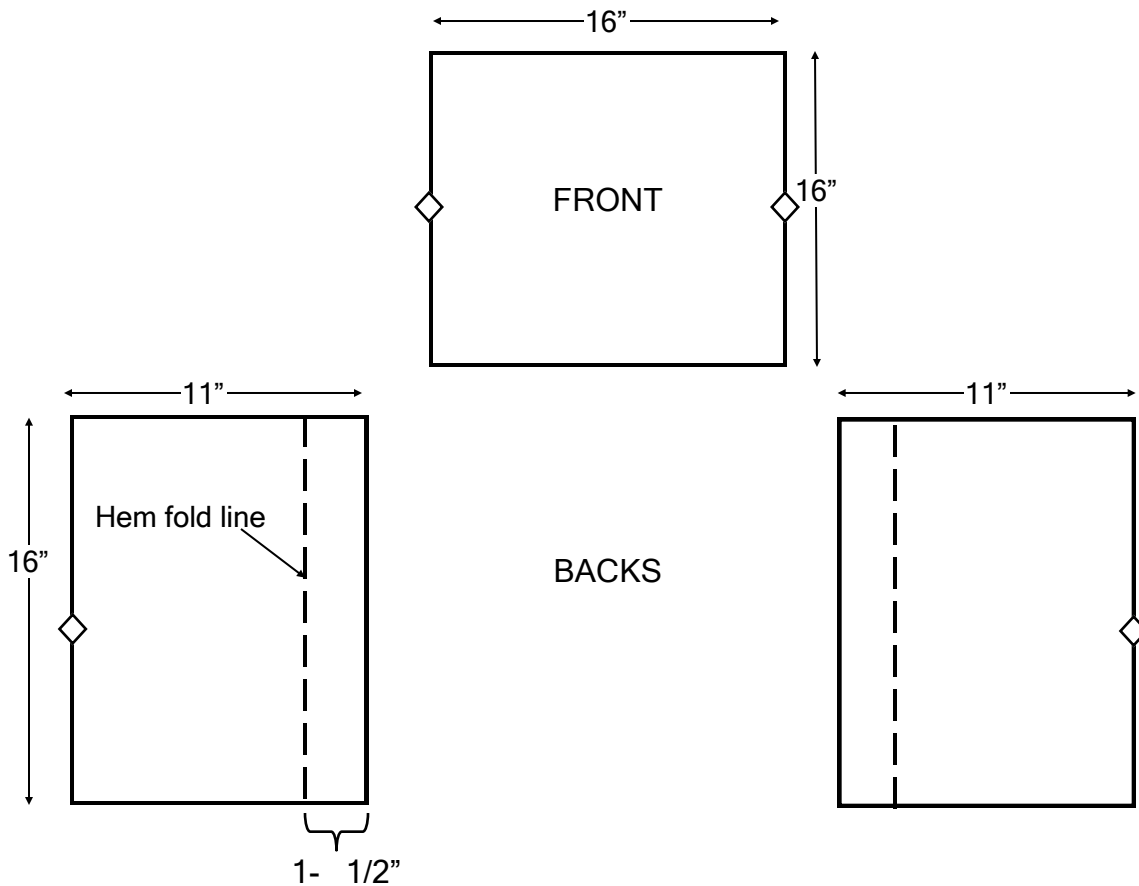


# SIMPLE PILLOW COVER



**ITEMS NEEDED:** 1/2 yard of fabric and one 14-inch-square pillow form  
Matching thread and 2 inches of sew-in Velcro™ for closure

**CUTTING:** Cut 1 front — 16x16-inch square. See illustration for notch placements  
Cut 2 backs — 16x11 inches

**SEWING:** Pillow back — Press under 1/4 inch to wrong side along the long unnotched edge of both back pieces  
Press under again along fold line forming a 1-1/4-inch hem  
Stitch down close to inner edge

Sew front to back — With right sides together, matching notched edges and overlapping finished edges at center back, pin all four unfinished edges together.  
Stitch 5/8-inch seam around entire pillow. Pivot all 4 corners.  
Trim excess fabric at all corners, and turn cover right side out.  
Sew Velcro closure at center back under top finished edge, making sure Velcro doesn't show on outside.

**FINISHING:** Insert 14-inch pillow form. Pillow front may be embellished as you desire.  
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