GARDENING SNOWMEN

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Quilt 2

Skill Level: Intermediate





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Finished Quilt Size: 57" x 69" (144.78 cm x 175.26 cm)

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Fabrics in the Collection



Gardening Snowmen Allover Light Blue - 3100-17

Snowflakes

Blue - 3103-77

Mini Rosemary Basic



Mini Snowflakes Toss



Light Blue - 3104-70



Tossed Herbs and Plaid Yellow/Tan - 3107-33



Gardening Novelty Light Blue - 3101-17



Rosemary Basic Blue - 3105-77



Tossed Tools Light Blue - 3108-17



Seed Packets Light Blue - 3102-17



Mini Rosemary Basic Green - 3106-66



Border Stripe Blue - 3109-77



Blocks Blue - 3110-77



Panel Gardening Snowmen Blue - 3111P-77

Select Fabric from **Folio Basics**



Silver 7755-09

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Materials

² / ₃ yard (0.61 m)	Blocks - Blue (A)	3110-77
½ yard (0.46 m)	Folio Basics - Silver (B)	7755-09
¹ / ₃ yard (0.31 m)	Mini Rosemary Basic - Red (C)	3106-88
¹ / ₃ yard (0.31 m)	Rosemary Basic - Blue (D)	3105-77
¹ / ₄ yard (0.23 m)	Gardening Novelty - Light Bl	ue (E)
		3101-17
½ yard (0.46 m)	Tossed Herbs and Plaid - Yell	ow/Tan (F)
		3107-33
3/4 yard (0.69 m)	Mini Snowflakes Toss - Light	Blue (G)
		3104-70
% yard (0.81 m)	Mini Rosemary Basic - Green	(H)
		3106-66*
2 1/8 yards (1.95 m) Border Stripe - Blue (I)	3109-77
3 ³ / ₄ yards (3.43 m) Tossed Tools - Light Blue (Backing)		
	-	3108-17

^{*}Includes binding

Cutting Instructions

Please note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

From the Blocks - Blue (A):

•Fussy cut (6) 11" squares, each centered on a block.

From the Folio Basics - Silver (B), cut:

- (4) 1 3/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 1 3/4" x 11" strips.
- (4) 1 ³/₄" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 1 ³/₄" x 13 ¹/₂" strips.

From the Mini Rosemary Basic - Red (C), cut:

• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

From the Rosemary Basic - Blue (D), cut:

• (2) 3 \%" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 3 \%" squares.

From the Gardening Novelty - Light Blue (E), cut:

• (1) 6 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (6) 6 ½" squares.

From the Tossed Herbs and Plaid - Yellow/Tan (F), cut:

• (4) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (48) 3 ½" squares.

From the Mini Snowflakes Toss - Light Blue (G), cut:

- (2) 3 1/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 3 1/8" squares.
- (4) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 3 ½" x 6 ½" strips.

From the Mini Rosemary Basic - Green (H), cut:

- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 48 ½" strips.
- (2) 2" x 39 ½" WOF strips.
- (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

From the Border Stripe - Blue (I), cut:

- (2) 9 ½" x 73" length of fabric (LOF) strips.
- (2) 9 ½" x 61" LOF strips.

From the Tossed Tools - Light Blue (Backing), cut:

• (2) 65" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 65" x 77" back.

Block Assembly

Note: The arrows in figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components. Use a ¼" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

1. Sew (1) 1 ³/₄" x 11" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 11" Fabric A square. Sew (1) 1 ³/₄" x 13 ¹/₂" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Fig. 1). **Trim the unit to measure** 12 ¹/₂" x 12 ¹/₂". Repeat to make (6) Block One squares total.

