

SEWING MACHINE COVER

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25 ½" x 35 ½"



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FINISHED SIZE 25 ½" × 35 ½"

Please read all instructions before beginning this project.
Yardage calculated using a 42" usable width of fabric.

Pattern designed by The RBD Designers.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please check www.rileyblakedesigns.com/pattern-updates or scan the QR Code for any revisions before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting techniques and terminology. The diagrams portrayed are virtual images. The layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric. It is not recommended to prewash fabric before cutting and assembling.



WOF = Width of Fabric
RST = Right Sides Together
RSO = Right Sides Out
HST = Half Square Triangle

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric is from the Hand Made collection.

(1) 5-16590-42 5" Stacker

Additional Fabrics:

¾ yard C16594-CLOUD Pins

1 ½ yards C16590-MINT Notions (includes pocket and backing)

⅝ yard C16594-NAVY Pins (includes binding and ties)

OTHER SUPPLIES

Basic Sewing Supplies
Batting

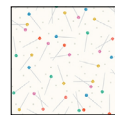
CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

When cutting fabrics, use a straight edge ruler and rotary cutter. Measurements include ¼" seam allowance. Label, allocate, and organize all cuts as noted.



5" Stacker

Cut a total of (42) 3 ½" × 3 ½" squares. Label as A.



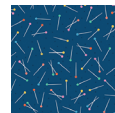
Cloud Pins

Cut (4) 3" × WOF strips. Subcut:
(56) 3" × 3" squares. Label as B.



Mint Notions

Cut (1) 32" × WOF strip for backing.
Cut (2) 6" × WOF strips. Subcut:
(2) 6" × 25 ½" rectangles for pocket.
Cut (2) 3" × WOF strips. Subcut:
(26) 3" × 3" squares. Label as C.



Navy Pins

Cut (2) 3" × WOF strips. Subcut:
(16) 3" × 3" squares. Label as D.
Cut (4) 2 ½" × WOF strips for binding.
Cut (2) 1" × WOF strips. Subcut:
(4) 1" × 16" rectangles for ties.



Batting

Cut (1) 32" × 42" rectangle.
Cut (1) 6" × 25 ½" rectangle.

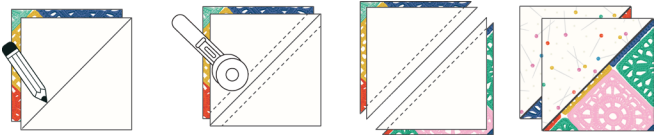
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SEWING TECHNIQUES

Sew all seams RST and with a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance unless stated otherwise. Refer to the diagrams for placement of the prints. Press seams as desired unless stated otherwise. Dimensions listed in steps are unfinished sizes. Please refer to the following general sewing technique as this method is referenced throughout the pattern in its abbreviated form.

2-AT-A-TIME HALF SQUARE TRIANGLE METHOD (HST)

Place (2) squares RST. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (1) square. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " on each side of the drawn line. Cut on the drawn line to create (2) HSTs. Press toward the darker fabric. Trim HSTs to the indicated size.



SEWING MACHINE COVER ASSEMBLY

- Using the 2-at-a-time HST method and (2) **A**-squares, make (2) HST units as shown below. Repeat to make (42) total units. Note: This project is meant to be scrappy, so mix and match fabrics as desired.

Make (42)



3" x 3"

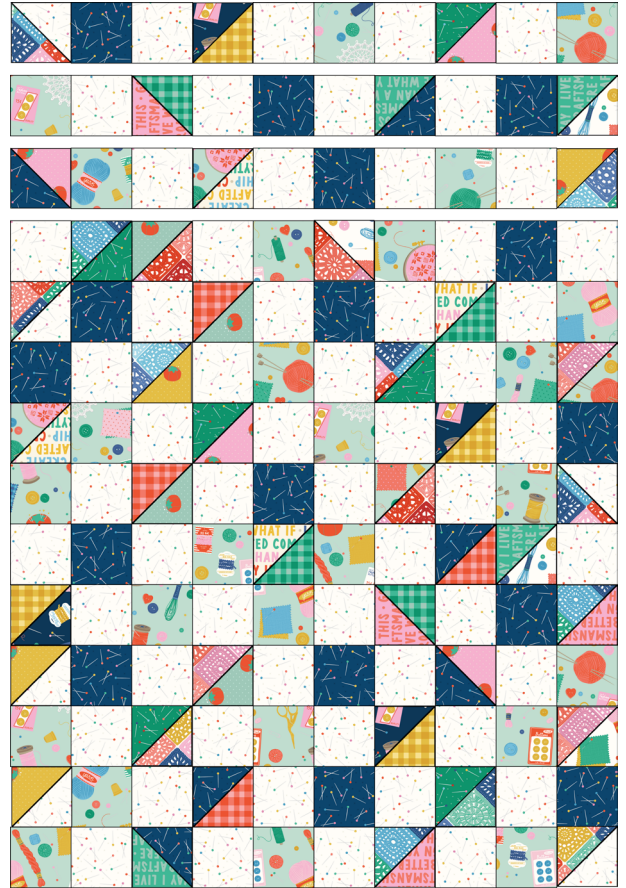
- Sew any combination of (10) HST units, **B**-squares, **C**-squares, and **D**-squares together into a row as shown below. Repeat to make (14) total rows. Refer to the diagram in Step 3 for an example of placement and orientation or arrange pieces as desired.

