

Scrappy Maple Leaf Pillow Sham

"Scrappy Maple Leaf" quilt patterned in
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(20" x 26")

Web Bonus pattern for pillow sham
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Materials You Will Need:

Fat eighth each of (4) prints for leaves
Fat eighth of (1) dark print for stems
7/8 yard of a tan tonal
1/4 yard of a red print for border
1/4 yard of a gold/cream stripe
3 yards of white jumbo rickrack
fusible web

Cutting Directions:

From the tan tonal, cut:

- (1) 16-1/2" square
- (2) 16-1/2" x 20-1/2" pieces

From the red print, cut:

- (2) 2-1/2" x 16-1/2" strips
- (2) 2-1/2" x 20-1/2" strips

From the gold/cream stripe, cut:

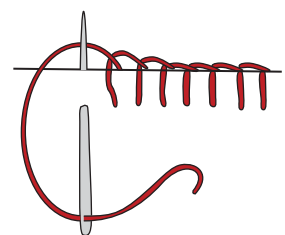
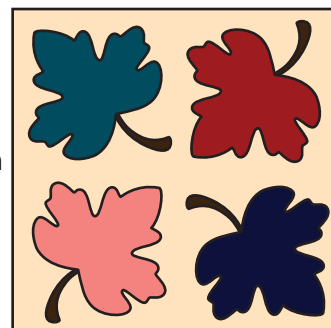
- (2) 3-1/2" x 20-1/2" strips

Sewing Directions: *(Seam allowance is 1/4" unless stated otherwise)*

1. Appliqué the Block

(Note: Templates and instructions are given using the fusible appliqué method. For needle-turn method, add seam allowance to templates.)

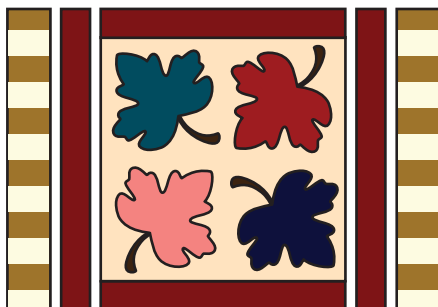
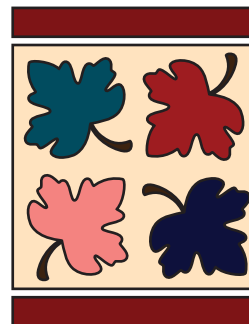
Trace (4) copies of Template A and (4) copies of Template B onto the paper side of the fusible web leaving at least 1/2" space between each copy. Cut out the pieces 1/4" beyond the drawn lines. Following manufacturer's instructions, iron the pieces to the wrong side of the appropriate fabric. Cut out each piece on the drawn line. Fuse (4) leaves and (4) stems to the 16-1/2" tan tonal square, as shown. Use a decorative or a blanket stitch to appliqué each piece.



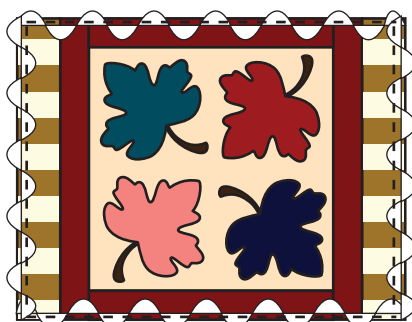
Blanket Stitch

1. Assembling the Sham

Sew (1) 2-1/2" x 16-1/2" red print strip to the top and bottom of the appliquéd block.

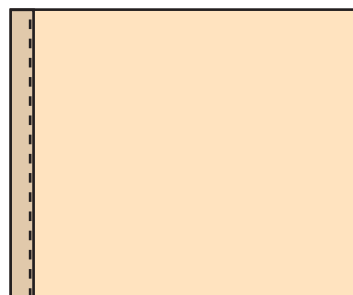


Sew (1) 2-1/2" x 20-1/2" red print strip to the sides of the appliquéd block.
Sew (1) 3-1/2" x 20-1/2" gold/cream stripe strip to the sides of the appliquéd block.



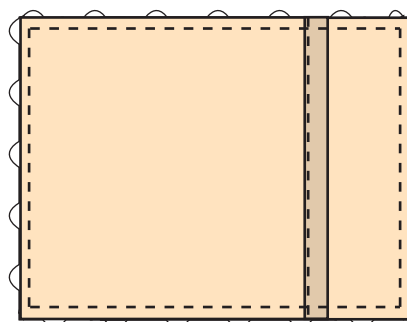
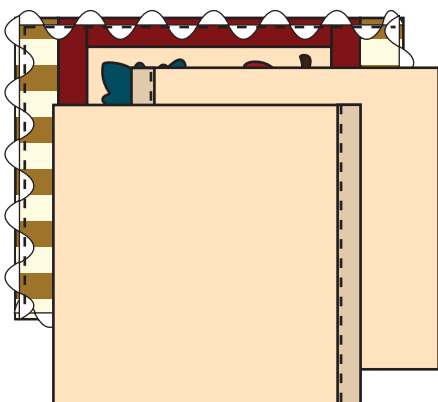
Starting at the corner, baste the rickrack, right side up, around the outside edge of the sham.

Hem the (2) 16-1/2" x 20-1/2" tan tonal backs by folding one long side 1" toward the wrong side of the fabric. Press. Fold again, 1" and stitch to hem. (Make 2)



Lay the sham front, right side up, on a flat surface. Lay one of the sham backs on top of the sham front, right sides together, and pin, matching the raw edges on the top, bottom, and side. Repeat with the other sham back, pinning on the top, bottom, and side. The two back pieces will overlap in the center.

Stitch all the way around, slightly inside of the rickrack basting seam. Clip corners and turn right side out.



Insert pillow.

Maple Leaf Templates
(shown at 100%)

