

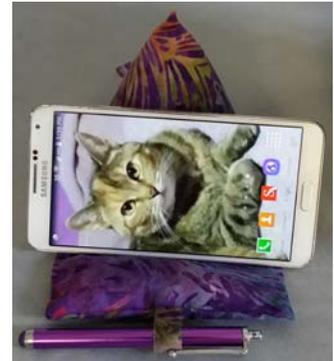
Hints for making the Gadget Cushion, a quick project.

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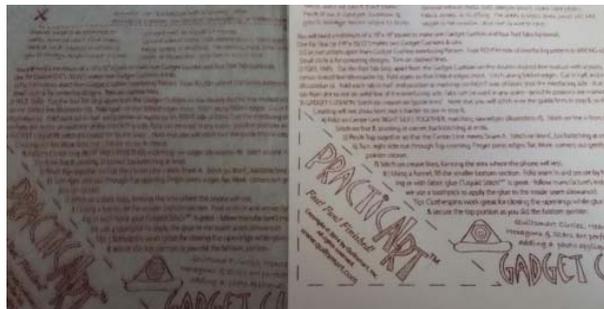
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I've really enjoyed making quick and easy projects lately! So I've made two of these **Gadget Cushions** (909270), a new **Cell Phone Bag** (39055), and I'm working on some fun new placemats! (And of course my Mystery Quilt clue for next month!)



Some of the projects like this one, have the instructions right on the interfacing, and they're hard to read. So my first hint is to iron the instructions to a piece of white paper. You can see the difference below.

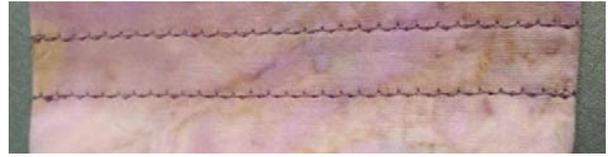


Next hint is for preparing the tabs. I love my **Glue Pen!** (40599) Fold the tab in half and glue the two ends together. Then put glue on the outside of the tab, so you can attach it to the underside of your cushion. (You can see the blue from the pen. It dries clear, and there's no problem sewing through it.)



The **Point-to-Point Turner** is great for pushing out corners, among many other things.

The instructions tell you to stitch a straight stitch over the straight stitching you made in a previous step. I did a very narrow zig-zag instead. It's more "forgiving" if it isn't exactly on top of the first stitching.



You fill the small section first. I used a new glue we have called **Fabric Fuse**. (A33848) It holds quickly, but it's a good idea to hold it in place for a while. I use my **Wonder Clips** for that, (and so many other things!) The **Wonder Clip Wrist Cushion** (A28353) keeps them close at hand. Of course, you could also sew it by hand.



I have a little funnel that came with an iron, and I used that to put the **Poly-Pellets** in. (A23347) I just put in a little bit at a time. As the larger part filled, I started gluing and clipping.



And, of course, I had help!

