

Lined tote bag (15 × 16 in)

Piece	Cut	Size
Outer body	2	16 × 17 in
Lining	2	16 × 17 in
Straps	2	4 × 24 in
Interfacing (optional)	2	16 × 17 in

Steps

- ☐ Fuse interfacing to outer pieces
- ☐ Fold straps in quarters lengthwise; topstitch both edges
- ☐ Sew outer pieces right sides together on sides and bottom
- ☐ Box corners: pinch 3 in wide, stitch, trim
- ☐ Repeat for lining, leaving a 5 in turning gap
- ☐ Baste straps to outer bag, 3 in from side seams
- ☐ Place outer inside lining, right sides together; sew top edge
- ☐ Turn through the gap; close gap; topstitch top edge