

Set of three Pink Christmas Russian Dolls

Perfect for a gift or to decorate your home.

Sizes; Large 7" x 5.4"
(17.6cm x 13.8cm)
Medium 6" x 4"
(15.8cm x 10.4cm)
Small 5.5" x 3.6"
(14.1cm x 9.3cm)



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Read instructions carefully before starting the project.

Tools required:

- Brother embroidery/sewing machine and accessories
- Free embroidery design to download. Large, medium and small with this pattern (see end of instructions)
- Hand needle, embroidery scissors to trim appliqué, scissors, pins etc.
- Optional cutting mat, ruler and rotary cutter

Materials:

- 8" (20cm) fabric for doll back and front scarf
- Enough 8" (20cm) fabric strips (random width) to make a piece of fabric 8" x 6" (20 x 15cm)
- Small amount of pale pink fabric for face
- Embroidery threads, black/hair and eyes, pink/cheeks, pink to match face fabric, thread to match your back fabric
- Toy fill
- Tear away stabilizer
- Double sided tape
- Optional ball bell to make rattle

Preparation and Cutting:

1. Cut a strip of the back and front scarf fabric 8" x 4" (20 x 10cm).
2. Join the random width strips together 3/8" (1cm) seams until you have a piece 8" x 6" (20 x 15cm).
3. Join 1 and 2 together.

Embroidering the Design:

1. Load the free embroidery design to your embroidery machine.
2. Because of the wide variety of embroidery machines made by Brother the process may vary from model to model. Consult your instruction manual for more instructions.
3. Hoop the embroidery frame with a good embroidery tear-a-way.
4. Using pink face thread stitch the doll outline and scarf registration mark.
5. Use double sided tape outside the doll outline.
6. Take your prepared strip of fabric. Using the registration, stitch line to position fabric on the division line between the scarf fabric and the strips.
7. Stick down onto the double sided tape.
8. Attach fabric to the stabiliser with the next stitching.
9. Appliqué face:
 - Stitch placement line for face

- Place face fabric right side up over stitching, making sure it's covered
- Stitch down
- Cut excess fabric away carefully
- Satin stitch to cover raw edges

10. Change thread to black, stitch hair and eyes.

11. Change thread to pink for cheeks and stitch cheeks.

12. Change thread to match back fabric, cover embroidery with back fabric, right side down and stitch outline.

13. Remove from embroidery frame and carefully remove the stabiliser.

14. Cut around doll removing excess fabric about 1/4" (0.6cm) seam.

15. Turn right side out and stuff firmly with the toy fill, if using, insert the bell into the middle of stuffing.

16. Slip stitch opening closed.

17. Repeat for the other two sizes.

Congratulations! Your Set of three Pink Christmas Russian Dolls are now finished.



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