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## *Anleitung zur Herstellung eines Ith-Mug-Rugs*



These instructions are used to create a so-called ITH Mug Rug. The Mug Rug is embroidered ITH (In the Hoop), which means that it is created entirely in the embroidery hoop. The Mug Rug is easy to embroider and is also suitable for beginners.

### **Required material:**

1. Embroidery stabilizer - preferably tearable stabilizer
2. Felt - preferably embroidery felt 1.5-2mm thick
3. Depending on your preference: adhesive spray, remnants of adhesive fleece, aqua fixing pen, painter's tape



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## **1. Clamp the embroidery stabilizer**

The embroidery stabilizer is clamped drum-tight in the frame.



Example: clamped-in tear-away stabilizer

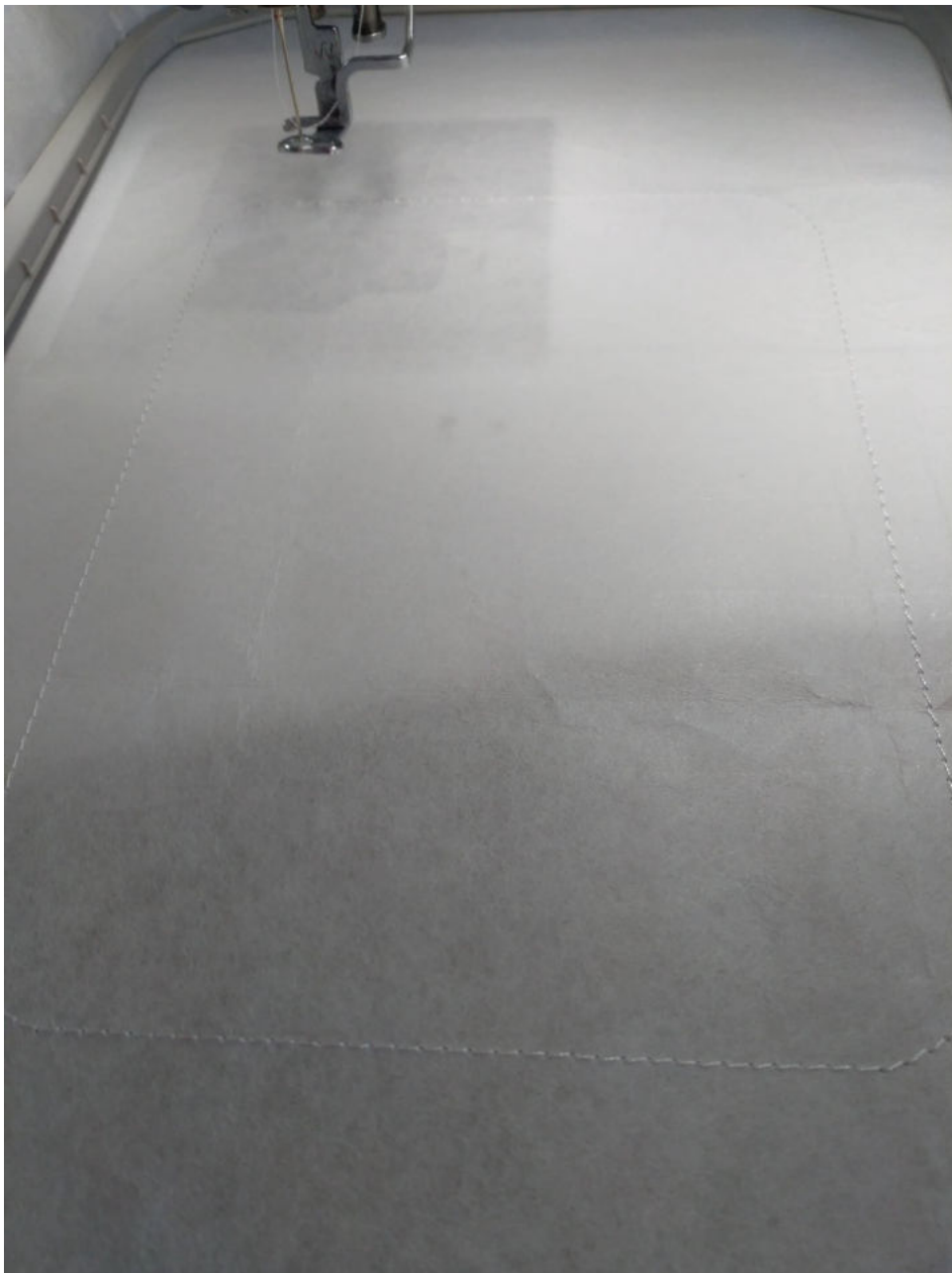


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## **2. Embroidery stitch out**

The marking sequence is first embroidered on the embroidery stabilizer.



