

TOTALLY STABLE™

Iron-On, Tear-Away Stabilizer

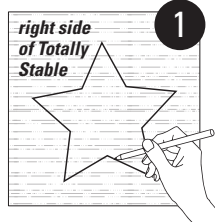
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Instructions: To use as a stabilizer for machine embroidery or appliqué, iron one to three layers on the wrong side of the fabric under the design area.

1. Trace or Transfer

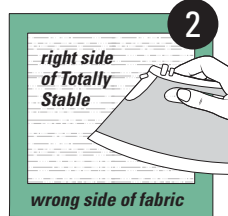
Place the design under Totally Stable and trace it on the non-slick side with a soft tip marker like an extra-fine permanent ink marker, or a washout or disappearing ink marker. Cut out design. *Template can now be used as a reusable design template that can be ironed in place several times, or as a pattern guide and stitching support piece for Monogramming, Punch Needle or Appliqué.*

SEE STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS INSIDE

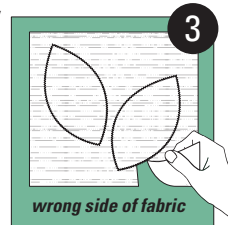


2. Iron to Stabilize

Place Totally Stable slick side down (HINT: "slick sticks") onto the wrong side of the fabric or design area to be stitched by ironing one to three layers in place. With a dry iron at a **medium to cotton setting**, iron lightly without excess pressure, then check to see if fusing is complete. If not, repeat until Totally Stable is totally fused.



IMPORTANT! Iron lightly without pressing, no steam. Too much heat for too long a time can make Totally Stable difficult to remove. Test first on batiks (or very dense or specialty fabrics) because Totally Stable bonds more quickly and more intensely on these kinds of fabrics. Remove as soon as stitching is complete. **DO NOT** use this product on nylon or lycra because these fabrics melt at a very low temperature causing them to bond permanently.



3. Removal is Easy!

Once stitching is completed, carefully trim or tear away excess Totally Stable.

Find more detailed instructions inside!

Totally Stable is also available on a 25 yard bolt - Item # 661-25, a 3 yd. package - Item # 661-03, an 8' roll - Item # 661-08, a 12" roll - Item # 661-12 and a 20" roll - Item # 661-20
Machine wash warm or dry clean.

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TOTALLY STABLE™

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*Totally stabilize virtually any fabric in seconds
with no time-consuming pinning*



*Use one or more layers, then
tear away layers separately
to avoid pulled stitches.*

Acid Free

*Eliminates annoying shifting, sliding
and puckering of fabric. Excess then
tears away easily, leaving no sticky
residue.*

Great For:

- Appliqué
- Monogramming
- Decorative Stitching
- Fabric Stamping
- Stretchy or Delicate Fabrics
- Transfer Agent

- Quilt Templates
- Stabilizing Fabric for Electronic Cutters

WEIGHT: Light

COLOR: White

SIZE: 20" x 36"

Instructions Included
Item no. 661-01

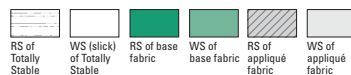
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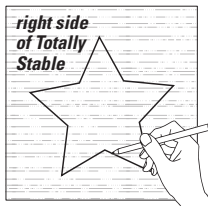
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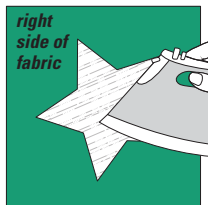


Make Perfect Reusable Templates

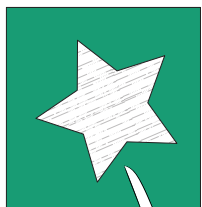
1. Place the Totally Stable on top of the design and trace the design onto the right side (non-fusible side, not slick) of Totally Stable.



2. Iron the Totally Stable (shiny slick side down) onto your fabric using a medium to cotton setting, front or back depending if the design is reversed or not.



