TIP SHEET

Quilting Cuddle®



Introducing Shannon Fabric 's newest fabric -- Quilting Cuddle®! This wonderfully stable minky has a 1.5mm pile, making it the dreamiest, softest material. Quilting Cuddle® is perfect for quilting, garments, and so much more.

Let's get started:

What we love about Quilting Cuddle®—and why we love it!

WHAT: Quilting Cuddle® has very little stretch.

Less pinning is needed—great for both novice and experienced

quilters.

WHAT: Quilting Cuddle® is 45" wide and

is sold on a bolt.

Eliminate the guess work out WHY: of how much fabric to buy Quilting Cuddle® comes on the bolt as 45" wide.

WHAT: Quilting Cuddle® is easy to serge. WHY:

Although Quilting Cuddle® is a knit and will not fray, serging gives the edges a finished look. Tip: Lift the knife out of the way to

avoid excessive Cuddle® dust.

WHAT: Quilting Cuddle® has a low pile,

yet does not sacrifice softness! Works well for traditional quilt WHY:

patterns using 1/4" seams, dreamy for machine embroidery, and creates detailed appliqués—

including lettering.

WHAT: Quilting Cuddle® combines softness and stability.

Low-loft enables flat, precise WHY: seams and it's versatile works for stuffies, home dec,

sportswear, child and baby clothes, accessories, and bag

makina.



By Karen Fuchs

Favorite Notions for Quilting Cuddle®

NEEDLE: 90/14 stretch needle

THREAD: Polyester thread; 40 or 50 wt.

INTERFACING/STABILIZER: All-purpose

woven fusible

Recommended: Pellon sF101 (Shape-Flex)

BATTING: Low-loft polyester or

polyester lend

CUTTING: Rotary cutter, craft knife, or

micro-serrated scissors

PINS: Flower head pins and fabric clips

STILETTO: Recommended: byAnnie Stiletto

SEWING PLATE: Use a single-hole plate, if available

WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

- · For best results, machine wash in cool water with a gentle detergent.
- Do not use fabric softener or dryer sheets.
- Tumble dry in a no-heat dryer for about ten minutes.
- Hang until dry.

Quilting Tips



Use 1/4" seams

Quilting Cuddle® (QC) has a low-loft, you can use a standard 1/4" seams or a quarter inch foot.





Perfect for Curves

Quilting Cuddle® loves curved seams. Make both pieces in QC® or mix and match with cotton.





Using Accuquilt.

In general, it's best to cut Quilting Cuddle® as a asingle layer. However, with an Accuquilt, cutting two layers at a time is possible.



Garment Sewing Tips



Add structural elements.

Consider patterns with a yoke, princess seams, or a zipper.





Interface buttonholes.

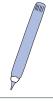
Use an all-purpose, woven, fusible interfacing.





Marking.

Fabric-safe markers work well. Option: Place a pin or make a small snip in the seam.







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Quilting Cuddle® is versatile

- Quilting Great coordinating collections for your favorite quilt.
- Embroidery QC is stunning on all your machine embroidery projects. No need for toppers or knockdown stitching.
- Paper Piecing Precision on piecing your blocks.
- Applique Great way to add buttery soft texture.
- Bag Making Create your favorite bag with added softness and style.
- Quilted Garments Step out in style with your favorite jacket pattern.
- Serging Make your favorite project on the serger.
- Stuffed animals Create super soft detailed stuffies with only 1/4" seams.
- Accuquilt Cut 2 layer with right sides together. (Backing against the blade)
- Ironing Press on the backing side.

Fabric Preview: Quilting Cuddle® Collections STARTING WITH 17 PRINTS + 21 SOLIDS

