The Very Hungry Caterpillar

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Yummy Fruit Quilt

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle, LLC Quilt designed by Vanilla Latte Quilts 6

Quilt finishes 36" x 48"

The caterpillar that eats its way to becoming a butterfly is at the heart of Eric Carle's beloved book, as well as this charming group of fabric prints. Simple piecing frames the central panel. Choose a novelty print for the middle, or piece large-scaled motifs for the focal point.

Fabric Requirements

		Yardage	Fabric			
Fabric A	setting	1½ yards	3472-M			
Fabric B	pieced strips	¹∕s yard	3474-M			
Fabric C	binding	¹∕₂ yard	3476-Y			
*Fabric D	setting	*3⁄4 yard	*7233-X			
Fabric E	setting	1⁄4 yard	7237-XR			
Four ¹ / ₈ yd. Prints						
	pieced strips	¹∕s yard ea.	3476-G, 3476-P, 3477-B, 3477-R			
Two ¼ yd. Prints						
	setting	¹∕s yard ea.	3475-G, 3475-Y			
Two ¼ yd. Prints						
	setting	1⁄4 yard	7237-XB, 7237-XG			
Backing		1½ yards	5281-M			
*Fabric D: If using the large-scale print 3471-M, you need						
1 panel (¾ yard). The panel takes the place of 7233-X.						

Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include ¹/₄" seam allowances. Strips are cut the exact lengths required plus ¹/₄" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

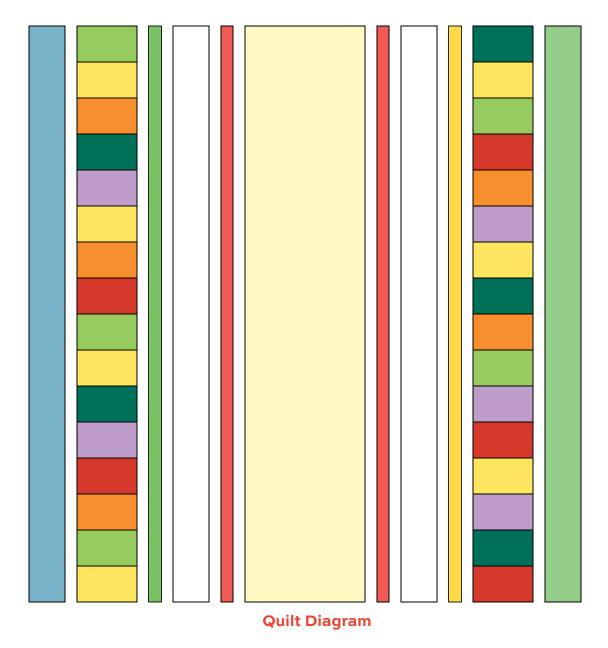
Fabric A	Fussy-cut (2) strips 3 ¹ / ₂ " x 48 ¹ / ₂ "
Fabric B	Cut (7) rectangles 3 ¹ / ₂ " x 5 ¹ / ₂ "
Fabric C	Cut (5) strips 2½″ x WOF for binding Cut (5) rectangles 3½″ x 5½″
Fabric D	Cut (1) rectangle 10" x 48½" *OR Cut (1) panel (3471-M) as follows: Cut butterfly 10" x 20" Cut leaf 10" x 12" Cut caterpillar 10" x 12½" Cut (2) rectangles 1½" x 10" from surrounding dot fabric Cut (2) rectangles 2" x 10" from surrounding dot fabric
Fabric E	Cut (3) strips $1^{l}\!/\!''x$ WOF, pieced to make (2) strips $1^{l}\!/\!''x48^{l}\!/\!''$ each
Four ½ yds	 From each: Cut (5) rectangles 3¹/₂" x 5¹/₂"
Two ½ yds	From each: Cut (2) strips 2" x WOF, pieced to make (1) strip 2" x 48 ¹ / ₂ "
Two ¼ yds	From each: Cut (2) strips 3 ¹ / ₄ " x WOF, pieced to make (1) strip 3 ¹ / ₄ " x 48 ¹ / ₂ "
Backing	Cut (1) panel 42" x 54"

