

GO! Aztec Hunter Star Pillowcases

Finished Size 20" x 40"



Fabrics are Soho Solids provided by Timeless Treasures

Perk up pillowcases with pieced edgings using GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166). Use A, AR, and B patches for an Aztec-tone 2½" edging. Add C patches for a nearly 5½" border or 4¼" band. Quarter-inch piping sets off the piecework. Pillowcase bodies are easy to construct and a great way to use up your stash!

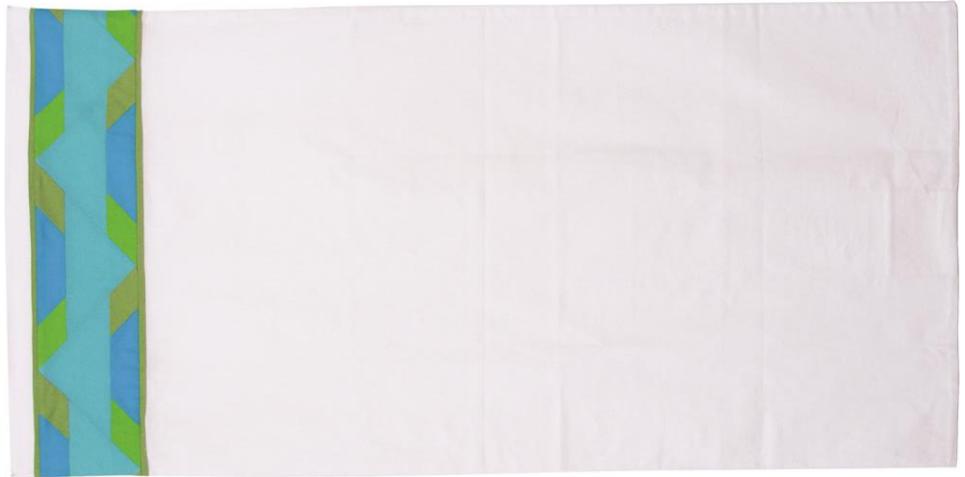
GO!® Dies Used, Number of Shapes to Cut & Fabric Requirements

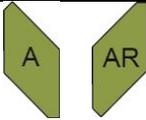
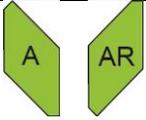
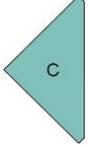
Note: To sub cut A and AR diamonds, fan-fold the 4" width of fabric (WOF) strips at 2½". (This will cut at most 16 diamonds from each strip.) To sub cut the B trapezoids, fan-fold the 6" WOF strips at 2¼". (This will cut at most 17 trapezoids from each strip.) To sub cut the C triangles, fan-fold the 7¼" WOF strips at 4". (This will cut at most 10 triangles from each strip.)

To make pillowcases with a 2½" edging

Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
Medium Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x width of fabric (WOF) strip. Sub cut 8—B trapezoids.	3/8 yard
Light Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 8—B trapezoids.	1/4 yard
Dark Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—A diamonds.	1/4 yard
Light Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—AR diamonds.	1/4 yard
Pink		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 2—1" x WOF strips for flat piping	1/8 yard

To make pillowcases with a 4½" edging



Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
Medium Green		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 2—1" x WOF strips for flat piping.	1/4 yard
Medium Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut the strip into two equal pieces, then cut 5—A diamonds and 6—AR diamonds.	Yardage included above
Light Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut the strip into two equal pieces, then cut 6—A diamonds and 5—AR diamonds.	1/4 yard
Dark Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 11— B trapezoids.	1/4 yard
Light Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—7 ¼" x WOF strip. Sub cut 10—C triangles. Cut one additional C triangle from remaining yardage	1/4 yard

Additional Fabrics Needed

- Pillowcase Fabric—1¼ yards (White Fabric)
 - Cut one rectangle, 40½" x 35"
 - Cut one rectangle, 40½" x 8" for lining

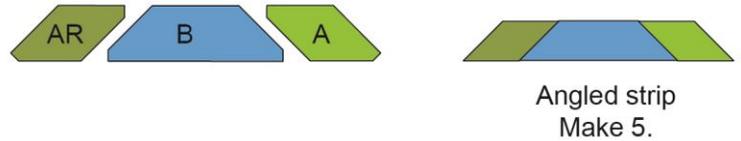
Sewing Directions

Note: Press all seams open and use a ¼" seam allowance unless otherwise indicated.