Example: marking sequence embroidered on stabilizer



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Then the felt is fixed with spray time adhesive, fixing markers, adhesive tape or the like, as desired. You can also just put the felt on, but you should watch the embroidery process to see if the felt is not shifting, so it is not recommended. The end result may depend on it.



Example: The felt is fixed with adhesive spray on the fleece above the marking.



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Now embroider the felt onto the stabilizer with the next embroidery sequence. Then a marking sequence for a circle is embroidered. Then it looks like this:



Now you put a sufficiently large piece of fabric on the circle, in my example artificial leather was chosen. It is best to fix it again with a suitable spray adhesive so that it does not slip:

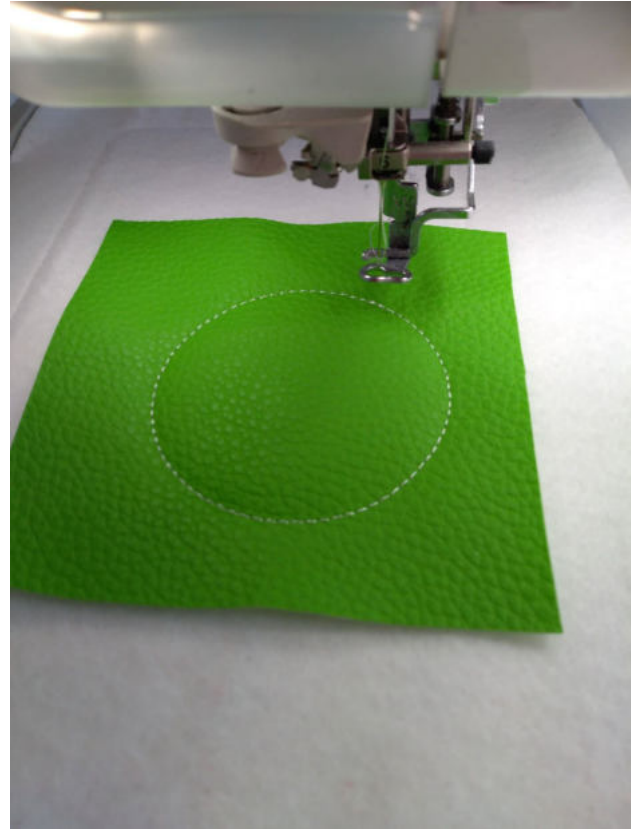




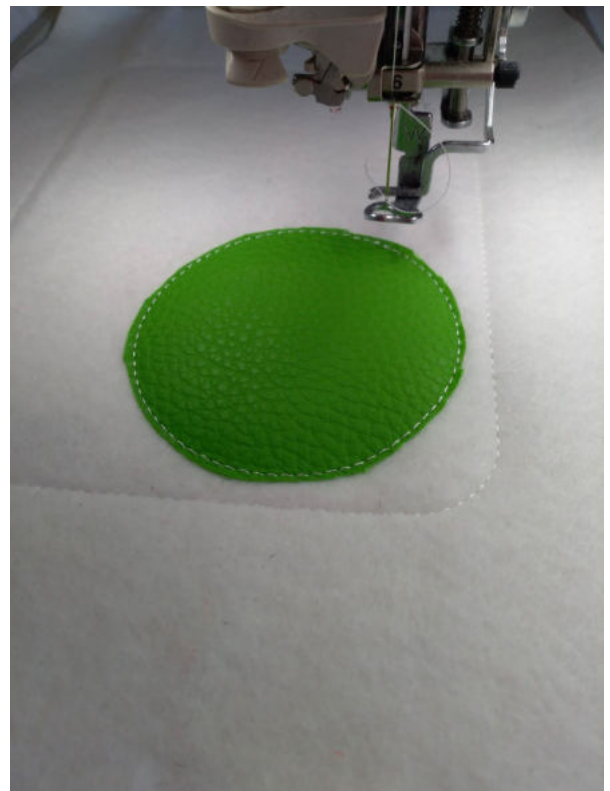
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Then the artificial leather is stitched on,  
then it looks like this:



