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SIZE: 58"W x 70"H • LEVEL: CONFIDENT BEGINNER • PATTERN BY: PROJECT HOUSE 360



THIS IS A DIGITAL REPRESENTATION OF THE QUILT TOP, FABRIC MAY VARY.

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1/4" Seam Allowance Check

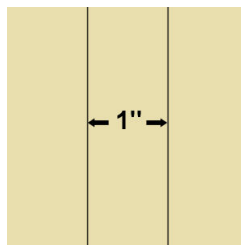
To check if your seam is accurate, cut three 1 1/2" x 3" pieces from scrap fabric.

Sew the pieces together along the 3" side, using what you believe is a 1/4" seam.

Press away from the center piece.

Measure.

The center piece should be exactly 1" wide.



If, when you measure, the center is less than 1", your seam allowance is too large. You need to move the needle to the right.

If it's more than 1", your seam allowance is too small and you need to move the needle to the left.

Consult your machine's owner's manual for instructions on moving your needle position.

Repeat this check until your center strip measures correctly.



FABRIC A
DCX12991 multi
one full repeat



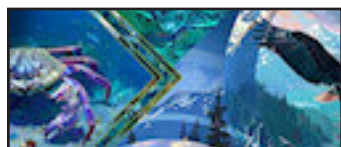
FABRIC B
DCX12987 sailor
3/4 yard



FABRIC C
CX10406 white
2 1/2 yards



FABRIC D
DCX12985 luna
1/2 yard



FABRIC E
DCX12982 multi
1 yard



FABRIC F
DCX12985 multi
1 yard



FABRIC G
DCX12989 pacific
7/8 yard



FABRIC H
DCX12987 pool
5/8 yard



BACKING
DCX12985 luna
3 3/4 yards

BATTING
66" x 78"

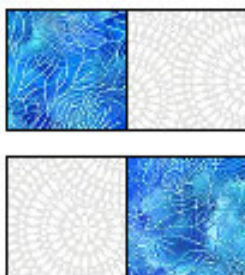
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KEY	CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS WOF=width of fabric
A	(6) 12½" squares, fussy cut, centering on motif
B	(3) 2" x WOF (36) template C
C	(3) 2" x WOF. (2) 7¼" x WOF. Subcut: (6) 7¼" squares (5) 2" x WOF (8) 2½" x WOF (4) template A (4) template B (32) template E
D	(3) 3⅞" x WOF. Subcut: (24) 3⅞" squares
E	(6) 6½" squares, fussy cut, centering on motif
F	(3) 2" x WOF (2) 2" x WOF. Subcut: (2) 2" x 39½" rectangles (7) 2½" x WOF for binding (4) 2" squares
G	(4) template D (32) template E (4) 2" squares
H	(36) template C

Block A:

Make 6

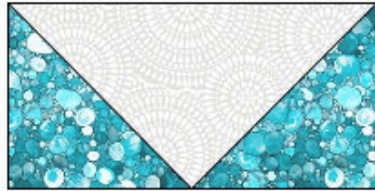
1. Stitch one fabric B and one fabric C 2" x WOF strips together to make a stripset. Make three stripsets and cut into (48) 2" x 3½" pieces. Stitch the pieces together in pairs as shown to make four-patch blocks. Square to 3½". Make (24) four-patch blocks.



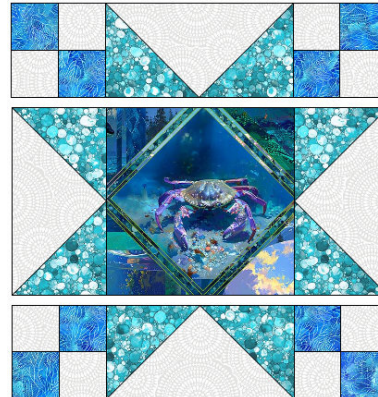
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2. Use the technique sheet on page 7 to make flying geese units using one fabric C $7\frac{1}{4}$ " square and four fabric D $3\frac{7}{8}$ " squares. Trim to $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $6\frac{1}{2}$ ". Make (24) units.
3. Combine four four-patch units, four flying geese units and one fabric E $6\frac{1}{2}$ " square to complete the block. Square to $12\frac{1}{2}$ ". Make six blocks.