Make (14)



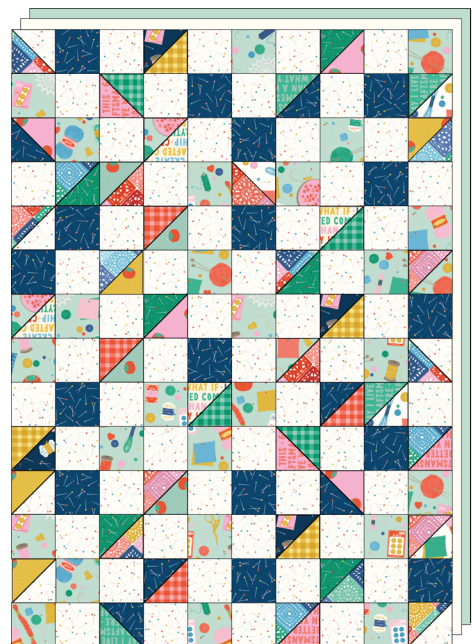
3" x 25 1/2"

- Sew (14) Step 2 rows together as shown below to make the sewing machine cover top.



25 1/2" x 35 1/2"

- Layer the backing rectangle right side down on a flat surface. Next, lay the 32" x 42" batting rectangle on top, then finish with the sewing machine cover top right side facing up. Quilt as desired to make the sewing machine cover.



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POCKET AND TIES ASSEMBLY

5. Layer (1) pocket rectangle right side down on a flat surface. Next, lay the 6" x 25 1/2" batting rectangle on top, then finish with (1) pocket rectangle right side facing up. Quilt as desired to make the pocket.



6. Sew the Navy Pins binding strips together end-to-end. Then bind the top long edge of the pocket using your favorite binding method. Trim the binding even with the pocket edges if needed. Save the remaining binding for the finishing instructions.



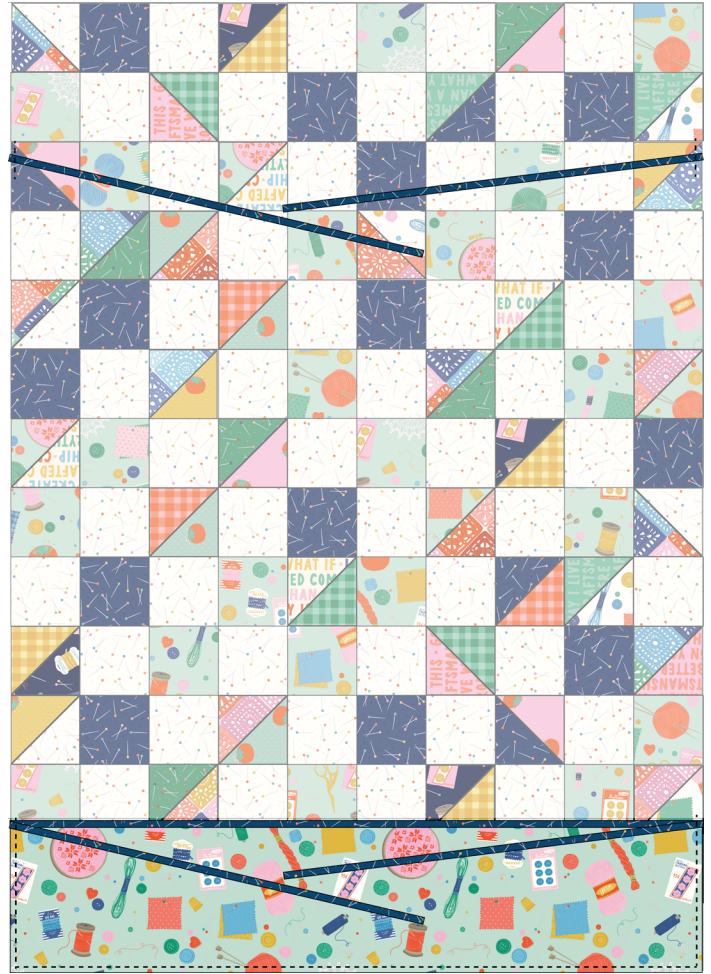
7. Fold each short end of (1) tie rectangle in 1/4" with RSO and topstitch. Next, fold the tie rectangle in half lengthwise with RST. Sew along the long edge using a 1/4" seam. Turn the tie RSO. Press and topstitch. Repeat to make (4) total ties.

Make (4)



FINISHING INSTRUCTIONS

8. Layer the quilted pocket on the quilted sewing machine cover, aligning the raw edges of the pocket with the bottom edge of the sewing machine cover, as shown in the diagram, top right. Baste in place 1/8" along the side and bottom edges.
9. Place the ties along the side edges of the sewing machine cover as shown, top right, with one set 6" from the top edge and one set 6" from the bottom edge. Baste in place using a 1/8" seam allowance.



10. Use the binding strips saved from Step 6 to bind the sewing machine cover using your favorite binding method, making sure to catch the ends of the ties and the edges of the pocket.

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