

Underwater Friends Quilt

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: Underwater Friends by Kim Schaefer

Quilt designed by Kim Schaefer

Quilt finishes 42" x 62"

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| Fabric | Kea | uiren | nents |

| | | Yardage | Blue | Multicolor | |
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| Fabric A | center | ⅔ yard | 5821-B | 5821-M | |
| Fabric B | outer border | 15⁄8 yards | 5822-B | 5822-M | |
| **Fabric C | border corners | fat 1/8 yard | 5822-BL | 5822-ML | |
| Fabric D | pieced border | ⅓ yard | 5823-B | 5823-M | |
| Fabric E | border corners | fat ¼ yard | 3135-G4 | 3135-O4 | |
| *Fabric F | inner border | ³⁄₄ yard | 3135-P4 | 3135-Y6 | |
| Fat 1/8's | pieced border fat 1/8 yard each | | | | |
| Blue: | 5824-B 582 | 24-BP 582 | 26-B 582 | 26-BG | |
| | 5826-BP 582 | 26-BT 313 | 35-B3 313 | 35-T3 | |
| Multicolor: | 5824-M 582 | 24-ME 582 | 26-M 582 | 26-MG | |
| | 3135-E1 313 | 35-T4 | | | |
| *includes binding | | | | | |
| **Backing | backing | 3 yards | 5822-BL | 5822-ML | |

Cutting Directions

Note: All measurements are cut sizes and include ½" seam allowances. A fat ½ is a 9" x 20"-22" cut of fabric. A fat ¼ is an 18" x 20"-22" cut. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric A Fussy-cut (1) panel 22½" x 42½"
 Fabric B Cut (2) borders 5½" x 52½", cut lengthwise Cut (2) borders 5½" x 32½", cut lengthwise
 Fabric C Cut (4) squares 4½" x 4½"
 Fabric D Cut (16) rectangles 2½" x 4½"
 Fabric E Cut (4) squares 5½" x 5½"

Fabric F Cut (2) borders 1½" x 50½", cut crosswise and pieced Cut (2) borders 1½" x 32½", cut crosswise and pieced Cut (6) strips 2½" x WOF for binding

Fat 1/8's Cut a total of 48 rectangles 21/2" x 41/2" (cut some from Fabric E)

Backing Cut (2) panels 35" x 50", pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

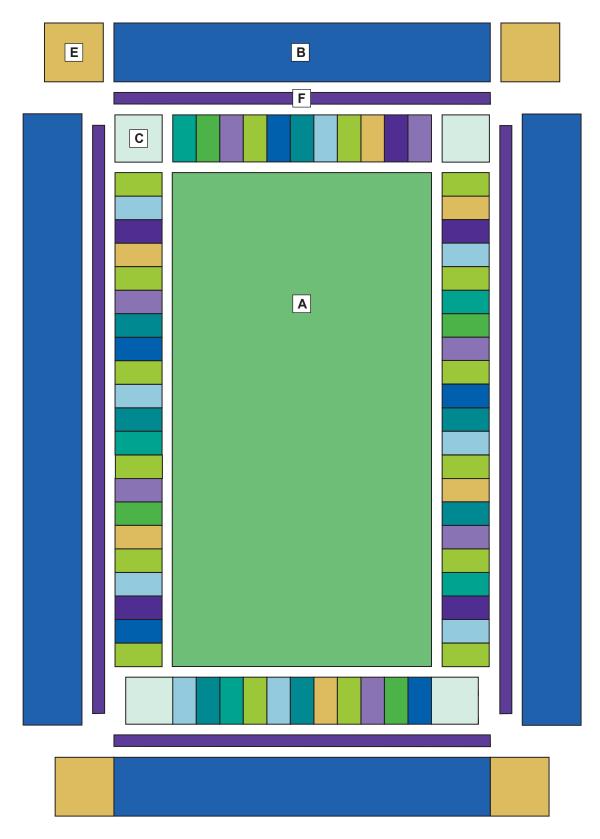
Bright, happy creatures reside under the sea, just waiting to please your favorite sailor. Let the whimsical prints, including a squiggly stripe and textured tone-on-tone fabrics, provide the fun. The center panel will look appliquéd when the motifs are quilted.

Making and Assembling the Quilt

- 1. Fussy-cut the Fabric A panel to include an equal amount of "border" on all sides. Cut rectangles from the 3 different parts of the Fabric D print to obtain different colorways. Cut as many rectangles from each fat 1/8 fabric as you desire, or refer to the quilt photo for guidance. Include some rectangles from Fabric E. Cut a total of 48 rectangles (in addition to the 16 rectangles cut from Fabric D).
- 2. Join 21 rectangles edge to edge to make a long border. Sew to the side of the center panel. Repeat for the opposite side. Join 11 rectangles to make a short border. Sew a Fabric C square to each end of the short border. Sew to the top of the panel. Repeat for the bottom.
- **3.** Sew the long Fabric F borders to the sides. Sew the short Fabric F borders to the top and bottom.
- **4.** Sew the long Fabric B borders to the sides. Sew a Fabric E square to each end of short borders. Sew to the top and bottom.

Finishing the Quilt

5. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and pieced border patches. Quilt around the printed motifs in the center panel and outer border. Bind to finish the quilt.



Quilt Diagram

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