Make the 4½” Edged Pillowcase

1. Arrange one light green A diamond, one dark blue B trapezoid, and one medium green AR diamond as shown in Diagram 2. Sew the patches together along adjacent seams. Make 5 angled strips.

Diagram 2



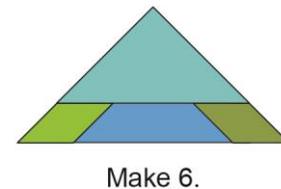
2. Join each angled strip from Step 1 to the long edge of a light blue C triangle. Make 5 pieced triangles as shown in Diagram 3.

Diagram 3



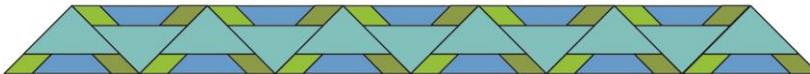
3. Repeat Steps 1 and 2, using a light green AR diamond, dark blue B trapezoid, medium green A diamond and light blue C triangle as shown in Diagram 4. Make 6 pieced triangles.

Diagram 4



4. Arrange the pieced triangles in a single row as shown in Diagram 5, placing the first five triangles upside down. Sew the triangles together along adjacent edges. Square each end of the pieced triangle strip.

Diagram 5



5. With wrong sides together, fold each piping strip in half lengthwise. Press.

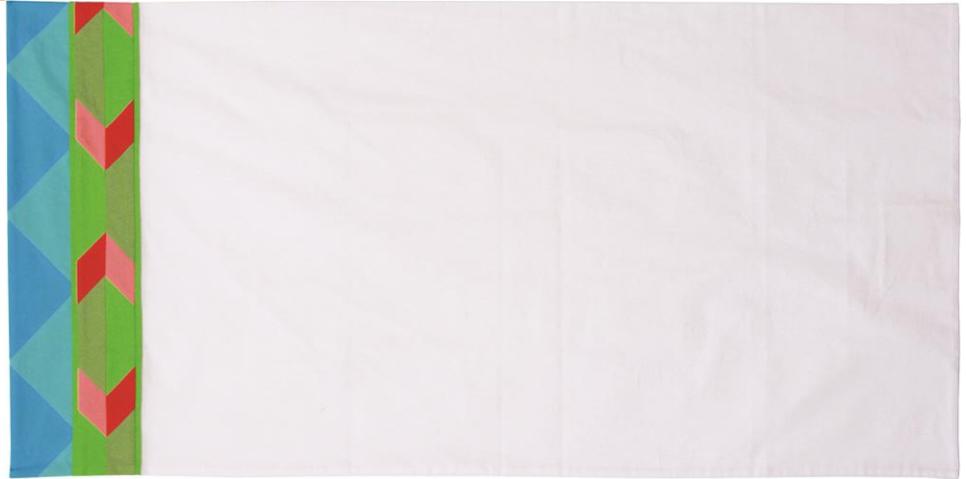
6. With right sides together, align the raw edges of one piping strip with one long edge of the pieced triangle strip. Place the lining strip right sides together on top of the pieced strip, aligning one long edge of the lining strip with the piping and pieced strip. Pin, then sew the lining and pieced strip together, sandwiching the piping between the two. Press the seam allowances toward the pieced strip.

7. Repeat Step 6 with the opposite side of the pieced triangles, the remaining piping strip, and the large white rectangle, making sure the edges of the white rectangle align with the edges of the lining strip. Press the seam allowances toward the pieced triangles. Trim the excess strip and piping even with the lining edges.

8. Press the long unfinished edge of the lining ¼” to the wrong side. Fold the lining to the wrong side, covering the raw edges of the seam sewn in Step 7. Press the folded edge of the lining; it will extend past the pieced triangles. Pin the lining in place, temporarily folding the piping toward the triangles. Edgestitch the folded edge of the lining, being careful to not catch the piping in the seam. When released, the piping should cover the stitching.

