



## Pretty Little Pots

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### 24. Pina's Pot

Finished size: 4 1/4" x 6 1/4"



#### Requirements:

Background fabric: 6" x 8"

Wool: 3" x 5" light pink, 3" x 3" orange, 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" moss green and leaf green

80 weight thread (or similar): neutral

Batting: 2" x 2 1/2"

Cotton for pot: 3" x 3 1/2"

Freezer paper

## Cutting:

1. Cut out the background fabric 5 ¼" x 7 ¼".  
The block will be trimmed when finished to 4 ¾" x 6 ¾"
2. Cut out the pot (S) in cardboard and batting
3. Cut out the fabric for the pot allowing approx. ½" seam allowance around all edges.

## Making: Little Pot

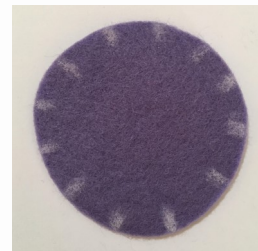
As before

1. Place the batting onto the cardboard pot shape.
2. Place the fabric over the batting and glue to the underside of the cardboard. Try to fold the fabric over as tight as possible.
3. Press the fabric from the right side and then again from the underside. Allow to cool and then carefully remove the cardboard. (a cuticle stick is helpful for this)
4. Using the template as a guide for placement, pin the pot into position.
5. Stitch with small slip stitches to attach the pot to the background.

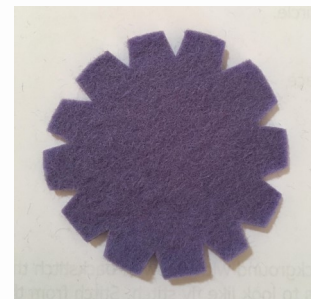
## Flower, leaves and stem:

1. Trace the patterns for the flower circles and leaves onto freezer paper and cut out or, use your circle templates for the circles. Cut the shapes as circles as the little 'v' shapes will be cut out later.
2. Cut out the wool shapes for the flowers (circles) and leaves. Cut a small 'hole' in the centre of the smaller circle.
3. Pin and stitch the smallest circle to the medium circle with whip stitch. Add the colonial knots in the centre (refer to photo and template).
4. Pin and stitch the medium pink circle to the larger orange circle with whip stitch and add the colonial knots.
5. Mark some chalk lines around the outer edge of the orange circle as a guide to cut the little 'v's. Clip a small 'v' out of the edge of the circle.

Stitch the flower centre to the largest circle with a row of running backstitch stitching close to the colonial knots of the previous row. Mark and clip the edge of the largest pink circle.



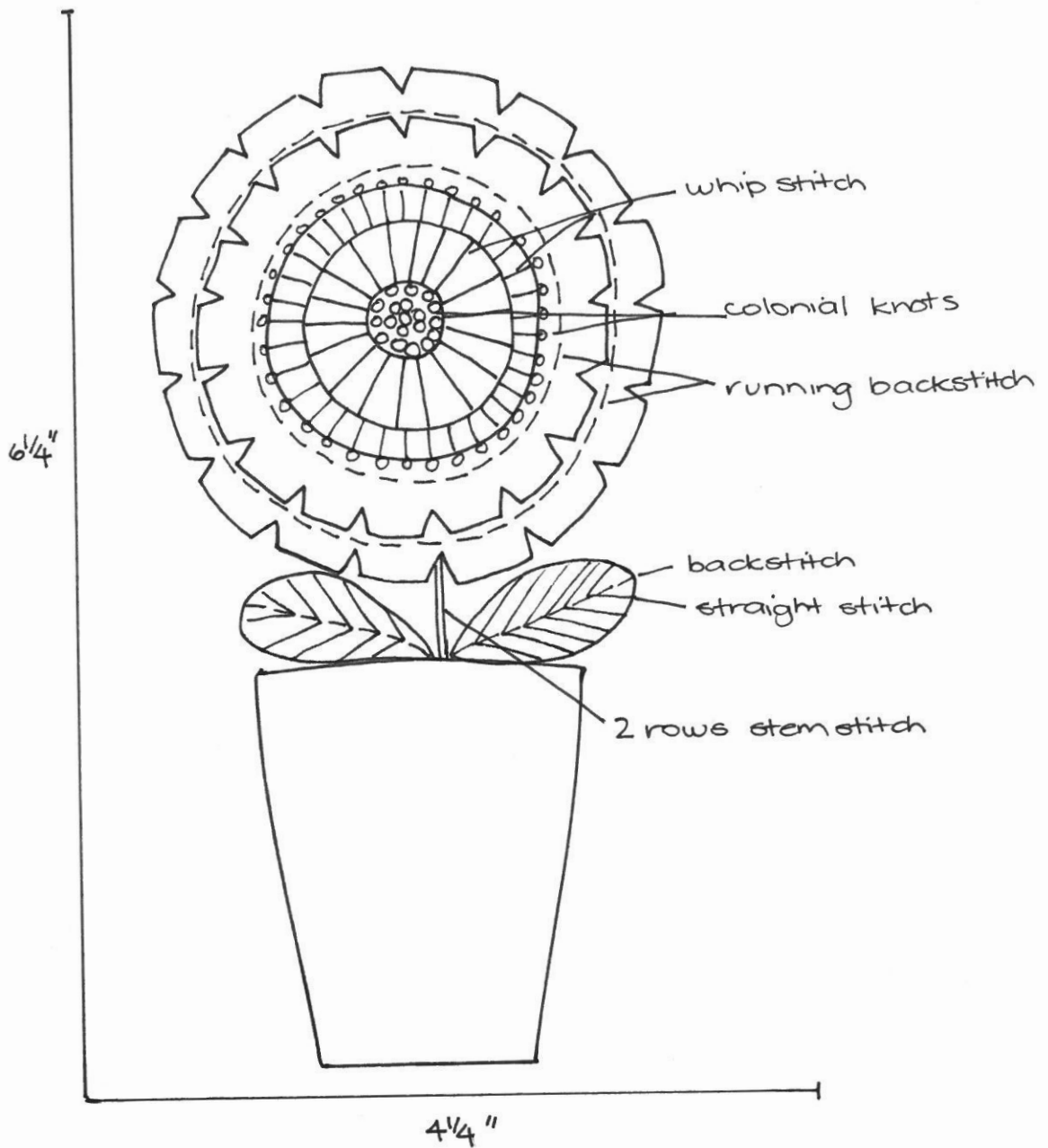
6. Place the flower onto the background. Pin and stitch in place with a row of running backstitch stitching close to the previous circle.
7. Chalk on the line for the stem.  
Stitch this with 2 rows of stem stitch.



8. Pin the leaves onto the background. Stitch them to the background with a row of backstitch through the centre of the leaf. Stitch the sides with straight stitches to look like fly stitch. Stitch from the side of the leaf and then into the 'hole' of the backstitches.

## 24. Pina's Pot Templates

Note- the lines are shown to indicate the correct size as a guide for printing.



**Stitch guide:**

**Colonial knot:**



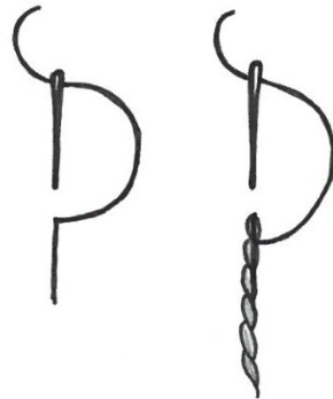
**Running backstitch:**



**Backstitch:**



**Stem Stitch:**



**Whip Stitch:**

