

## SINGER® - Sewing Machine Cover



Wrap your sewing machine in style with this easy-to-make sewing machine cover. It's even reversible! In this lesson you'll experiment using the edge-joining foot as a tool to stitch evenly and closely to the edge of fabric. The approximate finished size is 21" x 28".

### Shopping List:

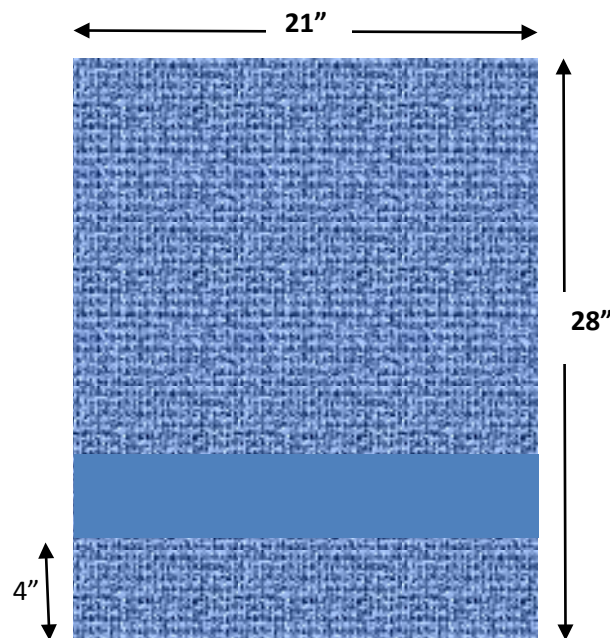
- ¾ yard Fabric A – Printed cotton (cover)
- ¾ yard Fabric B – Solid cotton (lining and contrasted band)
- ¾ yard Medium to heavy fusible interfacing
- 7 yards ½" double-folded bias tape
- Double sided fusible webbing
- All-purpose thread to match bias tape
- Edge-joining foot

### Fabric Preparation:

1. Fabric A – Cut one 21" x 28" (cover)  
Fabric B – Cut one 21" x 28" (lining)  
Cut one 3" x 21" (contrast strip)
2. Apply medium to heavy weight fusible interfacing to the wrong side of the 21" x 28" Fabric A piece (cover) according to the manufacturer's recommendations.
3. Apply the double sided fusible web to the wrong side of the 3" x 21" contrast strip according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

### Sewing Directions:

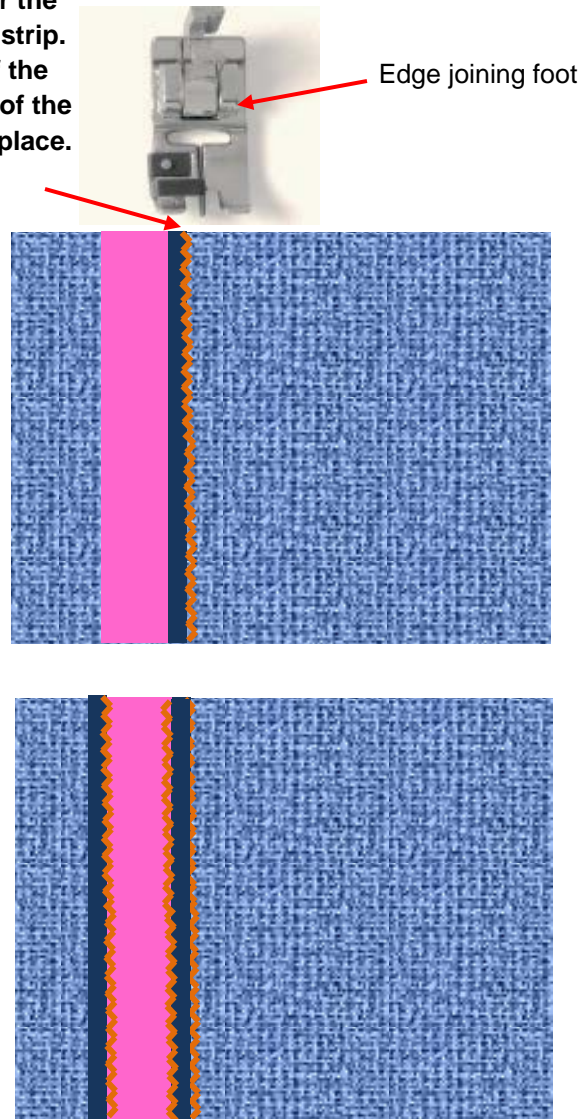
4. **Contrasting Band:** Position the contrast strip on top of the cover fabric, about 4" from bottom edge. Fuse in place according to the manufacturer's recommendations.



5. Cut two 21" lengths of bias tape. Thread the machine with the all-purpose thread. Attach the edge-joining foot. Select a narrow zig zag, width 2.5mm wide and length 3mm. Position one of the cut bias tape pieces over one of the edges of the contrasting strip, centering the strip over the edge. Position the fabric under the foot, placing the blade of the foot along one of the edges of the bias tape. Stitch in place. Stitch along

the other side of the tape. Use this same process to add bias tape to the remaining edge of the contrasting strip.

**Center bias tape over the edge of the contrast strip. Position the blade of the foot along one edge of the bias tape. Stitch in place.**

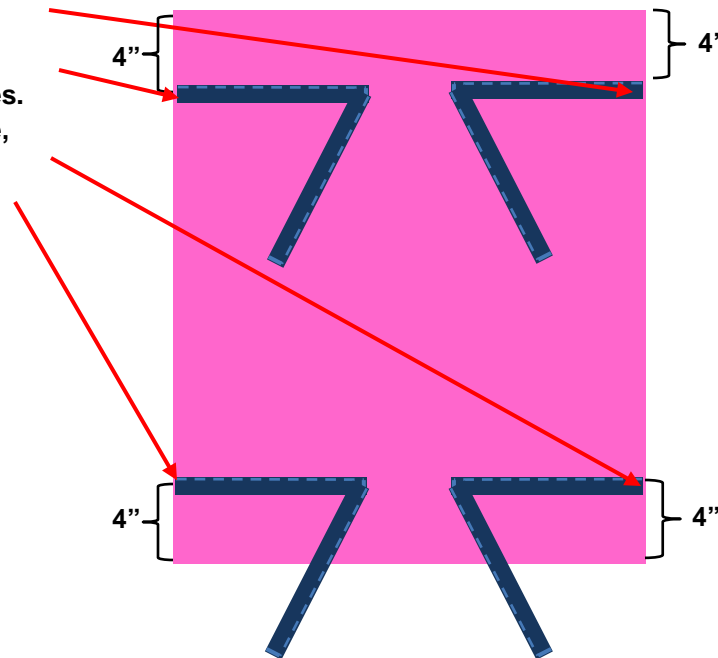


6. With wrong sides together, pin together lining and cover fabric. Machine-baste edges together, if desired.
7. **Ties:** Attach the general purpose foot. Cut four ties from the bias tape, each 18" long. Fold in one end of each tie to conceal raw edges, press. Using a straight stitch, stitch edges and pressed-in end together.



8. **Attaching Ties:** Pin each tie to the edge of the fabric on the lining side, about four inches from the top and bottom edges, unfinished tie end should be even with raw edge of fabric. Stitch in place using  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.

Pin raw ends of ties to the lining side, four inches from bottom & top edges. Stitch end in place, using  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.



9. Apply remaining bias tape to raw edges of the fabric, enclosing raw edges and mitering the tape at the corners. Stitch in place being careful not to catch tie ends into the seam. Press. Place cover over machine and use ties to secure.

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