

# Singer Featherweight Club

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## Supply List, Fabric Requirements, and Cutting Directions

### Supply List:

1. Singer 221 “Featherweight” sewing machine in good working order
2. Thread in a neutral color
3. Rotary Cutter
4. \*Ruler (6” x 12” or 6 ½” x 12 ½”) I prefer this size because it allows you to place your whole hand on the ruler for stability. You may use whatever size with which you are comfortable.
5. \*Studio 180 Tucker Trimmer I and a \*12 ½” inch ruler for squaring up blocks

OR

\*Studio 180 Tucker Trimmer III

6. \*Studio 180 Magic Wand or other tool for marking one-quarter inch seams such as the \*Creative Grids Seam Guide Tool or \*Fons and Porter’s Quarter Inch Seam Marker
7. Tool for sewing a quarter-inch seam. If you have the vintage seam guide that came with your machine, you may use that. Other options are the seam guide and square (available at The Old Country Store) or a quarter-inch foot (available at [singer-featherweight.com](http://singer-featherweight.com).) Tape is not recommended for use on Featherweights because it will damage the protective clear coat.
8. If you are using a cross-wound thread such as Aurifil, a \*thread stand or \*thread post is recommended to prevent the thread from twisting.
9. Basic sewing supplies: pins, small scissors, seam ripper, etc.
10. Marking pen or pencil

\*Available at The Old Country Store

## Contrary Wife Fabric Requirements

You may use fabric from your previous blocks, scraps, fat quarters, or quarter-yard pieces. If using fat quarters or quarter yard pieces (which is the minimum cut available at The Old Country Store), you will have fabric left over for future blocks. You will need 4 fabrics.

*Please cut all fabrics before class.*

### Cutting Directions:

Fabric 1 (Red): Three 4 ½” squares

Fabric 2 (Blue): Two 4 ½” squares

Fabric 3 (Gold): Two 5” squares

Fabric 4 (Floral): Two 5” squares



## Broken Sugar Bowl Fabric Requirements

You may use the same fabrics as you used in the Contrary Wife block, or different ones. If using the same, you will have enough to make both blocks. If using different fabrics, use the same amount as listed above. You will have fabric left over. You will need three fabrics. I chose to use a fourth fabric and “fussy cut” to make the block more interesting.

### Cutting Directions:

\*Fabric 1 (White Floral): Two 4 ½” squares  
one 2 ½” x 6” strip

Fabric 2 (Green): Two 5” squares  
one 2 ½” x 11” strip

Fabric 3 (Red): Two 5” squares  
one 2 ½” x 11” strip  
one 2 ½” x 6” strip

\*I used two fabrics and “fussy cut” one.



If you are not confident about your machine’s ability to sew an accurate ¼” seam, you may want to cut your strips wider (2 ¾”) and trim the 4-patch units after they are sewn.