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Quilt 1


Skill Level: Advanced Beginner
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## NORDIC FOREST ${ }_{\text {(Quilt } 1}$

## Fabrics in the Nordic Forest Collection



24" Panel - Red


Gnomes - Slate 9577-79


Patch - Blue
9572-70


Sleeping Fox - White
9574-01


Snowflake on Plaid - Blue 9578-75


Decorative Animals Dark Blue - 9573-77


Tossed Animals - Light Blue
9575-70


Snowflake on Plaid - Red 9578-88


Decorative Animals Slate - 9573-79


Stripe - Red
9576-88


Polar Bear Stripe - Slate 9579-79

Select Fabrics from the Starlet and Urban Legend Collections



Urban Legend - White 7101-01

## Materials

$1 / 3$ yard Tossed Animals - Light Blue (A) 9575-70
$13 / 4$ yards Snowflake on Plaid - Red (B) 9578-88*
$23 / 4$ yards Stripe - Red (C) 9576-88
$1 / 2$ yard Decorative Animals - Dark Blue (D) 9573-77
1 panel 24 inch Panel-Red (E) 9571P-88
$7 / 8$ yard $\quad$ 7rban Legend - White (F) 01
$1 / 2$ yard $\quad$ Snowflake on Plaid - Blue (G) 9578-75
$21 / 2$ yards Polar Bear Stripe - Slate (H) 9579-79
$1 / 2$ yard Gnomes - Slate (I)
9577-79
5 yards Patch - Blue (Backing)
9572-70
*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 Tossed Animals - Light Blue (A), cut:

-(1) $71 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) $71 / 2 " \times 111 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Snowflake on Plaid - Red (B), cut:
-(4) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) $21 / 2 " \times 17 "$ strips.

- (4) $2 "$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) $2 "$ x $153 / 4 "$ strips.
-(5) $1 \frac{1}{4} "$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) $11 / 4 "$ x $21 "$ strips.
- (5) $1 \frac{1}{4} "$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) $1 \frac{1}{4}$ " x $18 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
- (4) $1 " x$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 1" x $11 \frac{1}{2} "$ strips.
- (3) $1 " x$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 1 "x $81 / 2 "$ strips.
- (8) $21 / 2 " x$ WOF strips for the binding.


## From the Stripe - Red (C), fussy cut:

-(8) $43 / 4 " x 25 "$ Length of Fabric (LOF) strips, each centerec on a Red strip.
-(8) $43 / 4 " \times 21 "$ LOF strips, each centered on a Red Strip.

- (2) $43 / 4 " \times 25 "$ LOF strip, each centered on a White Strip.
- (2) $43 / 4 " \times 21 "$ LOF strip, each centered on a White Strip.

From the Decorative Animals - Dark Blue (D), cut:

- (1) $11 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 71 / 2 "$ LOF strip.

From the 24" Panel - Red (E), fussy cut:

- (4) $113 / 4$ " $\times 17$ " small panels.


## From the Urban Legend - White (F), cut:

- (5) $21 / 2 "$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut (72) $21 / 2 "$ squares.
-(4) $11 / 2 " x$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $11 / 2 " \times 66^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.
-(3) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $11 / 2 " \times 561 / 2 "$ strips.


## From the Snowflake on Plaid - Blue (G), cut:

-(5) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (72) $21 / 2 "$ squares.
From the Polar Bear Stripe - Slate (H), fussy cut:

- (2) 6 " $\times 83$ " LOF strips.
-(2) 6 " $\times 71$ " LOF strips.

From the Gnomes - Slate (I), cut:

- (1) $111 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) $71 / 2 " \times 111 / 2 "$ strips.


## From the Patch - Blue (Backing), cut:

-(2) 87 " x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 75 " $\times 87$ " back.