Step 2



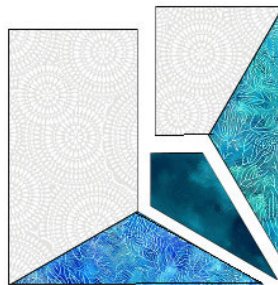
Step 3



Block B:

Make 4

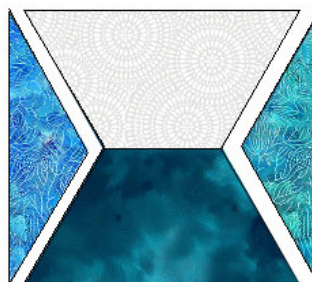
4. Stitch one fabric C template A to one fabric B template C.
5. Stitch one fabric C template B to one fabric H template C.
6. Using inset seams, combine the units and add one fabric G template D to complete the block. Square to $6\frac{1}{2}$ ". Make four blocks.



Block C:

Make 32

7. Stitch one fabric C and one fabric G template E pieces together as shown.
8. Add one fabric B template C and one fabric H template C using inset seams. Square to $6\frac{1}{2}$ ". Make (32) blocks.





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Assembly:

Use the assembly diagram on page 6 as needed

9. Combine block A with six fabric A $12\frac{1}{2}$ " squares as shown.
10. Stitch three fabric C 2" x WOF strips together end-to-end. Cut two 2" x $48\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and add to the left- and right-hand sides of the quilt. Add two fabric F 2" squares to each end of two fabric C 2" x $36\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles and add to the top and bottom of the quilt.
11. Stitch three fabric F 2" x WOF strips together end-to-end. Cut two 2" x $51\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and add to the left- and right-hand sides of the quilt. Add two fabric G 2" square to each end of two fabric F 2" x $39\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles and add to the top and bottom of the quilt.
12. Add blocks B and C as shown.
13. Stitch eight fabric C $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips together end-to-end. Cut two $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $66\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and add to the left- and right-hand sides of the quilt. Cut two $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $58\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and add to the top and bottom of the quilt.

Finishing:

14. Layer, baste and quilt as desired.
15. Bind with seven fabric F $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips.

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Assembly Diagram



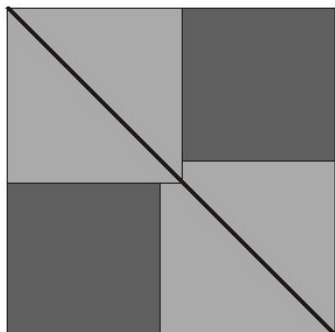


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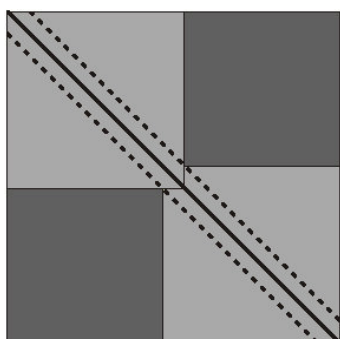
No-Waste Flying Geese

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the smaller squares.

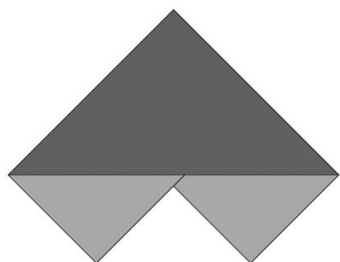
Add two smaller squares to one larger square, right sides together, as shown.



Stitch a 1/4" seam on each side of the drawn line.

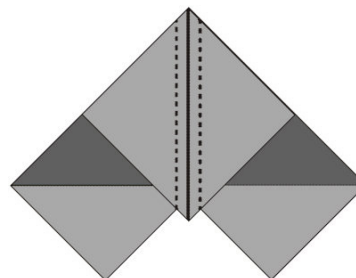


Cut on the drawn line and press small triangles outward.



Add one small square, right sides together, as shown.

Stitch a 1/4" seam on each side of the drawn line.



Cut on the drawn line and press small triangles outward. Trim to the size indicated in the pattern.

Each set of one large square and four small squares makes four flying geese units.