9. Refer to “Finishing” under “Make the 2½” Edged Pillowcase” to finish the side and bottom edges of the pillowcase.

To make pillowcases with a 5½" edging



Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
Medium Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 8— B trapezoids.	1/4 yard
Light Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 8— B trapezoids.	1/2 yard
Light Green		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 2—1" x WOF strips for flat piping.	Yardage included above
Pink		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7— AR diamonds.	1/4 yard
Red		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7— A diamonds	1/4 yard
Dark Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—7¼" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—C triangles.	1/4 yard
Light Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—7¼" x WOF strip. Sub cut 8—C triangles.	1/4 yard

Additional Fabrics Needed

- Lining Fabric—Yardage included above (Light Green Fabric)
 - Cut one rectangle, 40½" x 6" for lining

- Pillowcase Fabric—1 1/8 yards (White Fabric)
 - Cut one rectangle, 40½" x 35"

Sewing Directions

Note: Press all seams open and use a ¼" seam allowance unless otherwise indicated.

Make the 5½" Edged Pillowcase

1. Follow Steps 1 through 3 under "Make the 2½" Edged Pillowcase", substituting red A and coral AR diamonds for the dark blue A and light blue AR diamonds.

2. Arrange the light and dark blue C triangles in a single row, as shown in Diagram 6. Sew the triangles together along adjacent edges. Square each end of the triangle strip.

Diagram 6

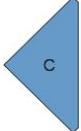
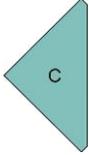


3. With wrong sides together, fold each piping strip in half lengthwise. Press.
4. With right sides together, align the long raw edge of one piping strip with the long edge of pieced strip from Step 1. Place the pieced triangle strip right sides together on top of the Step 1 strip, aligning long edges. Pin, then sew the Step 1 and triangle strips together, sandwiching the piping between the two. Press the seam allowances toward the Step 1 strip.
5. Repeat Step 4 with the opposite side of the Step 1 strip, the remaining piping strip, and the large white rectangle, centering the white rectangle align on top of the pieced strips. Press the seam allowances toward the pieced strips. Trim the excess pieced strips and piping even with the rectangle.
6. Place the lining right sides together with the top edge of the triangle strip. Sew the lining and triangle strip together. Press, then fold the lining to the wrong side of the pillowcase, and press the folded edge.
7. Unfold the lining, and press the long unfinished edge of the lining ¼" to the wrong side. Refold the lining to the wrong side, covering the raw edges of the second piping seam. Pin the lining in place, temporarily folding the piping toward the pieced strip. Edgestitch the folded edge of the lining, being careful to not catch the piping strip in the seam. When released, the piping should cover the stitching.
8. Refer to "Finishing" under "Make the 2½" Edged Pillowcase" to finish the side and bottom edges of the pillowcase.



Combined Yardages to make one 2½", 4½" and 5½" Edged Pillowcases

Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
Medium Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 16— B trapezoids.	1/2 yard
Medium Green		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 2—1" x WOF strips for flat piping.	Yardage included above
Medium Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut the strip into two equal pieces, then cut 5—A diamonds and 6—AR diamonds.	Yardage included above
Light Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 16— B trapezoids.	5/8 yard
Light Green		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut the strip into two equal pieces, then cut 6—A diamonds and 5—AR diamonds.	Yardage included above
Light Green		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 2—1" x WOF strips for flat piping.	Yardage included above

Dark Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—A diamonds.	5/8 yard
Dark Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—6" x WOF strip. Sub cut 11—B trapezoids.	Yardage included above
Dark Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—7 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—C triangles.	Yardage included above
Light Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—AR diamonds.	5/8 yard
Light Blue		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 2—7 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 19—C triangles.	Yardage included above
Pink		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 2—1" x WOF strips for flat piping	1/4 yard
Pink		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—AR diamonds.	Yardage included above
Red		GO! Hunter Star-6" Finished (55166)	Cut 1—4" x WOF strip. Sub cut 7—A diamonds	1/4 yard

Additional Fabrics Needed

- Lining Fabric—Yardage included above (Medium Green Fabric)
 - Cut one, 40 1/2" x 3 1/8" strip for lining
- Lining Fabric—Yardage included above (Light Green Fabric)
 - Cut one rectangle, 40 1/2" x 6" for lining
- Pillowcase Fabric—3 1/8 yards (White Fabric)
 - Cut two rectangles, 40 1/2" x 35"
 - Cut one rectangle, 40 1/2" x 38"
 - Cut one rectangle, 40 1/2" x 8" for lining