

Tips & Hints For Custom Tree Trim

Adding trim to your tree or mantel can bring your holiday decor to the next level. See below for tips on how to make quick and easy trim with your serger.

Serger Trim Tips

- 1. The narrow rolled hem stitch on your serger is the perfect quick and easy way to trim and finish your fabric for this project. You can find the machine setup for this stitch in your user's guide.
 - Tip: Shorten the length of your stitch for a neat and tight stitch.
- 2. Shiny lamé fabric is what you can see on the tree and mantel above, but any woven fabric will work.
 - Tip: When choosing a fabric, try to find one that doesn't have a right and wrong side, otherwise you will need to be aware of this when decorating.
- 3. When making your own trim, you can make it any width. We recommend cutting multiple strips between 2"-6" (5-15 cm) wide.
 - Note: The width you decide will determine how much fabric you need.

Bonus Tip: Experiment with decorative thread in the looper, adding decorative stitches from your sewing machine, or consider adding embroidery first if you want a bolder statement.