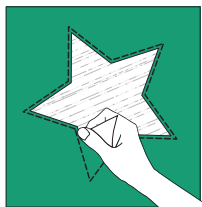
3. Cut out the applique pieces. (NOTE: The Totally Stable keeps your fabric from stretching and distorting.)



For quilting use:

Use the template as a guide, and stitch around the outside of the shape. Peel off the template and reuse over and over.

4. Immediately remove the Totally Stable pieces and re-iron over and over to cut out additional pieces.



Use for Monogramming

Totally Stable can support fine fabrics, keeps knits from distorting, and prevents tunneling or puckering.

1. Set up machine for Free-Motion.
2. Create your Letter Grouping and trace it onto graph paper, spacing letters by utilizing the graph squares.
3. Trace Letter Grouping onto Sulky Solvy® with washout marker. (Secure in hoop for easier handling).
4. Iron Totally Stable onto the wrong side of the fabric to be monogrammed.
5. Place all in a hoop.

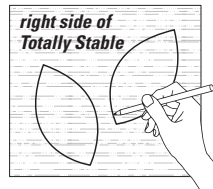
6. Monogram using a close satin-like stitch.
7. Remove Solvy® and Totally Stable.

Use for Punch Needle

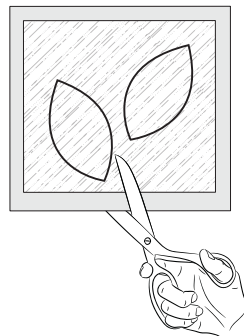
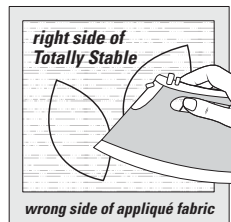
1. Trace the design onto paper.
2. Go over the design using Sulky iron-on colored Transfer Pens.
3. Iron Totally Stable onto the wrong side of garment to be punched.
4. Iron Transfer onto Totally Stable.
5. Punch design following color coding of Sulky Transfer Pens.
6. Remove excess stabilizer.

Use for Appliquing

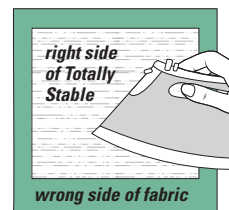
1. Trace the pattern pieces of the design onto the right side (non-fusible side, remember "slick sticks!") of Totally Stable. Cut out templates and sort into color groups.



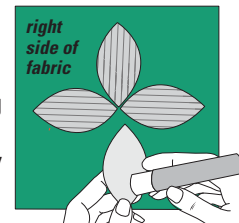
2. With an iron set at medium to cotton setting (appropriate for fabric), use light pressure to iron each group of Totally Stable templates (shiny, slick side down) onto the wrong side of the appliqué fabric. Cut out on solid drawn lines.



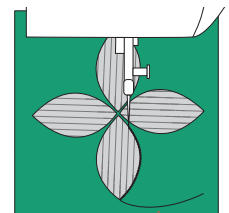
3. To prevent tunneling and puckering when stitching, iron another piece of Totally Stable onto the wrong side of the base fabric on which the applique pieces will be applied.



4. Remove Totally Stable from the appliqué pieces before arranging on the base fabric. Use Sulky KK 2000™ Temporary Spray Adhesive or glue stick to hold the pieces in place. Save Totally Stable templates for re-use as they can be ironed on several times.



5. Machine satin stitch through all layers, stitching around the cut edges of appliqué pieces. When stitching is completed, tear away Totally Stable from the back side of the base fabric.



Make Stenciled Borders or Patterns for Airbrushing

Totally Stable irons in place, keeping sharp edges on images.

1. Trace the design onto Totally Stable using permanent ink, fine-line marker.
2. Cut out design shape with an X-Acto® knife.

3. Iron in place on the fabric to be stencilled or airbrushed.
4. Stencil or Airbrush. Remove Totally Stable.

For a repeated reusable border, fold a length of Totally Stable in a fan fold and cut out shape on fold (like making paper dolls).