

## Worksheet C: Characteristics of Fabrics

(All information, except prices, is from the web-site [www.fabriclink.com](http://www.fabriclink.com))

	<b>Cotton</b>	<b>Linen</b>	<b>Nylon</b>	<b>Polyester</b>	<b>Rayon</b>	<b>Silk</b>
<b>Quick drying</b>			X	X		
<b>Resists shrinkage</b>			X	X		
<b>Easily washed</b>			X	X		
<b>Prints well</b>	X	X			X	X
<b>No static problems</b>	X	X			X	
<b>No pilling problems</b>	X	X			X	X
<b>Resistant to*</b>			O,C	C		
<b>Price/yard **</b>	\$3.59	\$5.00	\$5.59	\$8.59	\$8.59	\$15.59
<b>Permeability</b>						
<b>Absorbency</b>						
<b>Strength</b>						

\* O = oils, C = chemicals

\*\* Prices are averages and may vary from store to store.