

Needle Book

Quilt is $6\frac{1}{4}'' \times 16\frac{3}{4}''$.



Moda fabric:

INDEPENDENCE TRAIL

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Moda Candy:

7-2½" x 2½" squares

Paper Piecing Hexagons:

7-1" hexagons

Wool:

4" x 7" rectangle

Button

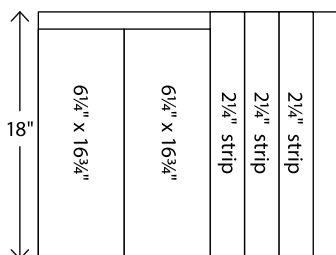
Yarn: 3" piece

Batting

Needle Book: 1 Fat Quarter 18" x 22"

6-6¼" x 16¾" rectangles

3-2¼" x 18" strips for Binding



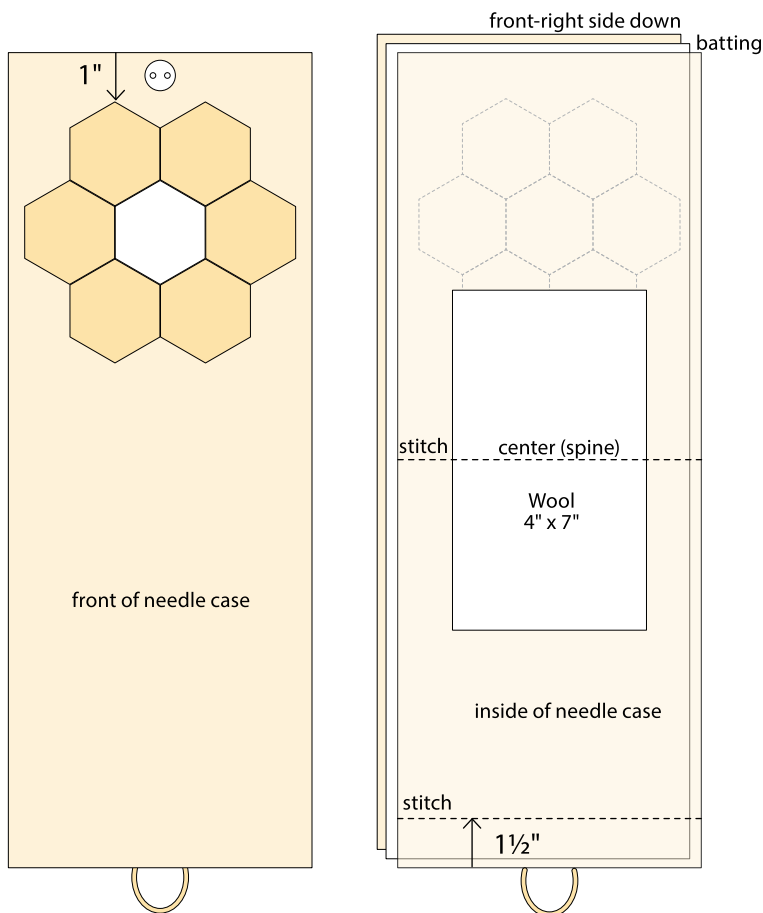
So yummy...you can't sew just one



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Needle Book Construction

- 1 English paper pieced one flower with 1" paper hexagons. Appliqué the flower onto one of the rectangles - 1" away from the short end. I kept the papers in to give the needle book a little more stability.
- 2 Layer the rectangles and batting together, the same way you would a quilt. Lay the wool piece centered on the inside of the needle book.
- 3 Stitch through all 4 layers down the center to make a "spine" for the needle book. Also, machine quilt around the flower and another line, parallel to the spine $1\frac{1}{2}$ " away from opposite side of the flower.



- 4 Sew binding all around the edge, making sure to make a yarn loop in the center on the short side - opposite of the flower. Sew a button on the flower side to close the needle book.