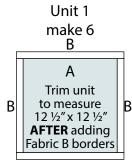
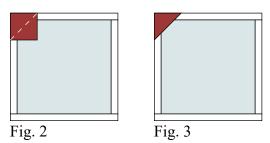
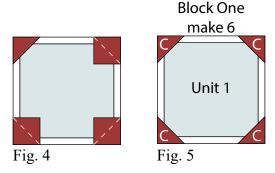


Fig. 1 B

2. Place (1) 3 ½" Fabric C square on the top left corner of (1) Unit 1 square, right sides together (Fig. 2). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 2). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle ¼" away from the sewn seam (Fig. 3).

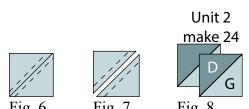


- 3. Follow Figure 4 for the seam direction to add a 3 ½" Fabric C square to each of the remaining corners of the Unit 1 square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 5).
- 4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to make (6) Block One squares total.

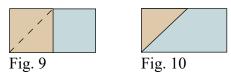


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5. Place (1) 3 %" Fabric G square on top of (1) 3 %" Fabric D square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Fig. 6). Sew 1/4" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 6). Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 7) to make (2) halfsquare triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure 3 ½" square to make (2) Unit 2 squares (Fig. 8). Repeat to make (24) Unit 2 squares total.

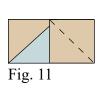


6. Place (1) 3 ½" Fabric F square on the left side of (1) 3 ½" x 6 ½" Fabric G strip, right sides together (Fig. 9). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 9). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¹/₄" seam allowance (Fig. 10).



7.Place another 3 ½" Fabric F square on the right side of the 3 ½" x 6 ½" Fabric G strip, right sides together (Fig. 11). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 11). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance to make (1) Unit 3 strip (Fig. 12).

8. Repeat Steps 6-7 to make (24) Unit 3 strips total.

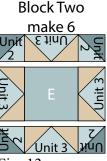


Unit 3 make 24 G Fig. 12

9. Sew (1) Unit 2 square to each end of (1) Unit 3 strip to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 3 strip to each side of (1) 6 ½" Fabric E square to make the middle row. Sew together the (3) rows lengthwise to make (1) 12 ½" Block Two square

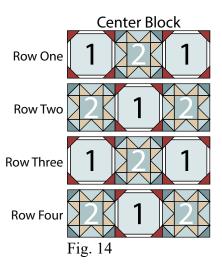
(Fig. 13). Repeat to make (6) Block

Two squares total.



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- 10. Sew (1) Block One square to each side of (1) Block Two square to make Row One (Fig. 14). Repeat to make Row Three.
- 11. Sew the (1) Block Two square to each side of (1) Block One square to make Row Two (Fig. 14). Repeat to make Row Four.
- 12. Sew together the (4) Rows from Steps 10-11, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the 36 ½" x 48 ½" Center Block (Fig. 14).



Ouilt Top Assembly

(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.) 13. Sew (1) 2" x 48 ½" Fabric H strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 39 ½" Fabric H strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

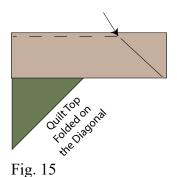
14. Center (1) 9 ½" x 73" Fabric I strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a 1/4" from the top edge of the block and stop a 1/4" from the bottom edge. DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS. Repeat with the opposite side.

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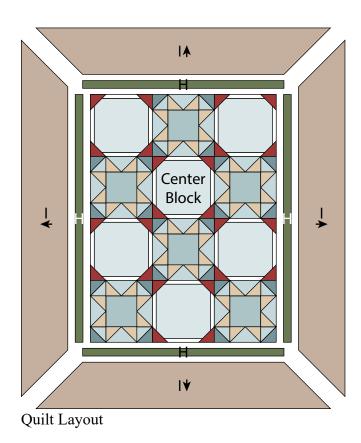
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15. Repeat Step 14 to sew (1) 9 ½" x 61" Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start ¼" away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Center Block on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Fig. 15).

16. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 15), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a ½" seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.



- 17. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 18. Sew the (7) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric H strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
- 19. Bind as desired.



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