



Gingerbread Houses as Easy as 1-2-3

1. Prepare Your Fabric

- You will need 2-4 sheets of felt per house.
- Cut out the provided templates and trace them on your fabric.
- Cut along these lines.
- Draw your door and window shapes.
- Thread your machine and bobbin with your "icing" color.

Bonus Tip: Use leftover felt to create ornaments or gift tags.

2. Style Your Pieces

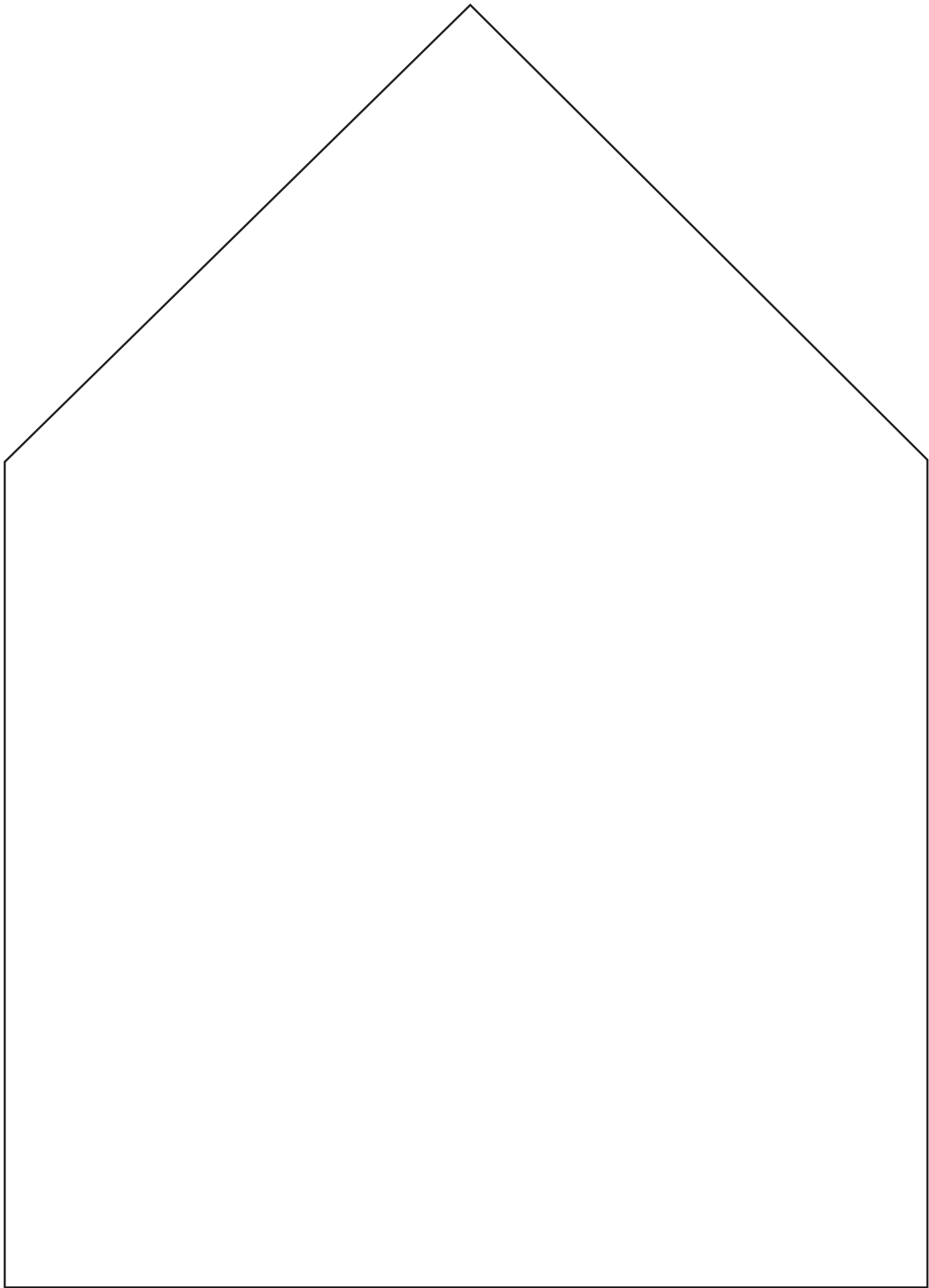
- On the outside edge of where you marked windows and doors, select a decorative stitch to go around.
- After outlining all of your windows with stitching, cut a hole for each window. This will allow light to shine through if you put a small electric light inside.
- Use a circular satin stitch for your door handle. If your machine doesn't have one, try a button instead.
- Add decorative stitching to the building itself for something different.

3. Build Your Homes

- Switch your thread and bobbin thread to match your felt color.
- With wrong-sides together, use a 1/4" (5mm) stitch to sew two pieces together along one edge.
- Grab the next piece and repeat this until all four sides are together.
- Add an electric tealight or something similar inside to light up your gingerbread neighborhood.
Note: Do not put an open flame inside for the light.
- Enjoy your handmade festive neighborhood for the whole season!



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