Making the Quilt

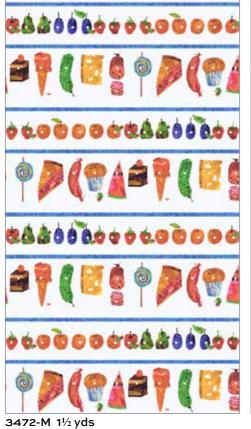
- 1. Refer to the Quilt Diagram for all the steps. Join 16 rectangles 3½" x 5½" along the long edges to make a vertical pieced strip, following the diagram for color placement or as you wish. Repeat to make a second pieced strip. Set aside.
- 2. Cut the Fabric D rectangle, or if you are using the Fabric 3471-M panel, sew the 2" x 10" dotted fabric strips to short sides of the butterfly print. Sew the leaf to one end and the caterpillar to the other end. Sew 1½" x 10" dotted fabric strips to the ends to make the center pieced panel.
- Sew fabric strips to opposite sides of the center panel in this order: Fabric E strips, Fabric A strips, 2" x 48¹/₂" strips, pieced strips from Step 1, and finally, the 3¹/₄" x 48¹/₂" strips.

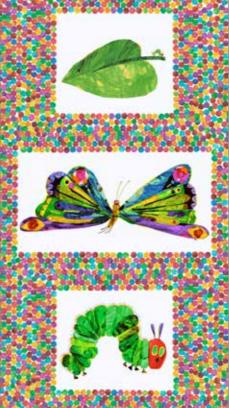
Finishing the Quilt

4. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around strips and patches. Quilt around the printed motifs as desired. Bind to finish the quilt.





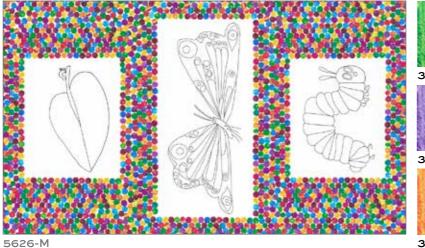


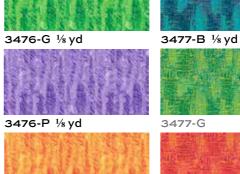


*Second version: 3471-M 1 panel (⅔ yd) in place of 7233-X



5280-M





3476-Y ½ yd (includes binding)







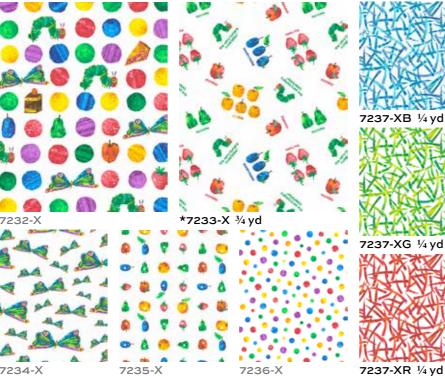
3477-R 1/8 yd

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FABRIC	10 KITS	20 KITS	30 KITS			
3472-M	1	2	3			
*7233-X	1	1	2			
*3471-M	1	1	2			
* in place of 7233-X in second version						
FROM EA	CH 1	1	1			
3474-M	3475-G	3475-Y	3476-G			
3476-P	3476-Y	3477-B	3477-R			
7237-XB	7237-XG	7237-XR				
BACKING						

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*5281-M 2 1 з Yards needed for backing: 11/2 YDS per kit

Bolts needed to cut project kits.

15 yds = 1 bolt

Fabrics shown are 10% of actual size.

Fabrics used in quilt pattern are shown in black.



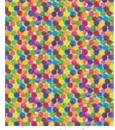
5281-M 11/2 yds (backing)



5282-M

5283-M

3473-G Also available in flannel: F3473-G



3474-M 1/8 yd Also available in flannel: F3474-M



3475-Y 1/8 yd

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