



Standard Size Pillowcase

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## Fabrics



5956 Shake it Up!  
Flannel White Multi

3/4 yd



5957 Winter Flurry  
Flannel White Multi

2  
1/4 yd



5553 Swirls Flannel  
Deep Aqua

3  
1/4 yd

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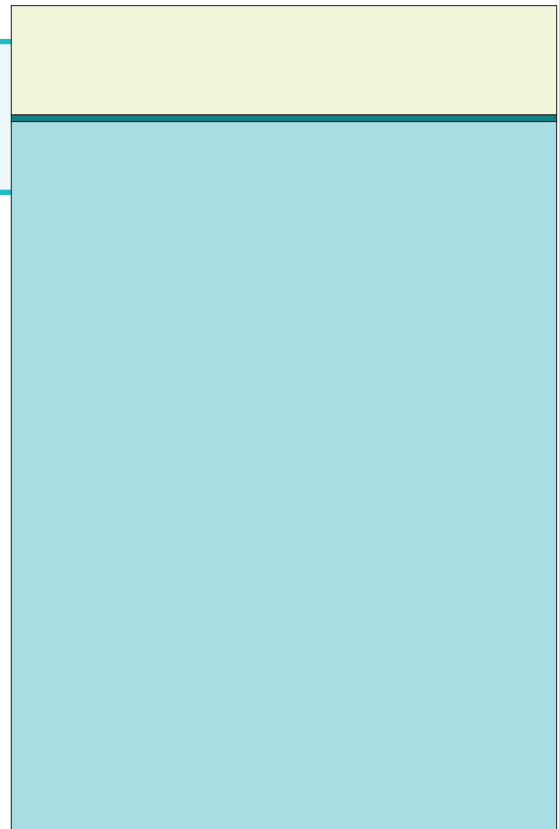
## Pattern Basics

We encourage breaking the rules, but here are a few things you might want to keep in mind:

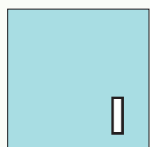
- Please read through **all** the instructions carefully **before** beginning a project. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this pattern.
- All instructions use a 1/4" seam allowance unless otherwise stated.
- All fabrics are sewn right sides together, unless otherwise stated.
- Need help with any of the techniques used? Check out our free tutorials and videos at [www.connectingthreads.com/tutorials/quilting\\_tutorials.html](http://www.connectingthreads.com/tutorials/quilting_tutorials.html)

### Common Quilting Acronyms:

FQ = fat quarter (18" x 22")      WS = wrong side of fabric  
WOFQ = width of fat quarter      RS = right side of fabric  
WOF = width of fabric              HST = half square triangle  
LOF = length of fabric              QST = quarter square triangle

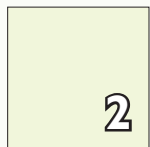


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A - Body of pillowcase

3/4 yd



B - Cuff

1/4 yd

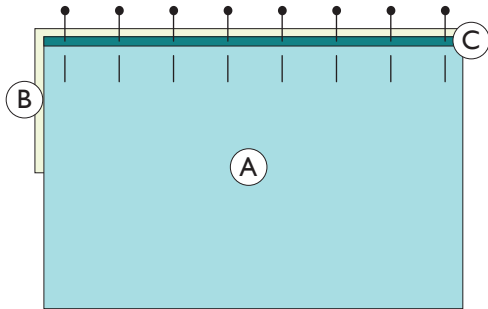


C - Accent band 1-1/2" x WOF

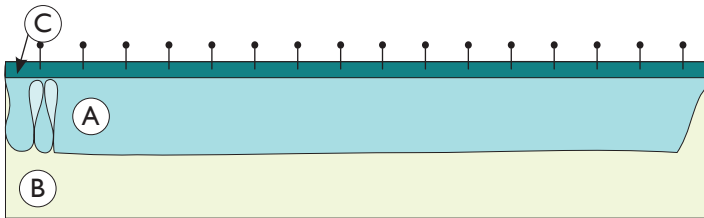
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# Directions

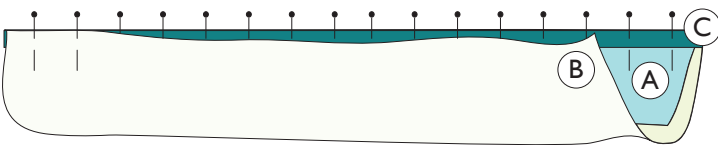
1. Iron all creases out of all three fabrics.
2. Fold **C** in half lengthwise with WS together and press.
3. Layer the long raw edge of **B** RS up. Lay **A** on top of **B** RS up. Place the folded **C** on top of this making sure all upper raw edges are flush. Pin through all three fabrics.



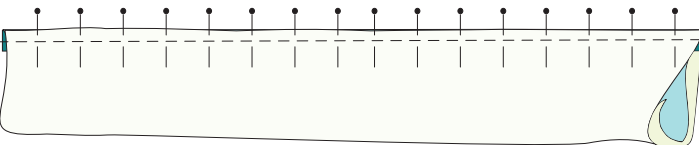
4. Roll or fold **A** up onto **B**. Avoid laying the fabric on the band.



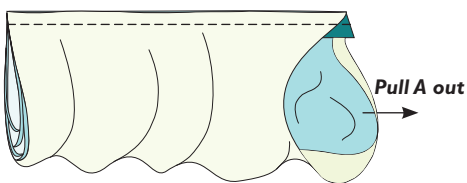
5. Bring **B** up to the raw edge so the folded (or rolled) **A** and **C** are tucked inside. Pin.



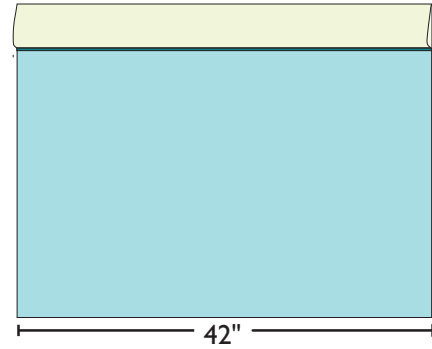
6. Sew along the raw edge using a 1/2" seam allowance.



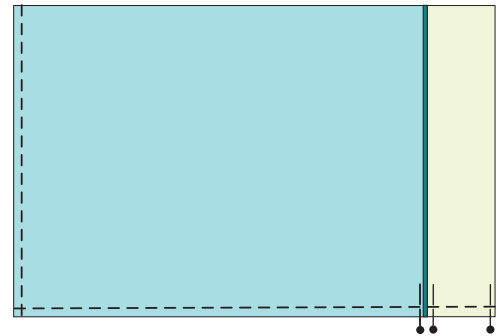
7. Once stitched, pull **A** out of the tube.



8. Fully open and press. Trim to remove selvages and even up sides (approximately 40" to 42").



9. Fold sewn pillowcase in half lengthwise with WS together. *Hint:* Pin the cuff area to make sure the seams are aligned; start sewing at the cuff. Sew 1/8" around perimeter raw edge only.



10. Turn WS out pushing the sewn edges out completely. *Hint:* It is helpful to use a semi-blunt tool for this job. A skewer or chopstick is excellent for this use. Press. Stitch sewn edges again with a 3/8" seam allowance.



11. Turn RS out pushing the sewn edges out completely. Press.

