



Machine Binding 101

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Join Miriam Coffey as she teaches everything you need to know about sewing quilt bindings! Do you find traditional quilt binding to be tedious? Miriam breaks down all the amazing Janome accessories that will help you finish your bindings more efficiently and precisely! Miriam also explains how to sew perfect quilt binding corners, and an easy way to sew your quilt binding ends together! Miriam is using 2 1/2" wide binding strips.

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<https://youtu.be/piZZMLIs6Oc>

Feet Options for Attaching your Binding:

Even Feed Foot:

The Even Feed Foot, sometimes referred to as the Walking Foot, is designed with a set of feed dogs which allow the fabric to feed without shifting and eliminates the problem of the under layer of fabric coming up short. The Even Feed Foot is also great for topstitching. It eliminates seam allowance bulk around collars and reverses.

Link: <https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/even-feed-foot/>

AcuFeed Dual Feed Foot:

The Dual Feed Foot for AcuFeed comes standard with all models with the AcuFeed System. The foot is specially designed to engage the AcuFeed system, and move the top layer of fabric in sync with the bottom layer.

Link: <https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/dual-feed-foot/>

1/4" Quilt Piecing Foot for AcuFeed Flex (OD):

A popular foot with patchworkers for that essential 1/4 inch seam. The guide on the foot enables you to sew a perfect 1/4 inch seam every time. The guide can also be used wherever a 1/4 inch seam is called for but the markings on the needle plate cannot be used, such as when completing a flat seam.

Link: https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/1_4-inch-seam-feet/

Single AcuFeed Flex foot holder and narrow VD foot:

Now there is an AcuFeed Flex system for your more narrow projects! Sometimes, the standard AcuFeed Flex twin system is just a little too bulky for very fine work. With it, you can enjoy all the benefits of AcuFeed when you are creating more delicate projects

Link: <https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/single-acufeed-holder-and-foot/>

HP Foot and Plate:

Experience industrial-style precision sewing of curves and top-stitching with the unique Professional Grade foot and needle plate combination. Inspired by the narrow gauge of industrial accessory feet and the ideal conditions of straight stitching from the left needle position, the HP foot offers superior visibility and control

Link: <https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/hp-plate-and-hp-foot/>

HP2 Foot:

This foot provides superior visibility and is great for curves and precise topstitching. It holds fabrics firmly in sync with the feed dogs to achieve professional results. For use in combination with Professional Grade Needle Plate (HP). Utilizes the left side feed dogs.

Link: <https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/acufeed-hp2-foot/>

Janome AcuFeed Ditch Quilting Foot (SD), and standard Stitch in the Ditch Foot:

A very useful addition to the sewing room when wanting a perfection straight “stitch in the ditch.” The guide on the foot spreads the seams allowing you to stitch perfectly in the ditch, and is also useful when adding decorative top stitching along seams.

Link: <https://www.janome.com/accessories/sewing-machine-feet/ditch-quilting-foot/>

Quilt Binder Set:

The Quilt Binder Set is the perfect accessory for quick and trouble-free binding, with a superior design based on industrial binding attachments. The cone on the front of the fabric holder feeds and folds fabric for a ½” finished binding. Two upper screws on the binder allow you to adjust the fold of the fabric - set them at the same length for a straight stitch, or set the bottom a bit further than the top for a blanket stitch.

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