

CUSTOM PILLOWCASE

Yardage Requirements: 45 inch wide fabric

1 Pillowcase	fashion fabric	3/4 yard	(27 x41)
	Border	1/3 yard	(11 x 41)
	Trim	1/4 yard	(2 x 41)

2 Pillowcases	fashion fabric	1 1/2 yards
	border	2/3 yard
	Trim	1/4 yard

Finished size: 20" x 30"

All seams are **1/2 inch** unless otherwise stated.

1. Place border fabric (11 x 41) right side up with raw edge lined up with table edge with 41 inch side next to table edge.
2. Fold trim piece (2 x 41) in half wrong sides together and press to finished size of 1" x 41".
3. Place raw edge of trim piece on to of border fabric with raw edges together. Sew in place with **1/4 inch** seam allowance.
4. Place right side of fashion fabric (pillow body), to right side of border fabric with raw edges together. If fashion fabric is directional, make sure you have it going the correct way for the finished pillow. Sew pieces together with **1/4 inch** seam allowance.
5. Next accordion pleat or roll the fashion fabric toward the 1/4 inch seam you just sewed. Right side of fabric is being pleated.
6. Then take the remaining raw edge of the border and place it on top of the raw edge of the 1/4 inch seam you just sewed. In step 5.
7. Pin in place. You now have a tube 5.5 inches x 41 inches with the wrong side of the fabric facing you. Sew a **1/2 inch** seam allowance along the pinned 41 inch edge. Do NOT trim the seam allowance.
8. Pull the pillow body out through the tube and press band seam allowance, which is now enclosed. This technique is called the "burrito".
9. You can finish the top and side seams either doing French seams or use a serger to finish the top and side seams.
10. Turn pillowcase right side out and press.