

Nautical Squares Quilted Throw

Finished Size: 48" x 64" (121.92cm x 162.56cm)



Supplies Needed

- 12 Fabric Palette[®] Fat Quarters (front)(18" x 21"/45.72cm x 53.34cm)
- 12 Fabric Palette[®] Fat Quarters (back)(18" x 21"/45.72cm x 53.34cm)
- 2 Fabric Palette[®] matching Fat Quarters (binding) (18" x 21"/45.72cm x 53.34cm)
- Batting: 54" x 70" (137.16cm x 177.8cm)
- Coordinating thread
- Rotary cutter, mat, and 6" x 24" acrylic ruler
- Safety pins or basting spray (optional)
- Basic sewing supplies
- Sewing machine
- Iron and pressing surface

Before You Begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not prewash fabrics. Press fabrics with a dry iron before cutting. Use ¼" (.635cm) seam allowance and sew fabrics with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted. Press seams in direction of arrows. wof = width of fabric

Cutting

From 12 different Fat Quarters (front): 4 - 8 ½" x 8 ½" (21.59cm x 21.59cm) (48 total)

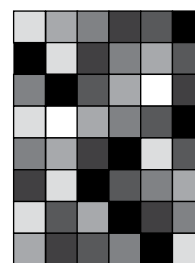
From 12 Fat Quarters (back): 1 - 17 ½" x 20 ½" (44.45cm x 52.07cm) (12 total)

From 2 Fat Quarters (binding): 7 - 2 ½" x 21" (6.35cm x 53.34cm) strips (14 total)

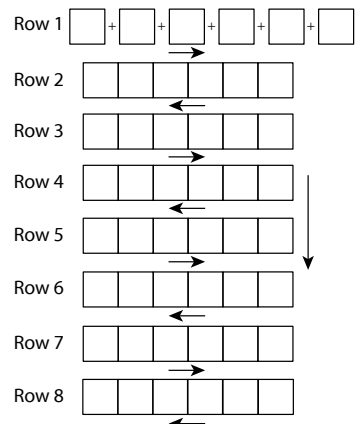
Assembly

1. Lay out six squares in each row as desired for a total of eight rows (Dia. A).
2. Beginning with Row 1, pin and sew squares RST; press seams in one direction as shown by arrows (Dia. B).
3. Repeat to sew Rows 2-8, pressing seams in opposite directions as shown by arrows (Dia. B).
4. Carefully match the seam intersections and pin rows together. Sew and press seams in one direction.

Dia. A



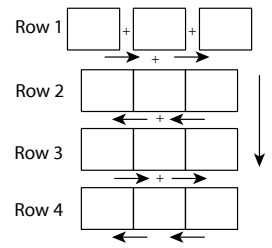
Dia. B



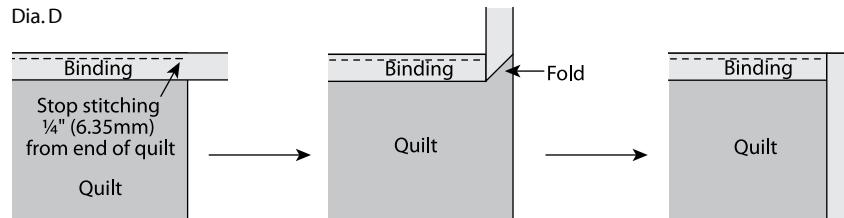
Finishing

5. Sew the backing pieces together as shown (Dia. C) to make a backing $60\frac{1}{2}" \times 68\frac{1}{2}"$.
6. Lay the pieced backing wrong side up; securing edges tautly, but do not stretch. Center the batting on backing and quilt top, right side up. Smooth the layers. Starting at the center, baste the layers together with long stitches, small safety pins, or temporary basting spray. Quilt as desired. Trim the batting and backing even with the edges of the quilt top.
7. Sew short ends of binding strips together in a continuous length; press seams open. Press one short end $\frac{1}{4}"$ to the wrong side. Press binding in half lengthwise with wrong sides together. Sew binding to the front of the quilt, mitering each corner (Dia. D). Fold binding to the back of the quilt and hand stitch in place.

Dia. C



Dia. D



Finished Care Instructions

Machine wash cool, tumble dry low.