# Clöver YO-YO PILLOW

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#### **MATERIALS**

- Yo-Yo Maker (Large) Art No. 8701
- Point 2 Point Turner Art No. 7803
- Wonder Clips Art No. 3155-3159, 3180,
  3183-3185 (You can use pins as an alternative)
- Black Gold Hand Sewing Needles (Applique/Sharps) No. 10 - Art No. 4971
- Neutral Shade of Thread
- Fabric
  - Red (or dark color of choice)
  - Pink (or light color of choice)
  - White
- Optional: Sewing Machine

#### NOTE:

You can use any two colors to make this pillow, we recommend to use two contrasting colors.

Alternatively, you can use a pattern for the one of the colors to create a different look!

### FABRIC TO CUT

- 96, 4 ½" Red Squares
- 25, 4 1/2" Pink Squares
- 1, 20x20" Red Fabric Square (for the back)
- 1, 20x20" White Fabric Square (for the front)
- 1, 20x20" Square Pillow Insert

#### NOTE:

Depending on your preference, you can change the fabric for the back of the pillow to the lighter-colored fabric you selected, or use a different fabric entirely.

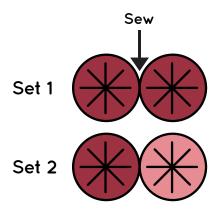
### INSTRUCTIONS

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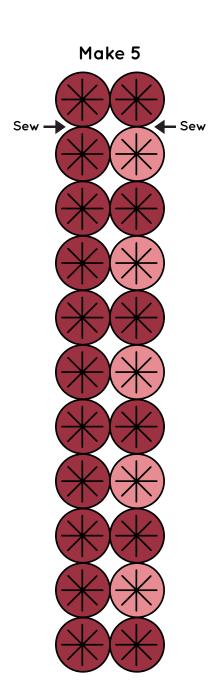
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- Follow the instructions included in the Yo-Yo Maker packaging, or in our video tutorial, and make 96 Red Yo-Yos and 25 Pink Yo-Yos with the 4 ½" Squares.
- 2. Use a whip stitch or a ladder stitch to sew sets consisting of:
  - 2 Red Yo-Yos (35 total)
  - 1 Red Yo-Yo and 1 Pink Yo-Yo (25 total)



Note: There will be 1 extra Red Yo-Yo remaining, save it for later.

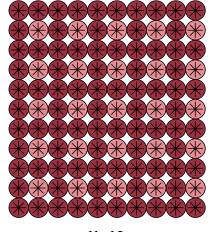


3. Next, sew the sets in an alternating pattern as shown until you have a column consiting 11 rows. Repeat so that you have 5 columns total.

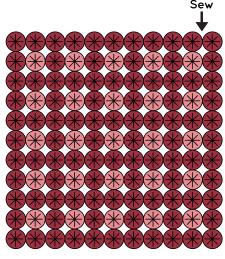
<u>Note:</u> There will be 5 remaining sets of Red Yo-Yos and the 1 extra Red Yo-Yo after this.

- 4. Whip stitch or ladder stitch the 5 columns together as an 11x10 panel.
- 5. Sew the 5 remaining sets of Red Yo-Yos and the 1 extra Red Yo-Yo at the end of the panel of Yo-Yos you made in the previous step with a whip stitch or ladder stitch, making an 11x11 panel.

<u>Note:</u> Make sure to also sew the sets of Red Yo-Yos and the 1 extra Red Yo-Yo together as a singular column.



11x10



11x11

6. With the right sides of the Yo-Yos facing up, center the Yo-Yo panel on the White Fabric Square, this will be the front of the pillow. Secure the panel to the fabric with Wonder Clips or pins.



7. Machine or hand sew the Yo-Yo panel to the White Fabric Square by sewing only through the seams where the Yo-Yos are joined.



- 8. With the right sides facing, clip or pin the Red Fabric Square to the front of the pillow, creating the back of the pillow. Remember to leave an opening to stuff the pillow insert!
- 9. Sew the Red Fabric Square to the front using a ½" seam allowance. Turn the pillow right side out and use the Point 2 Point Turner to push the corners all the way out.
- 10. Stuff the insert into the pillow casing, then sew the final seam closed using a ladder stitch, and you are done!



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