Now cut out the fabric close to the edge  
around the circle, then it looks like this:

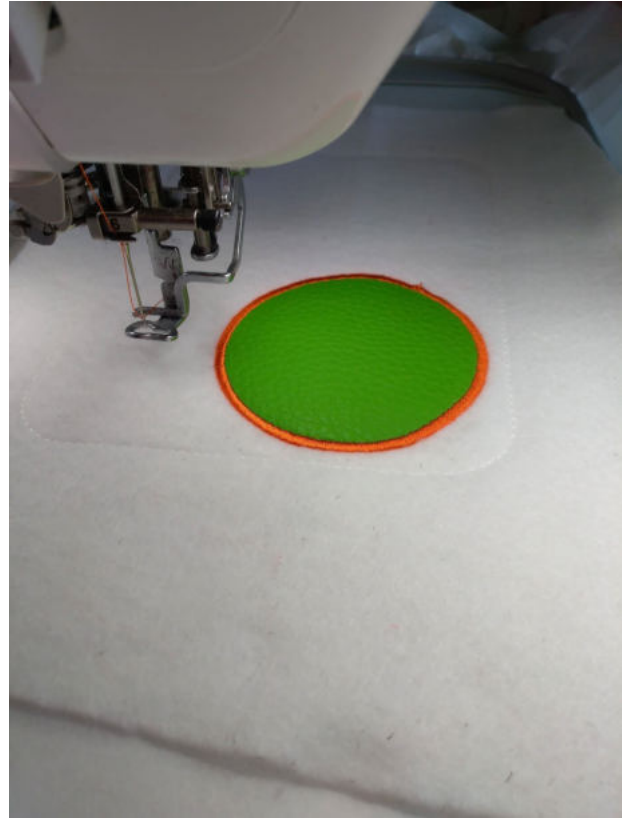




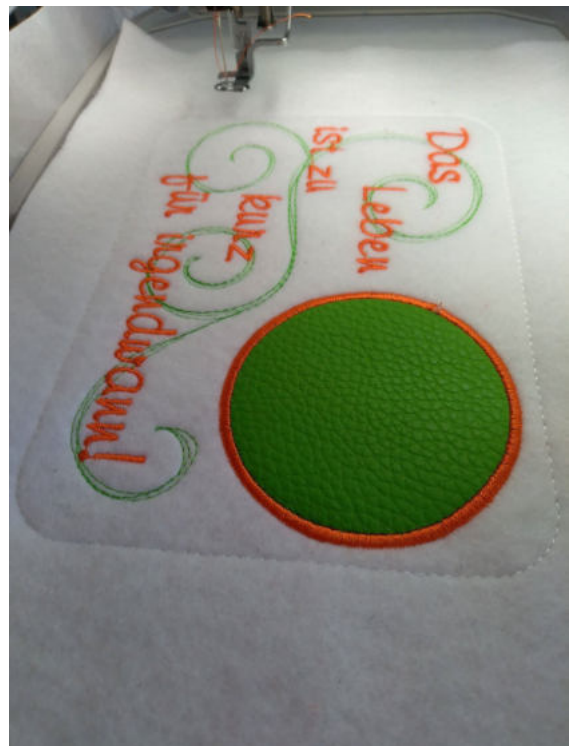
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With the next stick sequence, the circle is neatly finished with a satin stitch. Then it looks like this:



Then the rest of the motif is embroidered.  
Then it looks like this in the example:





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When all sequences (except the last one) have been sewn, ONLY the hoop is removed from the embroidery machine and turned over. Now the second piece of felt is needed for the back of the Mug Rug.

Underside of the embroidery frame:  
Depending on your preference, the back can be prepared with spray time adhesive or aqua fixing pen to fix the felt.



Then the felt is fixed and the embroidery frame is put back into the embroidery machine and the last embroidery sequence can be embroidered. With the last embroidery sequence, the underside of the Mug Rug is embroidered.

