

Ric Rac Rabbits

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Quilt finishes 62" x 68"
 Center Block: 14" x 20"
 Ric Rac Blocks: 3" x 3"
 Diamond Blocks: 6" x 6"

Fabric Requirements

		Yardage	Blue	Charcoal
Fabric A	Bunny Panel	2¼ yards	5758-B	5758-C
Fabric B*	Hearts	1¾ yards	5764-B	5764-C
Fabric C	Rick Rack	1¼ yards	5755-B	5755-C
Fabric D	Wreaths	1¼ yards	5760-B	5760-C
Fabric E	Stars	1⅓ yards	5763-B	5763-C
Fabric F	Bunny Suits	½ yard	5762-B	5762-CR
Fabric G	Bunny Dresses	¼ yard	5759-B	5759-C
Fabric H	Tossed Bunnies	1¼ yards	5761-B	5761-C
*Additional fabric required for backing				
Fabric B	Backing	4 yards	5764-B	5764-C

Cutting Directions

Note: Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus ¼" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric A Fussy cut (1) 10½" x 16½" centered on a bunny panel.
 Fussy cut (4) 8½" x 38" strips centered on the bunny border stripe.

Fabric B* Cut (2) 2½" x 16½" strips.
 Cut (2) 2½" x 14½" strips.
 Cut (448) 2" squares.
 Cut (4) 3⅞" squares.

Fabric C Cut (224) 2" high x 3½" wide strips with the stripe running vertical.

Fabric D Fussy cut (12) 6½" squares centered on a wreath.
 Fussy cut (2) 6½" x 12½" strips centered on a wreath.

Fabric E Cut (4) 3⅞" squares.
 Cut (56) 3½" squares.
 Cut (7) 2½" x 42" strips for the binding.

Fabric F Cut (8) 6½" squares.

Fabric G Cut (6) 6½" squares.

Fabric H Cut (2) 4½" x 62½" strips, cut crosswise and pieced.
 Cut (2) 4½" x 60½" strips, cut crosswise and pieced.

*Backing Cut (2) 70" x 42" strips. Piece the strips together and trim to make one 70" x 76" piece for the backing.

Center Block & Frame

1. Sew one 2½" x 16½" Fabric B strip to each side of the 10½" x 16½" Fabric A panel. Sew one 2½" x 14½" Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the Fabric A panel to make one 14½" x 20½" center block (fig. 1).
2. Center one 8½" x 38" Fabric A strip on one side of the quilt top. Start sewing the strip a ¼" from the top edge of the quilt top and stop a ¼" from the bottom edge. DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS.
3. Repeat with the remaining three 8½" x 38" Fabric A strips and remaining three sides, making sure to stop and start ¼" away from each end of the quilt top.
4. To miter each corner, fold the quilt top on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (fig. 2). Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in fig. 2) draw a 45° line out to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a ¼" seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to complete the 30½" x 36½" quilt top center (fig. 3).

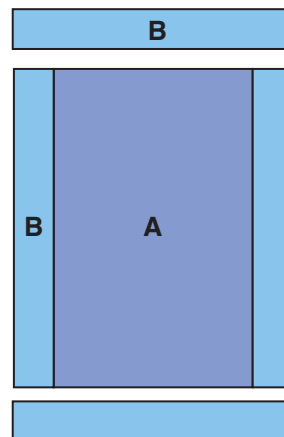


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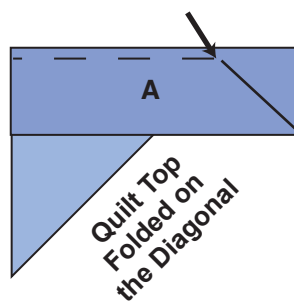


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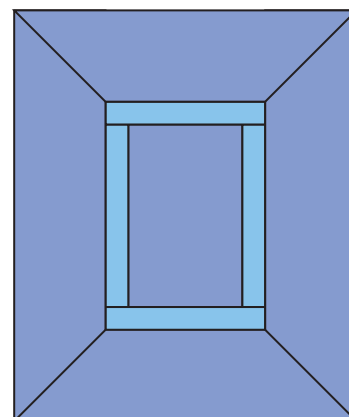


