PROJECT PATTERN
BARREL BAG - HANDLE (1/4)

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Recommended Leather Weight

1.6mm~2.0mm (4~5oz)

Instruction

1. Apply top coat with sponge, allow to dry.
2. Print out the pattern on heavy card stock and punch holes.
3. Cut a 2cm wide strip and cut pattern into leather. Mark stitching holes.
4. Skive the short edges of the strap and handle. Mark decorative groove on the grain (smooth) side.
5. Bevel all edges, apply gum tragacanth and burnish with wooden slicker.
6. Punch hardware holes and stitching holes.
7. Apply leather adhesive on the grain (rough) side, along the center stitching holes and glue the strap together.
8. Insert hardware, fold the strap down and glue the ends together.
9. Overlap the handle ends and stitch the handle assembly together.
10. Cut off excess thread and hammer the stitch down.
11. Insert leather tab and glue together.
12. File down rough edges and polish the edges.
13. Mark 3mm guide lines and punch stitching holes.
14. Handle complete. Stay tuned for next week's "Barrel Bag-Cover (2/4)" project video.

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PRINTABLE TEMPLATE

Measure this ruler against you own to make sure the pattern is to scale.

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