

Green Initiative & Sustainable Practice

Reviving Traditional Craft: Natural Dyed Patchwork

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This work focuses on developing sustainable home decor using naturally dyed fabric scraps. Different fabric pieces are dyed with natural dyes to create attractive and eco-friendly colour combinations. The dyed scraps are arranged and joined using various patchwork patterns. This combination helps reduce fabric waste while promoting sustainable and environmentally friendly textile practices. The finished products are functional, decorative, durable, and suitable for home décor.



Fig 1. Dye extraction



Fig 2. Dyeing of fabric



Fig 3. Mordanting



Fig 4. Dyed fabric



Fig 5. Fabric cuttings



Fig 6. Patchwork

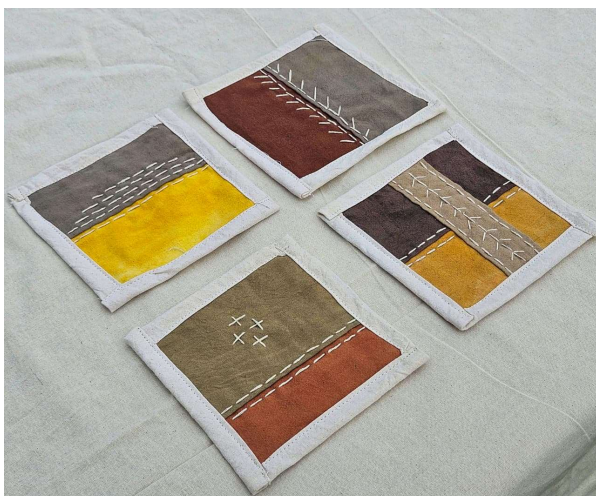


Fig 7. Coasters

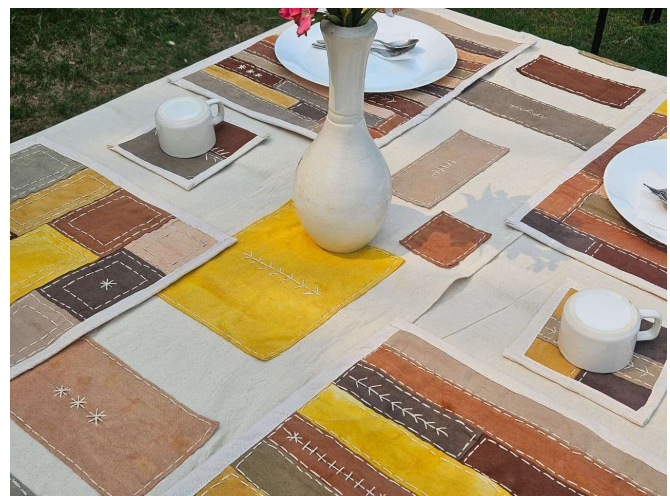


Fig 8. Set of table mat, runner and coasters