FIG. 3

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Ric Rac Blocks

5. Place one 2" Fabric B square on the left side of one 2" x 3½" Fabric C strip, right sides together (Fig. 4). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (fig. 4). Flip open the triangle formed and press (fig. 5). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle leaving a ¼" seam allowance.
6. Place another 2" Fabric B square on the right side of the 2" x 3½" Fabric C strip, right sides together (fig. 6). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (fig. 6). Flip open the triangle formed and press (fig. 7). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make one left unit.
7. Repeat Steps 5 and 6 to make (112) left units.
8. Place one 2" Fabric B square on the left side of one 2" x 3½" Fabric C strip, right sides together (fig. 8). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (fig. 8). Flip open the triangle formed and press (fig. 9). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle leaving a ¼" seam allowance.
9. Place another 2" Fabric B square on the right side of the 2" x 3½" Fabric C strip, right sides together (fig. 10). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (fig. 10). Flip open the triangle formed and press (fig. 11). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make one right unit.
10. Repeat Steps 8 and 9 to make (112) right units.
11. Sew together one right unit and one left unit to make (112) 3½" ric rac blocks (fig. 12).
12. Place one 3⅞" Fabric B square on top of one 3⅞" Fabric E square, right side together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (fig. 13). Sew ¼" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (fig. 13). Cut the two squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (fig. 14) to make two 3½" half-square triangles (fig. 15). Repeat to make eight B/E half-square triangle blocks.



Fig. 4

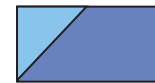


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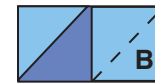


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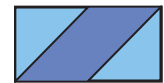


Fig. 7

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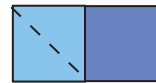


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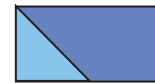


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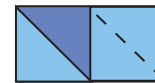


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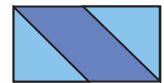


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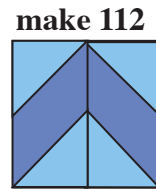


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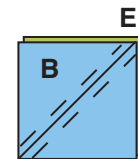


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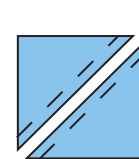


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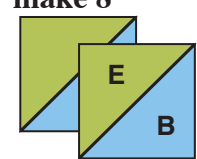


Fig. 15

Diamond Blocks

13. To make Fabric F Diamond Blocks, place one 3½" Fabric E square on the top left corner of one 6½" Fabric F square, right sides together (fig. 16). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (fig. 16). Flip open the triangle formed and press (fig. 17). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle ¼" away from the sewn seam.
14. Follow Figure 18 for the seam direction to add a 3½" Fabric E square to each of the remaining corners of the 6½" Fabric F square to make one Fabric F diamond block (fig. 19).
15. Repeat Steps 13 and 14 to make eight 6½" Fabric F diamond blocks total.
16. Repeat Steps 13 and 14 using the remaining 3½" Fabric E squares and six 6½" Fabric G squares to make six Fabric G diamond blocks (fig. 20).

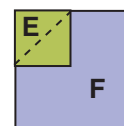


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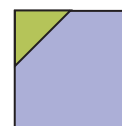


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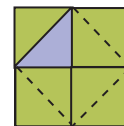


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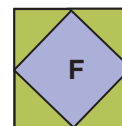


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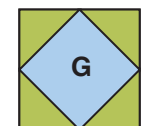


