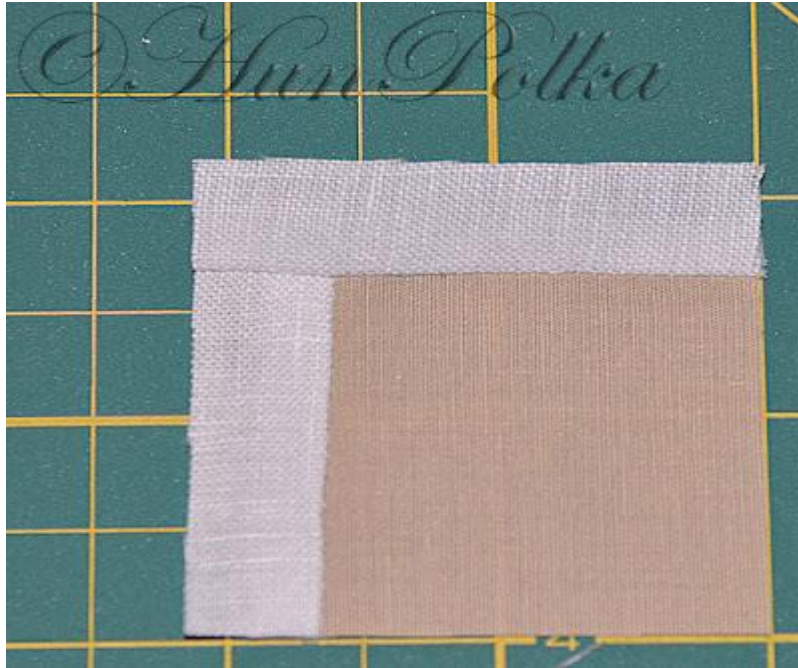


The Santa Clauses are made in two sizes: large, approximately 27 cm, and small, approximately 15 cm.



We start by cutting a 2.5-inch square (about 6 cm) from the skin-colored material. For the smaller Santa, this is a 1 7/8-inch square. This square will make 2 Santas.



Next, using the log cabin patchwork method, we sew strips that will mimic Santa's beard and cloak. We start with a white strip (the beard). The width of all the strips is 1 inch for the larger Santa and  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch for the smaller Santa.



Sew the strips around the previously cut square. I didn't measure the length of these strips; I simply cut a long strip and trimmed it to the appropriate length after sewing.



After the white strip, it's time for the red one. To keep it from being too monotonous, I also sewed a green strip.



The next one is red again. Then red and green. The last one is red again (above). Then, using the same material as the last strip - I cut out a square identical to the one made with the sewn strips.



Place the two squares on top of each other, right sides together, pin them together and draw a diagonal with a pencil.



Then we make 2 stitches (below)  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch from the diagonal, on both sides.

We cut everything exactly along the diagonal line (below) and we get 2 triangles.





Then you need to iron everything and press the seams towards the fabric of the uniform (Santa Claus hat).

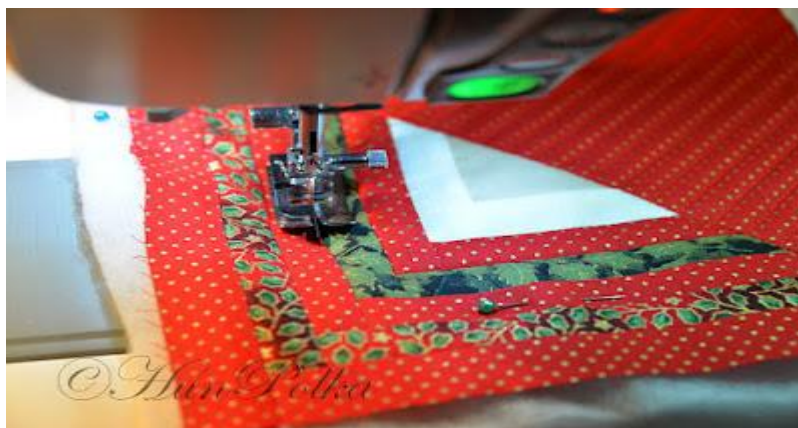


Trim the triangles protruding from the seams. Cut 2 squares of insulation, slightly larger than the ones made of the material, and line them up.

Now we start to loosen it up. Quilting the part imitating Santa's hat in vertical lines, this will help to stiffen the hat.



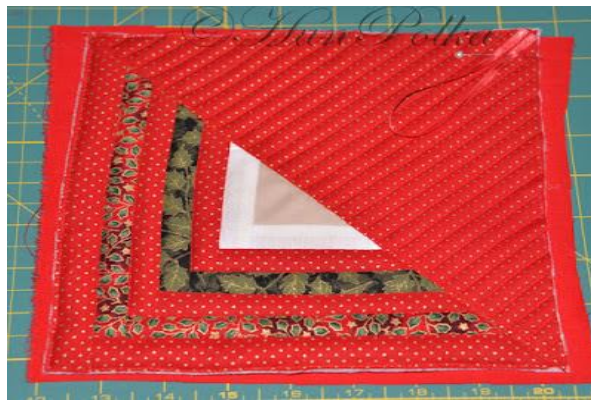
I quilted the part imitating the robe with a quilting foot with a central seam guide (below).



Below: After you are finished quilting, you can trim away the excess insulation.



Then, cut another square of fabric, the same size as the quilt. In my case, it was an old red fabric that I found in the back of my wardrobe, I used it all, so much so that I even had to gather it all in one place.



Above: Pin a piece of ribbon to the corner to make a hat look like (this will be an ear to hang from).

Then, we place the two squares on top of each other, right sides together, and sew them together. In the part that imitates the hat, we leave a small hole unsewn through which we can turn Santa Claus right side out.

After turning it right side out, iron everything.

The hole where we turn it to the right side is hand-sewn.



Roll the resulting square into a cone (above) and manually sew the 2 sides with an invisible stitch.

After turning right side, they look like this:

