FABRIC SELECTION

• Apparel Fabrics, Decorator Fabrics, Commercial Fabrics
• Weight Depends on Use
  Window Treatments – lighter weight or even non-decorator
  Upholstery Treatments
    High use       heavier weight
    Low use        medium weight
    Decorative     non-upholstery
• Density of Weave
  Higher density wears better
• When choosing colors and coordinating paint with fabrics – always choose the fabric first
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## SYNTHETIC FIBERS

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TYPES OF FABRICS AND FABRIC PATTERNS
Brocade
Damask
Moire
Dupioni Silk
Embroidered Silk
Chintz
Chenille
Matelasse
Burlap
Denim
Printed Duck (Canvas)
Ticking Stripe
Herringbone
Gingham Check
Houndstooth Check
Tartan Plaid
Ikat Print
Paisley
COLOR

Choosing a Scheme
Yellow
Green
Blue
Violet
Red
Orange
Monochromatic Color Scheme

Blue-Green
Monochromatic Color Scheme

Yellow
Complementary Color Scheme

Blue and Orange
Complementary Color Scheme

Red and Green
Triadic Color Scheme

Red, Blue and Yellow
Triadic Color Scheme

Orange, Green and Violet
Analogous Color Scheme

Yellow, Yellow-Orange, Orange
Analogous Color Scheme

Blue, Blue-Green, Green, Yellow Green
Mixing Fabrics
FORMULA FOR PATTERN SELECTION

Organic + Geometric + Solid

Scale Variation

Density Variation
ORGANIC
GEOMETRIC
SCALE
SCALE
SCALE
FORMULA EXAMPLE

Organic + Geometric + Scale Variation + Density Variation

Organic
Large Scale
Low Density

Geometric
Medium Scale
Medium Density

Geometric
Small Scale
High Density
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DETAILS

Adding Trims and Accents
FABRIC IDEAS

Adding Fabrics to Your Home
WINDOW TREATMENTS

Fabrics for Windows