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Quilt Top

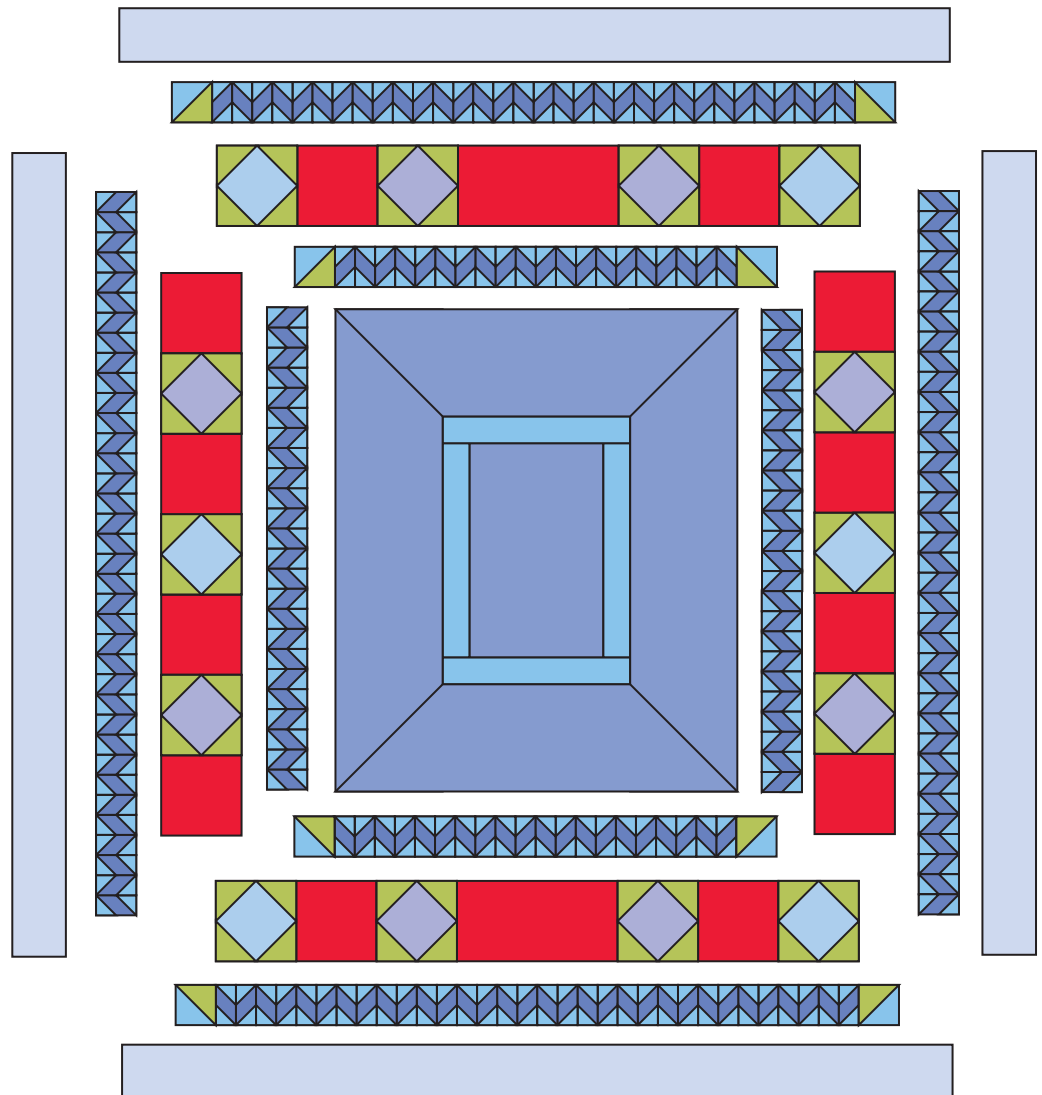
Refer to the quilt top layout while assembling the borders and sewing them to the 30½" x 36½" quilt top center from Step 4.

18. Sew together twelve ric rac blocks to make one side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew the borders to the side of the quilt top center.
19. Sew together ten ric rac blocks and two B/E half-square triangle blocks to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the borders to the quilt top. It should measure 36½" x 42½".
20. Sew together four 6-1/2" Fabric D squares, two Fabric F diamond blocks and one Fabric G diamond block to make one side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew the borders to the quilt top.
21. Sew together two 6½" Fabric D squares, one 6½" x 12½" Fabric D strip, two Fabric F diamond blocks and two Fabric G diamond blocks to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the border to the quilt top. It should measure 48½" x 54½".
22. Sew together eighteen ric rac blocks to make one side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew the borders to the side of the quilt top center.

23. Sew together sixteen ric rac blocks and two B/E half-square triangle blocks to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the borders to the quilt top. It should measure 54½" x 60½".
24. Sew one 4½" x 60½" Fabric H strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew one Fabric H strip to the top and bottom to complete the 62½" x 68½" quilt top.

Finishing the Quilt

17. Layer and quilt as desired. Sew the seven 2½" x 42" Fabric E strips together end-to-end with a 45° seams to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press. Bind as desired.



