

Anna Valance

GENERAL NOTES

- This valance can be adapted to fit any window width. The finished length of the valance is approximately 17 ½ inches at the shortest point and 21 ½ inches at the longest point.
- The valance works best when made from a medium-weight decorative fabric. We added a contrasting 1" bias band and piping at the bottom of the treatment. The bows at the top show up best when made from a contrasting fabric.
- This treatment is totally self-lined. A solid color contrast can be used for the lining. Whatever is used for the lining will show underneath at the sides and at the points
- Use a drapery interlining (available at most home decorative stores) to give the valance the best body and shape. In addition, the color of the contrast lining fabric does not bleed through to the face when sunlight shines through the valance.
- The valance shown in the photograph is attached to a 2" wooden pole with small screw-in decorative knobs. The wooden pole can be omitted and the valance attached to the wall with decorative knobs.

MATERIALS

*These quantities are for a valance for a window measuring 36" to 42" wide (finished width of valance is 44"). See following chart for different window widths. **These amounts are based on 54" wide fabric.***

Fabrics:

- 1 ½ yards of decorative fabric for valance front
- 1 ½ yards of contrasting fabric for bows, bias band and piping
- 1 ½ yards of contrasting fabric for lining
- 1 ½ yards of drapery interlining (to add body and shape)

Supplies

- Temporary fabric maker
- 4 ft. wooden pole 2" diameter
- 2 finials and 2 brackets
- 4 decorative screw-in knobs
- 3 yards of 4/32" cotton piping
- White nylon braided twine (found in fishing dept.)

YARDAGE FOR OTHER WINDOW WIDTHS

<i>Window width</i>	<i>Main fabric*</i>	<i>Contrast fabric</i>	<i>Lining Fabric</i>	<i>Interlining</i>	<i>4/32" cotton piping</i>	<i>Knobs</i>
36"-42"	1 ½ yds	1 ½ yds	1 ½ yds	1 ½ yds	3 yds	4
43-56"	2 ¼ yds	1 ½ yds	2 ¼ yds	2 ¼ yds	4 yds	5
57-70"	2 ¼ yds	1 ½ yds	2 ¼ yds	2 ¼ yds	5 yds	6
71-84"	3 yds	2 yds	3 yds	3 yds	6 yds	7
85-98"	3 yds	2 yds	3 yds	3 yds	7 yds	8
99-112"	3 ¾ yds	2 ½ yds	3 ¾ yds	3 ¾ yds	8 yds	9

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