

How to Optimize a Small Workspace for Greater Productivity: Step-By-Step Instructions

Optimize small workspaces to fabricate heavy window treatments.

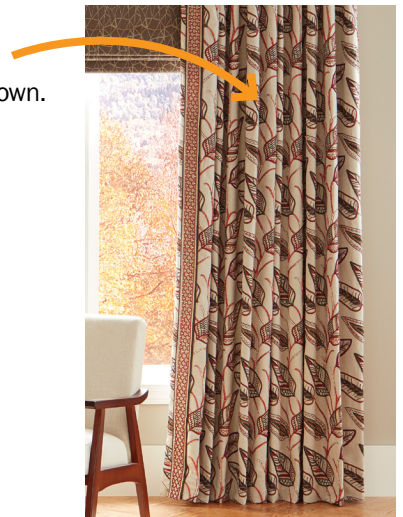


Save Fabrication Time & Wear & Tear On Your Body by Arranging the Workroom for Speed & Efficiency:

The heavily embroidered fabric for the drapery panels in this roomscape was extremely heavy on its own. Adding black out lining made them even heavier and difficult to move around.

Listed below are some tips for you to use when setting up your workroom to work smarter:

- Sewing machines located near worktables to save steps and create efficiency.
- Tables located near fabric racks.
- Buckram near worktables.
- Rolling rack to organize fabric cuts.
- Storage cabinet with supplies.
- Trash cans near each sewing machine.
- Button and grommet setters near workstations (on rolling carts).
- Good lighting and lots of it.



Fan Fold Large & Heavy Drapery Panels Before Sewing the Pleats:

This video shows how to fan fold drapery panels and band them prior to sewing the back of the pleat.

This is quick and efficient in our workroom > bit.ly/fan-fold-large-draperies



After the panels are folded and banded, they are taken to the appropriate machine to stitch the pleats.

Set Up Tables & Machines with Items Most Often Used:



- Welt cords on a bar or piece of conduit at the sewing machine.
- Trash cans near each sewing machine to keep threads off the floor.



Add a shelf or L-brackets under the tabletop to organize long rulers and keep them near the worktable.



Order under the worktable!

- Jumbo wonder clips
- Fabric clamps
- Irons
- Extra cording
- Lining remnants