## Block Assembly

1. Sew (1) $21 / 2 " \times 17 "$ Fabric B strip to each side of (1) $113 / 4 " x 17 "$ Fabric E small panel. Sew (1) 2" x $153 / 4$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric E small panel to make (1) Unit 1 rectangle (Fig. 1). Trim the unit to measure $141 / 2 \gg 181 / 2 "$. Repeat to make (4) Unit 1 rectangles total.
2. Sew (5) $21 / 2 "$ Fabric G squares and (4) $21 / 2 "$ Fabric F squares together, alternating them, to make (1) GF strip. Repeat to make a second GF strip. Sew (1) GF strip to each side of (1) Unit 1 rectangle (Fig. 2).
3. Sew (5) $21 / 2 "$ Fabric F squares and (4) $21 / 2 "$ Fabric G squares together, alternating them, to make (1) FG strip. Repeat to make a second FG strip. Sew (1) FG strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 1 rectangle from Step 2 to make (1) Block One rectangle (Fig. 2).
4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to make (4) Block One rectangles total.


Unit 2
make 2
5. Sew (1) $1 " \times 111 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to each side of (1) $71 / 2 " \times 11 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric A strip. Sew (1) 1" x $81 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A strip to make (1) Unit 2 rectangle (Fig. 3). Repeat to make a second Unit 2 rectangle.


Fig. 3
6. Sew (1) $1 "$ x $11 \frac{1}{2} "$ Fabric B strip to each side of (1) $71 / 2 " \times 111 / 2 "$ Fabric I strip. Sew (1) $1 "$ x $81 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric I strip to make (1) Unit 3 rectangle (Fig. 4). Repeat to make a second Unit 3 rectangle.
7. Sew (1) 1"x $111 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to each side of (1) $71 / 2$ " $\times 111 / 2$ " Fabric D strip. Sew (1) $1 " \times 81 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric D strip to make (1) Unit 4 rectangle (Fig. 5).


Fig. 4

Unit 4


Fig. 5
8. Center (1) $43 / 4 " \times 25^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric C Red strip on (1) side of (1) Unit 2 rectangle 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.
9. Repeat Step 8 to sew (1) $43 / 4 " \times 21 "$ Fabric C Red strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 2 rectangle, making sure to stop and start $1 / 4$ " away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Unit 2 rectangle on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Fig. 6).
10. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 6), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a $1 / 4 "$ seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make (1) Unit 5 rectangle (Fig. 7).


Fig. 6
11. Repeat Steps $8-10$ to make a second Unit 5 rectangle.


Fig. 7
12. Repeat Steps 8-10 and refer to Figures $8-9$ for fabric/component identification and placement to make (2) Unit 6 rectangles and (1) Unit 7 rectangle.

Unit 6
make 2


Fig. 8

Unit 7


Fig. 9

Block Two
make 2
13. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{4} " \times 21 "$

Fabric B strip to each side of
(1) Unit 5 rectangle. Sew (1) $11 / 4 " \times 181 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 5 rectangle to make (1) Block Two rectangle (Fig. 10). Repeat to make a second Block Two rectangle.

14. Repeat Step 13 and refer to Figures $11-12$ to add the Fabric B border strips to the (2) Unit 6 rectangles and (1) Unit 7 rectangle to make (2) Block Three rectangles and (1) Block Four rectangle.

Block Three make 2

B


Fig. $11 \quad \mathrm{~B}$

Block Four
B


Fig. 12
22. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 6), draw a 45 -degree line to the edge of the fabric.

Quilt Top Assembly
(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.) 15. Sew (1) Block Two rectangle, (1) Block One rectangle and (1) Block Three rectangle together in that order to make Row One.
16. Sew (1) Block One rectangle to each side of (1) Block Four rectangle to make Row Two.
17. Sew (1) Block Three rectangle, (1) Block One rectangle and (1) Block Two rectangle together in that order to make Row Three.
18. Sew the (3) rows together in numerical order to make the Center Block.
19. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 661 / 2 "$ Fabric F strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 561 / 2 "$ Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
20. Center (1) 6 " $\times 83$ " Fabric H 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.
21. Repeat Step 20 to sew (1) 6" x 71 " Fabric H strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start $1 / 4 "$ 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. 6).

Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.
23. Layer and quilt as desired.
24. Sew the (8) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF Fabric B 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.
25. Bind as desired.


Quilt Layout

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