



# Stylized Fern Block – Block 9

Skill level – Advanced



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<b>Project Number:</b>	CS01621
<b>Technique:</b>	Applique, Machine Embroidery
<b>Size:</b>	8 ½" x 10 ½" unfinished
<b>End Use:</b>	Wall Hanging
<b>Brand:</b>	Coats®, Rowan

*Ferns float like fairies on the floor of the forest. These graceful stylized ferns add a touch of fairy-like magic to our leaf quilt.*

#### Required products: Coats Machine Embroidery thread

##### Materials

- 8 ½" x 1- ½" light gray for background, FreeSpirit Designer Essential solid CSFSESS.PEARL
- 5" x 10" rust for leaf, Rowan Kaffe Fassett Shot Cotton SC07 Persimmon
- 5" x 10" light green for leaf, Rowan Kaffe Fassett Shot Cotton SC95 Honeydew
- Coats Machine Embroidery thread, color 83A Jungle Gold for rust leaf
- Coats Machine Embroidery thread, 278 Wine Grape for light green leaf
- 8 ½" x 10 ½" stabilizer for applique
- Qty 2- 5" x 10" lightweight fusible webbing

##### Additional Requirements

- Sewing Machine
- Iron and Ironing board

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## Instructions

1. Trace the two leaf outline onto the paper side of the fusible webbing. The pattern has already been reversed. Using the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the webbing to the wrong side of the two leaf fabrics. Cut out leaves.
2. Peel the paper from the back of the leaves. Using the photo as a guide, place the leaves on the gray background fabric. Using the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the leaves to the background.
3. Put the stabilizer on the back of the background fabric. Draw the leaf veins on both leaves with a light pencil or removable marker. Using a decorative stitch, sew the veins in machine embroidery thread 83A for the rust leaf and in machine embroidery thread 278 for the light green leaf.
4. Using the same thread as you did for the veins, and a zig zag stitch, machine stitch around both leaves.
5. Remove stabilizer.



Finished Wall Hanging



Trace 1 of each  
already reversed