Quilt Assembly Diagram

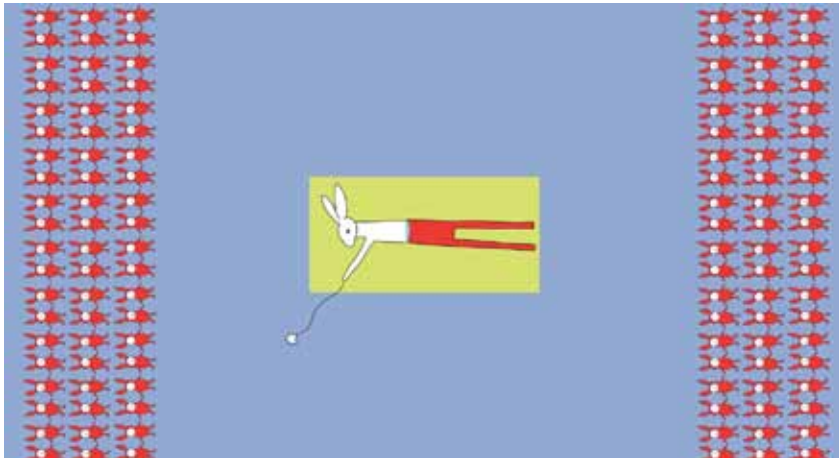
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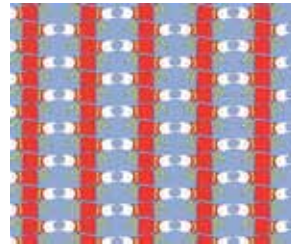
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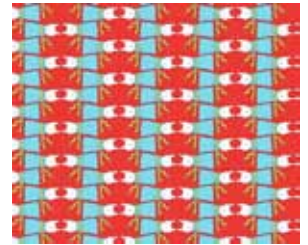
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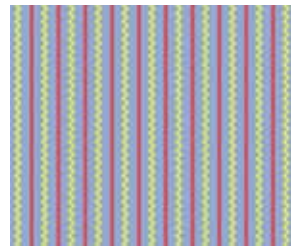
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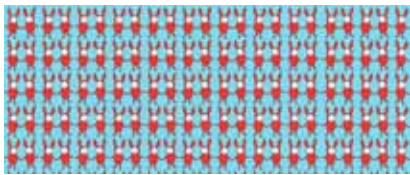
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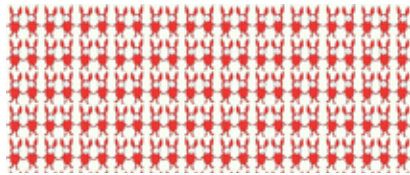
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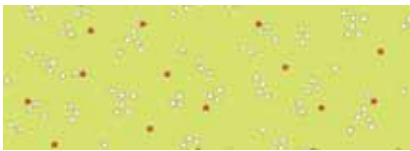
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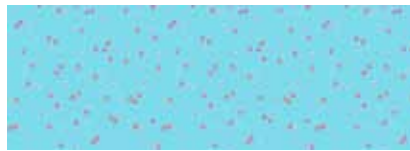
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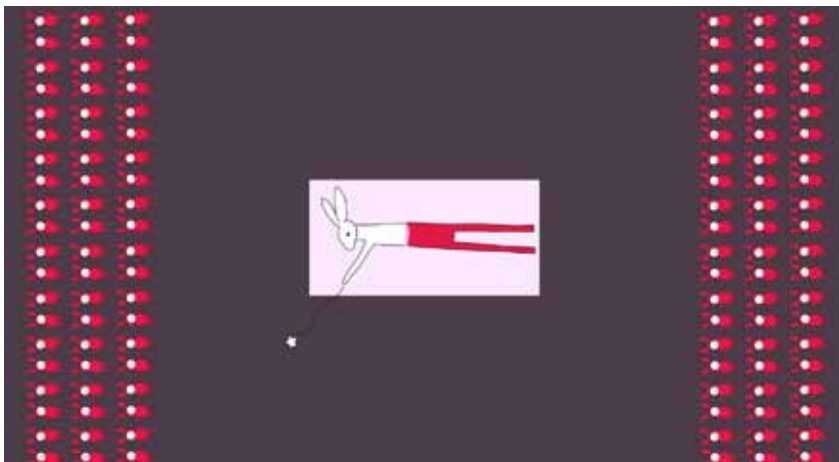
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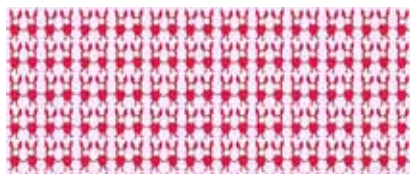
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5762-C



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5763-C



5764-C



5760-C

*Indicates fabric used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 10% of actual size.

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