

## 5x7 Hamster Pocket Softie

1. Hoop one layer of stabilizer.

Center a 6x8" piece of felt on top of hoop.

Stitch first color to secure.

Stitch second color (cheeks, nose).

Stitch third color (eyes).

Stitch fourth color (whiskers).

2. Float a second piece of felt under hooped design covering design completely.

Stitch final color to secure.

3. Remove from hoop. Trim around perimeter of design approximately 1/8" from stitching.

DO NOT trim felt next to seam opening until after stuffing and stitching.

Stuff lightly with polyfil.

Note; It is not necessary to get the felt into every tiny crevice when using the felt, and actually many areas such as ears look better left flat. :)

Stitch opening closed by machine.

Finish trimming felt around seam opening.

You're finished!