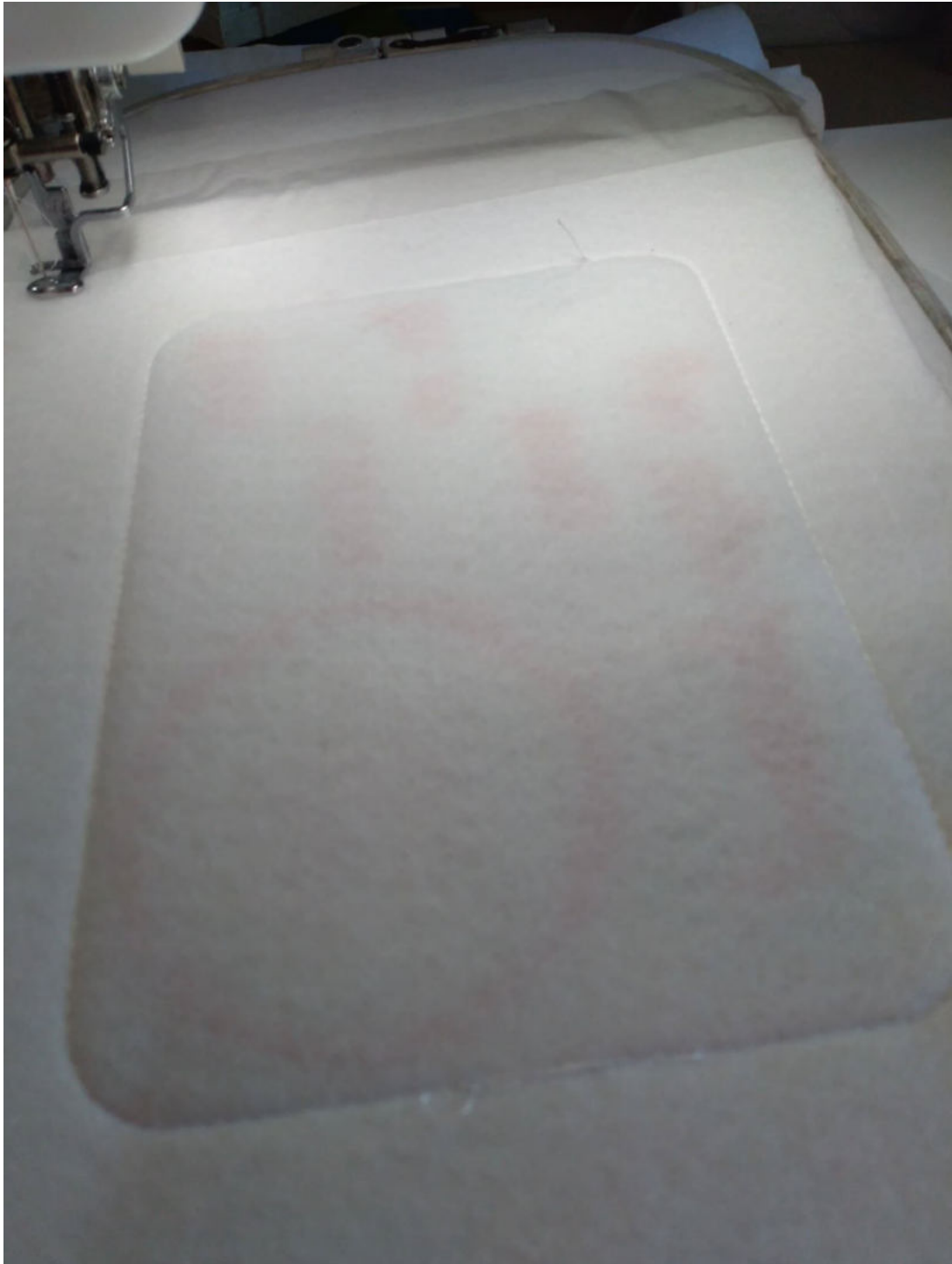
For the last embroidery sequence, please make sure that the embroidery foot may have to be raised if you have used thick felt / synthetic leather. The embroidery foot should be a little higher than the felt. A sheet of paper should at least fit through between the felt and the embroidery foot.



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If you then turn the frame around, it looks like this:





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The mug rug is now removed from the frame and cut out next to the embroidered edge. Be careful not to cut into the embroidered seam.



Now he's done. You can now place a cup on the circular area - or a wine glass;)

Have fun embroidering!

