

# Serger Napkins

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Say goodbye to trash napkins-napkins that will only end up in the garbage can. With your Janome serger, you can quickly make a set of re-useable napkins. Throw a set in your picnic basket on the next sunny day!

Skill level: Beginner

## Fabric and Notions:

- 15" squares of various cotton fabrics
- 3 cones serger thread

## Supplies:

- Scissors
- Seam Sealant

## Instructions:

1. Set serger to rolled hem according to your manual.
2. Align the edge of your fabric with the edge of the serger plate and serge side of fabric.



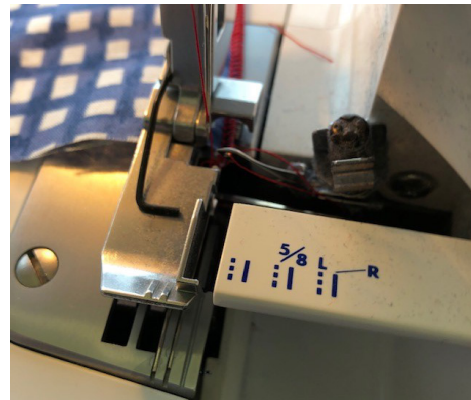
3. When you reach the end of a side, you will need to turn the corner. Use option below that you prefer.

### Option 1:

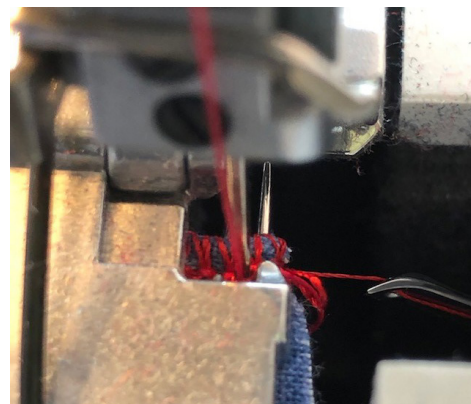
- Serge off the end and restart for the other side. This will leave you several "tails".

### Option 2:

- When you get to end of side, take a few extra stitches off fabric.



- Lift presser foot and gently pull fabric to the rear, removing it from stitch "finger" on needle plate.



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- Turn corner and place it back under presser foot, lower presser foot and continue to next corner.
- Repeat at each corner.
- Once you reach starting corner serge off the edge.

Again, there are several different ways to take care of the tails.

## Option 1:

- Thread tails in to eye of needle and thread tails back through the serged stitches of the edge.



## Option 2:

- Place a few drops of seam sealant at edge where your stitches run off your fabric.



- Let dry completely.
- Trim off the excess threads.

Your napkins are now ready to use over and over again.....

