



# Gathered Fan Swag

## 18" Depth

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This swag design has three pleats at the bottom. The top portion is gathered to create a fan shape. The top and bottom pieces are cut separately and then sewn together. This allows you to use contrasting fabrics, if you like. The seam that joins them will not show. **The swag widths extend 32" to 54"**. **The swag depth is 18"**. When more than one swag is used, side by side, use the tail to fill the gap in between. **The tail is 14" deep**.

The **jabot hangs 33" deep**, it is cut on an upward curve and cannot be altered. It is 5" wide across the board line. The front edge of the jabot flips over, exposing the lining. The **bow** pattern is included. It measures about **8" wide and 13" deep**.

**Fabric Suggestions:** The pleated bottom of the swag can be cut bias, upright, or lengthwise. Bias is recommended. Depending on the fabric width, seams may be necessary for a bias or an upright cut. The swag top must be cut upright or lengthwise. If your fabric requires seams in the swag top, they are not a problem because they will be hidden in the gathers. The jabot must have self or contrast lining. The bow does not need lining. The swag and tail can have a regular drapery lining.

Soft fabrics always work best for swags, but crisp ones can also work for this swag. Avoid thick bulky fabrics. Horizontal and vertical stripes work well for the top of the swag, but stripes for the swag bottom do not work well. Stripes are not recommended for the jabot.

**Trims:** Cord and other small trims that can be sewn into the seam are a good choice for this treatment. When choosing a fringe, remember the front edge of the jabot flips outward exposing the lining. The wrong side of the fringe would show there. Fringe must also be able to curve. Stiff braids will not work.

### YARDAGE

If your fabric is at least 54" wide you can cut a 54" swag bottom on the bias, without a seam. More narrow fabrics will require seams.

<b>Swag Bottom, Bias Cut:</b>	54" wide	1 1/2 yards
	44" wide	1 3/8 yards
	32" wide	1 1/4 yards

With so many different fabric widths and repeats available today, we find it works best if we give you the actual pattern sizes so you can determine how they will fit on your fabric.

#### Upright or Lengthwise Cut:

54" wide swag bottom.....The pattern is 68" wide x 20 1/2" deep  
 44" wide swag bottom.....The pattern is 61" wide x 20 1/2" deep  
 32" wide swag bottom.....The pattern is 52" wide x 22" deep

54" wide swag top.....The pattern is 88" wide x 16 1/2" deep  
 44" wide swag top.....The pattern is 67" wide x 16 1/2" deep  
 32" wide swag top.....The pattern is 43" wide x 16 1/2" deep

The tail pattern is.....28" wide x 15 1/2" deep  
 The jabot pattern is.....38" wide x 42" deep

One bow takes one cut @ 11" wide x 27" deep and  
 one cut @ 22" wide x 11" deep

No lining is needing for the bow, everything else should be lined.

<b>Yardage for Trims:</b>	54" swag bottom.....71"
Trims must be	44" swag bottom.....63"
able to curve.	32" swag bottom.....54"
	Jabot (bottom only).....47 1/2"
	Tail (bottom only).....31"

More detail information about yardage and alterations is given inside packet.