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Finished quilt measures: 56" x 68"

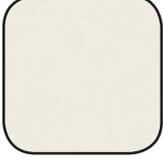
Difficulty Rating: **Beginner**

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Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	AWHD-18018-202 AMERICANA	2/3 yard (one panel)		D	AWHD-18020-202 AMERICANA	1-1/8 yards
	B	ETJ-9864-59 OCEAN	1 yard		E	AWHD-18019-202 AMERICANA	1/2 yard
	C	ETJ-9864-87 SNOW	1-5/8 yards		Binding*	AWHD-18020-202 AMERICANA <i>*Also used for Fabric D</i>	5/8 yard

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You will also need:
3-5/8 yards for backing

Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

Cutting Instructions

From Fabric A, fussy cut:

one 22-1/2" x 34-1/2" center panel

From Fabric B, cut:

four 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

two 1-1/2" x 34-1/2" side panel borders

two 1-1/2" x 24-1/2" top/bottom panel borders

six 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then trim:

two 4-1/2" x 60-1/2" side outer borders

two 4-1/2" x 56-1/2" top/bottom outer borders

From Fabric C, cut:

fifteen 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

fifty-six 3-1/2" squares

fifty-six 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles for the flying geese

From Fabric D, cut:

seven 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighty-eight 3-1/2" squares

two 6-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

fourteen 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles for the block centers

Trim the remainder of the second strip to 3-1/2" x WOF and subcut:

ten 3-1/2" squares (for a total of ninety-eight)

From Fabric E, cut:

four 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twenty-eight 3-1/2" squares for the flying geese

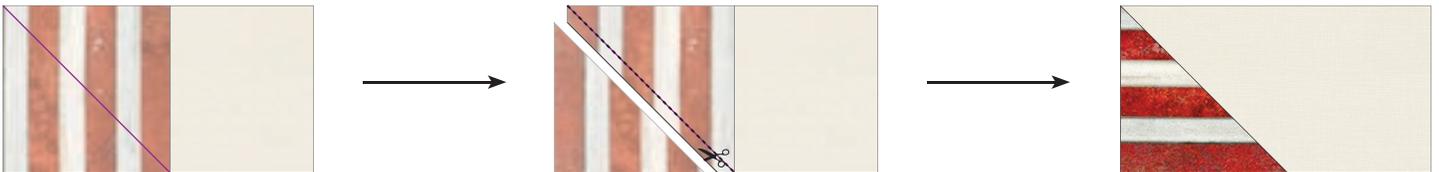
fourteen 3-1/2" squares for the block centers

From the Binding Fabric, cut:

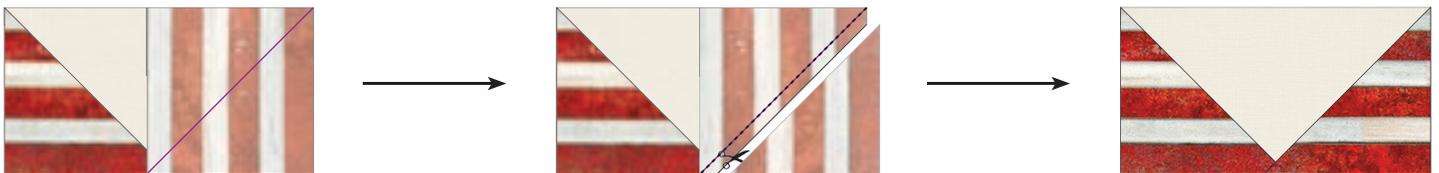
seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

Assemble the Blocks

Step 1: Place a 3-1/2" Fabric D square RST at one end of a Fabric C rectangle. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of the square, as shown. Sew on the marked line and trim away the excess fabric, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press toward the triangle.

