



Melody Valance

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This simple valance can be made to fit any size window. All valance styles have a **20" wide flat shaped area**, giving the opportunity to display fabrics such as florals and toiles. **The gathered areas finish 16 1/2" deep. View A and C finish 20 1/2" deep in the center. View B finishes 14" in the center short area.** The depths of valances are adjustable at the top.

This package also includes complete step by step instructions for making rod pocket curtains, for unlined, lined, and interlined. A chart is included for rod pocket sizes and how much to allow for "rod take up."

Fabric Suggestions: Light to medium fabrics with "body" are recommended. Avoid extremely bulky fabrics. Works well with stripes and plaids.

Trims: Heavy trims are beautiful on this valance, but they must be able to curve. If cording is used, it must be very small and soft for View A.

YARDAGE

Decide how many flat sections you want. It is recommended, one per single window, two for a double window, etc. or place them to compliment your particular window type. **Each flat area is 20" wide.** The rest of the valance is cut straight and gathered and should be planned for a least double fullness. Don't forget to include the returns as a part of the fullness.

Pattern cut lengths: (See chart below to determine how many widths your window size may need.) Based on a 54" wide fabric.

View A and C flat area 22 1/2" deep
 View B flat area 18 1/2" deep
 Straight gathered area 18 1/2" deep

Suggestions for a finished valance (includes returns):

Based on a 54" wide fabric

	Amount of Trim
Up to 60" wide (one flat area)	two widths 108"
60" - 80" wide (one flat area)	three widths 160"
80" - 95" wide (two flat areas)	three widths 164"
95" - 115" wide (two flat areas)	four widths 216"
115" - 140" wide (two flat areas)	five widths 268"
120" - 140" wide (three flat areas)	five widths 272"

The curtain cut length will be approximately 15" longer than the finished length.

Same amount of lining will be needed.

Same amount of interlining (optional).

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