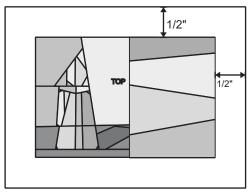
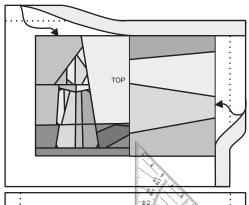
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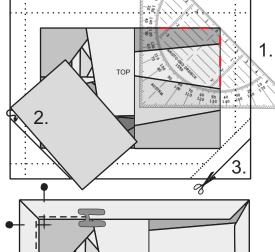


Sew your MugRug top. Make a sandwich from batting the same size as your top and a backing fabric that is a good 1/2" larger on all sides. Quilt.

Cut the backing straight at 1/2".



Iron the excess width in half all around; the top is your guide. If you used thick batting leave a little gap at the top's edge.



Open up the folds. Draw the diagonal line at the corners by eyeballing or using a set square from your children's satchel.

Place a cardboard on this line and fold carefully along the edge towards the center. Iron and reduce the seam allowance.

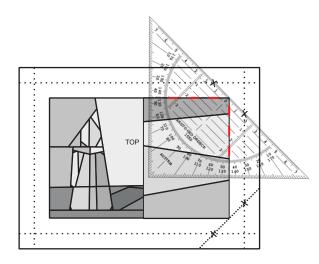
First fold the edges towards the center. Fold the sides along the crease and fold them inward. This way a clean mitered corner will appear.

Stitch all around close to the edge as shown. If needed fix mitered corners by hand.

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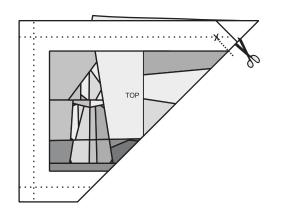
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Part two: Machine sewn corner



When drawing the diagonal set a mark at the intersections.

Fold your sandwich on the diagonal with wrong sides facing and marks matching.



Sew by machine (or by hand) from x to the corner of the top. Secure your seamm in the beginning. At the end sewing some stitched beyond the fabric is fine.

Cut the triangle leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Turn the corner folding the seam allowances to either side.

Continue as described before. Stitch down the binding by hand or machine.

