

9 Patch Cushion

Material required

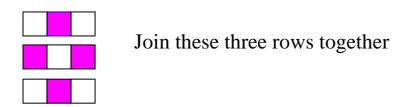
3 ½" squares- Cut 5 in Patterned fabric, 4 in plain 9 ½ " x 2 ½ " cut 2 for border 13 ½" x 2 ½ " cut 2 for border 18 ½ " x 13 ½ " for back 35cm (14") cushion pad

Using a scant ¼ " seam join two squares together, one pattered one plain. Check it measures 6 ½ " if not adjust your seam allowance

ACCURACY IS IMPORTANT.

Press the seam allowance towards the plain square

Join squares into three sets of three, Two with a patterned square each end, one with plain.



Join the two 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "strips to top and bottom, then add the 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips to the sides.

Cut the back piece in half to give two rectangles 9 ½ " x 13 ½ " Iron a narrow hem on each piece and sew in place. Overlap pieces to make a 13½ " square, place right sides together with Cushion front and stitch all round. Clip corners and turn through. Insert cushion pad and ADMIRE!!

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