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Halloween Mini Quilt

Finished Size: 18 ½" x 18 ½" (46.99cm x 46.99cm)



Happy Halloween!

Make this quick fusible appliqué mini quilt with your favorite fat quarters! Display as a table topper, wall hanging, or sew into a pillow.

Supplies Needed

- 7 18" x 21" (45.72cm x 53.34cm) Fat Quarters
 - 3 Light for backgrounds
 - 3 Dark for witch hats
 - 2 Orange for pumpkins
- Coordinating thread for appliqués
- White thread for piecing
- 24" (60.96cm) Lightweight fusible web
- 20" x 20" (50.8cm x 50.8cm) Low-loft batting
- 20" x 20" (50.8cm x 50.8cm) Backing fabric

Before you begin

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Please read all instructions before starting. Press fabrics with dry iron. Use a ¼" (6.35mm) seam allowance unless otherwise noted. Follow manufacturer's instructions for fusible web.

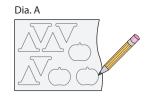
Cutting

- (3) Light prints Cut a total of (9) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (16.51cm x 16.51cm) for background squares
- (3) Dark prints Cut a total of (9) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (16.51cm x 16.51cm) for witch hat appliqués
- (2) Orange prints Cut a total of (3) 6" x 6" (15.24cm x 15.24cm) for pumpkin appliqués
 - Cut a total of (4) 2 1/4" x 21" (5.72cm x 53.34cm) from one print for binding

Assembly

Appliqués:

1. Trace 6 hats and 3 pumpkins on paper side of fusible web (Diagram A).



- 2. Cut out approximately 1/4" (6.35mm) around the traced line (Diagram B).
- 3. Place hats on the **wrong** side of dark 6" x 6" (15.24cm x 15.24cm) squares and pumpkins on the **wrong** side of orange 6" x 6" (15.24cm x 15.24cm) squares. **Note:** Check motif placement and direction of prints. Fuse to **wrong** side of fabrics (Diagram C).
- 4. Cut out hats and pumpkins on the drawn lines. Remove paper backing (Diagram D).
- 5. Center on background squares, away from the $\frac{1}{4}$ " (6.35mm) seam allowance, and fuse in place (Diagram E).
- 6. Using blanket stitch, zigzag or other decorative stitch, appliqué in place. **Note:** Use coordinating thread to match or contrasting thread for accent (Diagram F).

Dia. B









Sewing:

- 7. Arrange squares, pin right sides together and sew together in rows. Press seams in directions of arrows so they nest together (Diagram G). Each row should measure 6 ½" x 18 ½" (16.51cm x 46.99cm).
- 8. Sew rows together matching seam intersections. Press seams open or in one direction. Finished size should be 18 ½" x 18 ½" (46.99cm x 46.99cm).

Quilting:

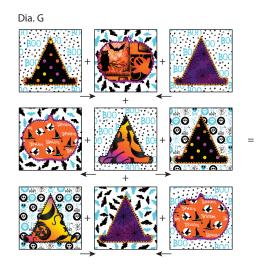
- Layer quilt backing (wrong side up), batting, and the quilt top (right side up) and baste together with pins or basting spray (Diagram H).
- 10. Stitch in the ditch between the background pieces and around each appliqué shape. Add free motion stippling or quilt as desired (Diagram I).
- 11. Square up and trim extra batting and batting (Diagram J).

Finishing:

- 12. Join the binding strips, fold in half **wrong** sides together and press. Fold in ½" (1.27cm) at the starting edge (Diagram K).
- 13. Starting at bottom edge of the quilt, match the cut edges and pin to quilt front.
- 14. Sew binding on front, join ends or tuck inside to finish ends. Fold binding to back and hand stitch in place.

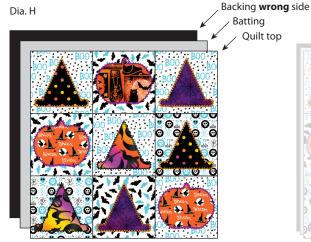
Finished Care Instructions:

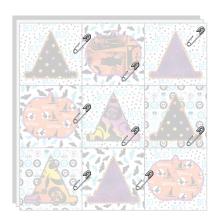
Cold water, mild detergent and gentle wash with a dye-grabber or color catcher cloth in the wash. Dry flat or cool air in dryer.





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Dia. K

