



Variety Balloon Shades II

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These shades hang so that the bottom edge will show, giving opportunities to use ruffles and other trim. Pattern and instructions also include *The Relaxed Balloon*, pleated or gathered. Returns can be operative if desired.

Fabric Suggestions: While deciding on your fabric, keep in mind weight and window width. If your fabric and lining are heavy and your window is over 100" wide, trying to pull this shade up and down will be very difficult. Re-think the possibility of doing 2 or 3 shades, side by side, instead of one. Soft lightweight fabrics are best but crisp ones will also work.

It is recommended that the relaxed shades be decked (or faced) at the bottom with a self fabric or a contrast fabric, as lining will be slightly exposed. Give careful thought to your choice of lining. If you have a "too bulky" fabric, then use a very soft light lining. Rain-no-stain roc-lon is a good choice. Therma suede gives good insulation.

YARDAGE

The finished length of shades are determined by their shortest point.

VIEW A: Figure about 2 1/2 times fullness for the width.

VIEW B: Figure about 2 1/2 times fullness for the width.

VIEW C: Figure for your flat width sizes, plus 12" for pleats, plus returns, plus 2" side hem at each side.

VIEW D: Use the width measurement the shade will finish, plus 12" for each gathered area, plus returns, plus 2" side hem at each side.

For **VIEWS B, C, and D** will also need:

Decking (Facing for bottom): Cut 9" deep, same width as shade cut width.

CUT LENGTH FOR SHADES: 20" longer than the finished length.

Lining should be cut the same

Warning: Placement of seams can sometimes cause you to need an extra cut length. Review instructions.

See inside for a list of supplies needed.