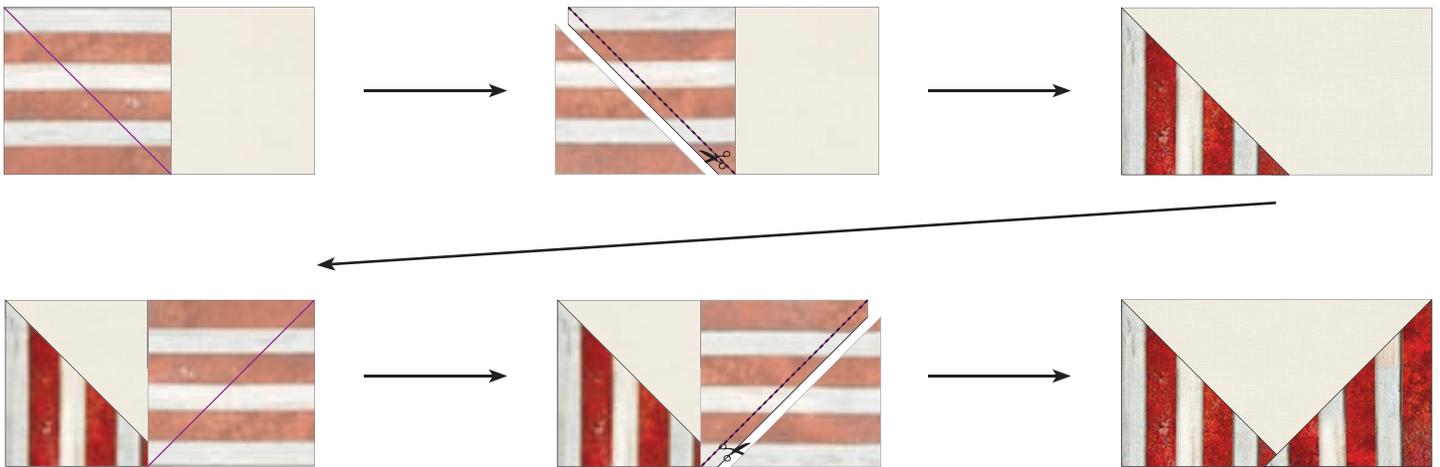


Step 2: Repeat Step 1 at the remaining end of the rectangle, noting the orientation of the stripes when placed RST with the rectangle. The resulting flying geese block should measure 3-1/2" x 6-1/2".

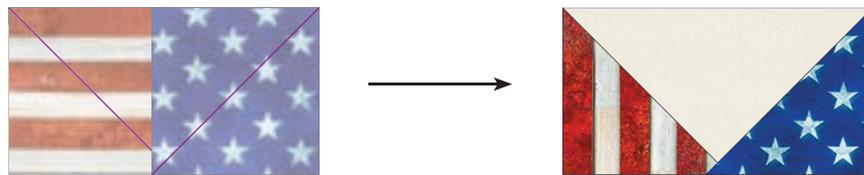


Step 3: Repeat with thirteen remaining Fabric C rectangles to make a total of fourteen flying geese like this.

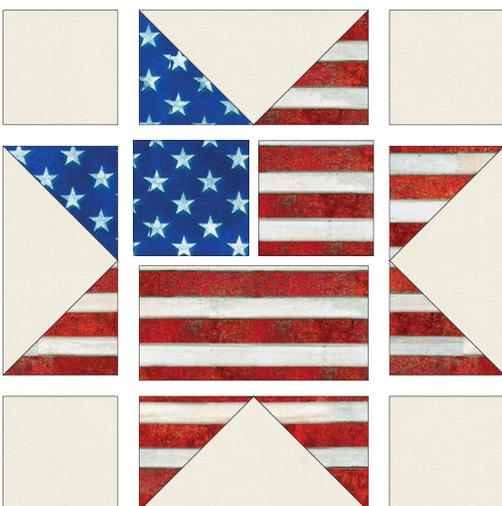
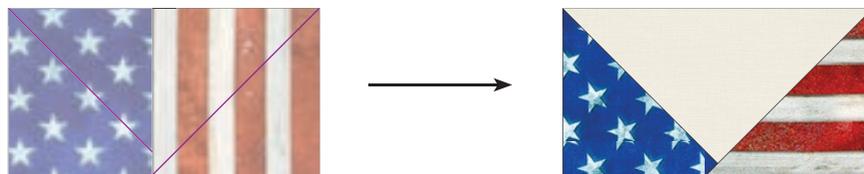
Step 4: Repeat the process shown in Step 1, but place the Fabric D squares as shown. This will create a flying geese unit with stripes going a different direction (vertical) than the previous flying geese units. Repeat to make fourteen flying geese like this.



Step 5: Repeat the process shown in Step 1, but place a Fabric D square and Fabric E square as shown. This will create a flying geese unit with vertical stripes on the left and stars on the right. Repeat to make fourteen flying geese like this.



Step 6: Repeat the process shown in Step 1, but place a Fabric D square and Fabric E square as shown. This will create a flying geese unit with horizontal stripes on the right and stars on the left. Repeat to make fourteen flying geese like this.



Step 7: Gather:
 one 3-1/2" Fabric E square
 one 3-1/2" Fabric D square
 one Fabric D rectangle
 four 3-1/2" Fabric A squares
 one of each style of flying geese unit

Step 8: Arrange as shown. Sew the Fabric D square to the right edge of the E square, keeping the stripes horizontal, and press. Sew the Fabric D rectangle to the bottom edge of the unit and press.

Step 9: Arrange in three rows of three, as shown. Sew together to form rows, pressing the seams away from the flying geese. Sew the rows together, nesting the seams. Press.

Repeat Steps 7-9 to make fourteen 12-1/2" square Blocks.

Assemble the Quilt



Step 10: Sew the 1-1/2" Fabric B side panel borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the 1-1/2" Fabric B top and bottom panel borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

Step 11: Gather three star blocks and sew together to form a column, noting the orientation in the diagram. Press. Repeat to make a second column. Sew to the left and right edges of the quilt center. Press.

Step 12: Gather four star blocks and sew together to form a row, noting the orientation in the diagram. Press. Repeat to make a second row. Sew to the top and bottom edges of the quilt center. Press.

Step 13: Sew the Fabric B side outer borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the Fabric B top and bottom outer borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

Your quilt top is complete. Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!

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