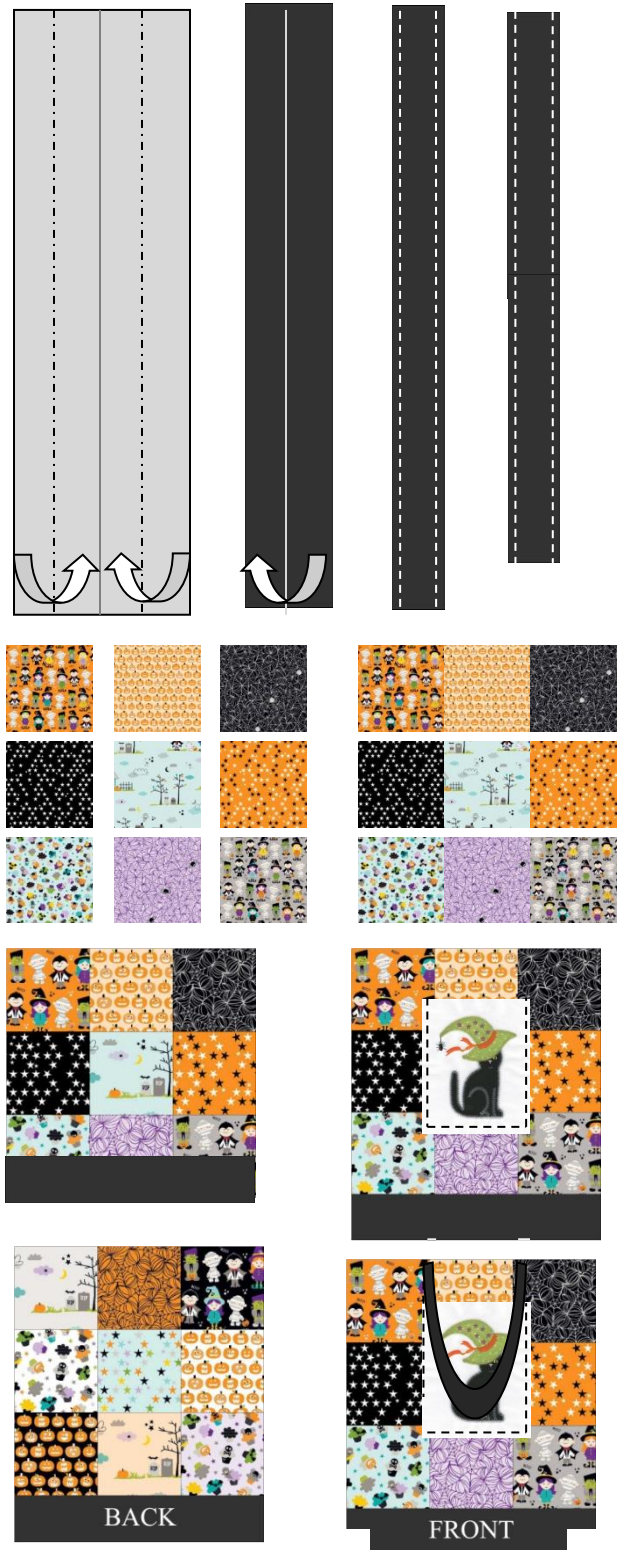
Trim embroidered block to 7"W x 8½"H.

2. Prepare Pocket

- Fuse/baste fusible fleece/batting to the wrong side of the embroidered block.
- Place 7"W x 8½"H embroidered block and 7"W x 8½"H lining fabric right sides together.
- Pin and sew around all four sides, leaving an opening for turning.
- Clip corners, turn right side out, and press.



- Top stitch around all four sides with a scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance.
  - Set aside.
3. Prepare Handles:
- Press the black  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip in half lengthwise, wrong sides together.
  - Open fabric up and press each outside edge to the center, wrong sides together.
  - Optional: Fuse/place the  $1\frac{1}{8}$ " x WOF strip of fusible fleece/batting on the inside along the center pressed line.
  - Fold fabric in half and press.
  - Top-stitch down each side of strap close to the edge to create the handle. Sub cut into two straps 18" long.
  - Set aside
4. Lay out nine assorted print  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares to form a Nine Patch Block as shown.
5. Pin and sew three rows. Press seams in alternate directions for each row.
6. Pin and sew row units together to create a  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " square Nine Patch Block.
7. Pin and sew one black  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " strip to the bottom of the Nine Patch Block, as shown. This will be the front of your treat sack.
8. Layer a  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $16\frac{1}{2}$ " piece fusible fleece or batting between the front of your treat sack and a  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $16\frac{1}{2}$ " piece of muslin. Pin or baste layers together. Quilt as desired.
9. Center the pocket unit approximately  $2\frac{3}{4}$ " down from the top of the quilted treat sack front. Top stitch the pocket in place, sewing around three sides and leaving the top open. Follow the scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance stitches on the pocket unit.
10. Repeat steps 4—8 to create the back of your treat tote.
11. Center, pin, and baste one handle on either side of the middle square on the quilted front unit, as shown. Line up the raw edges of the handle with the raw edge of the top of the bag exterior. Use a  $\frac{1}{8}$ " seam allowance.



12. Repeat step 11 for the quilted back of the treat sack.
13. Cut a 1" square out of both lower bottom corners of the quilted front unit, quilted back unit, lining front and lining back.
14. Pin and sew the quilted front unit to the quilted back unit with right sides together. Sew down both sides and across the bottom edge, leaving the area where you cut the squares open, as shown.
15. Open the seam allowances. Fold so that the side seam is aligned with the bottom seam. This will create a box-shaped gusset.
16. Pin and sew with a ¼" seam allowance, making sure the seams are lined up.
17. Turn unit right side out.
18. Pin and sew the lining front to the lining back with right sides together. Sew down both sides and the bottom edge, leaving the area where you cut the squares open and a 3" opening along the bottom (for turning), as shown.
19. Repeat steps 15 and 16 to create a gusset in the lining unit. Leave right sides together.
20. Place the open lining unit, wrong sides facing out, on the table. Insert the quilted unit, right sides out, inside the lining unit. With right sides together, line up the side seams and pin around the top edges.
21. Stitch around the entire top edge with a ¼" seam.
22. Turn the bag right side out (pull the bag through the 3" opening left in the bottom of the bag lining). Push the lining back down inside the bag, making sure the top seam is even and the side seams match. Press.
23. Top stitch around the top seam perimeter using a ¼" seam allowance.
24. Sew the opening in the lining closed.

