

Wedding Quilt

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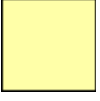
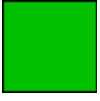
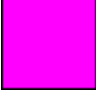
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Available in one size – Queen/King 102” by 102”

Fabric Requirements:

<p>White Background Fabric (used in the pieced outer border only)</p> 	<p>2 ¼ yards</p>
<p>Cream Background Fabric</p> 	<p>6 ½ yards</p>
<p>*Green Fabric <i>I used a collection of scrappy green batiks.</i></p> 	<p>2 ½ yards (or 11 FQS)</p>
<p>Pink Fabric <i>I used an Asian print.</i></p> 	<p>2 ½ yards</p>

Other Requirements:

1. **Triangle Magic software program for printing templates to make Half Square Triangles (HSTs).** *If you have another method for making HSTs please use what you know and are comfortable with. Make sure you cut your fabric to work with your method.*

Triangle Magic available online from

http://www.quiltpro.com/go.php?id=Triangle_Magic_half_mainpage

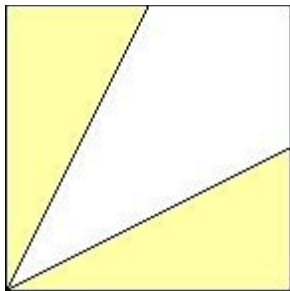
2. **60 Degree ruler for the outer border.**

You need a 60 degree triangle ruler big enough to cut a 6 ½” wide strip of fabric. Available at most fabric stores and on the web for a reasonable price.

You may substitute a plain border that is 6 ½” wide unfinished.

3. **Tri-Rec rulers or Lazy Angle ruler or use template provided in pattern for the corners of your quilt.**

If you have another tool that does the job that is great too!



Rulers available at most fabric stores and online for a reasonable price.

You may substitute a plain 6 ½” square.

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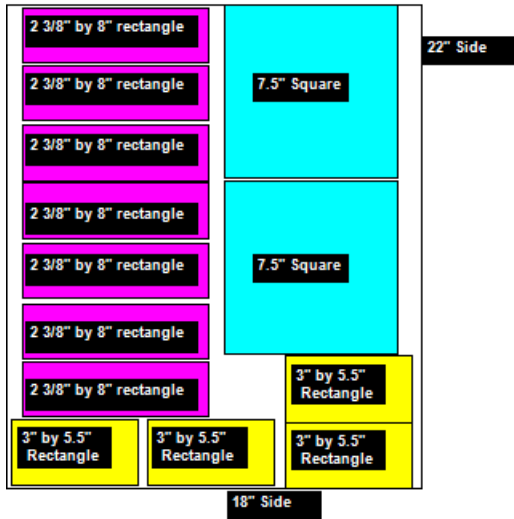
If you are using Fat Quarters for the green fabric here are the cutting charts to help you cut the fabric.

- (12) 3 3/8" squares
- (60) 2 3/8" by 8" rectangles
- (72) 3" by 5.5" rectangles

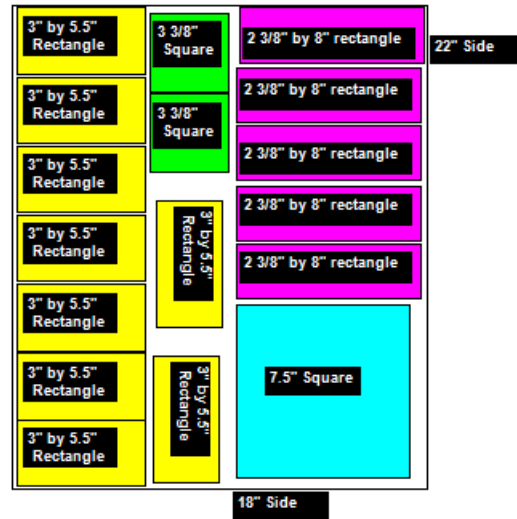
If you are using my method for the Half Square Triangles you need

- (15) 7.5" squares

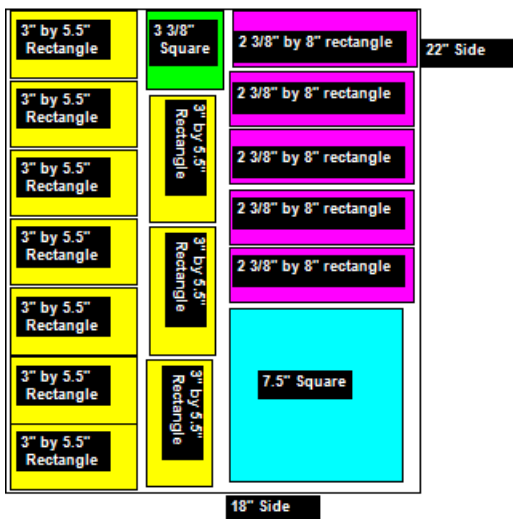
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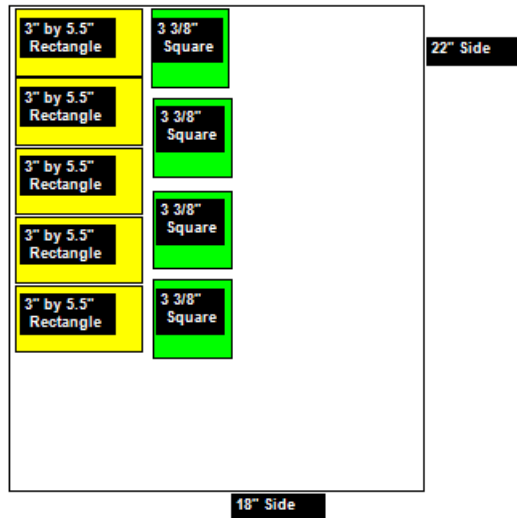
2. Cut 3 FQs



3. Cut 2 FQs



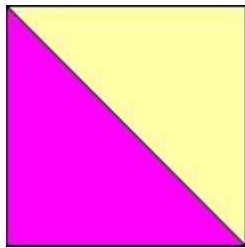
4. Cut 1 FQ



*****Make HSTs – Using Triangle Magic – templates that print on your computer.
Use 2.5” finished template size.**

1. Print out 29 templates for the Pink and Cream HSTs.
Print out 15 templates for the Green and Cream HSTs.
Use Triangle Magic and print 2.5” finished size HSTs.
(8) per template.
2. Cut (9) 7.5” by Width of Fabric (WOF) strips of cream fabric
Cut (6) 7.5” by WOF strips of pink fabric
Cut (3) 7.5” by WOF strips of green fabric

Cross cut each strip into 7.5” squares – (44) cream, (29) pink, (15) green
3. Put (1) 7 ½ “ pink or green square right sides together with a 7 ½ “ cream square.
4. Pin a template on top.
5. Decrease stitch length. It is 1.8 on my machine.
6. Sew on the lines with arrows.
7. Cut on the black lines.
8. Hold triangle firmly in one corner and tear off paper starting in the middle.
9. Finger press open and trim little triangles off the corners.



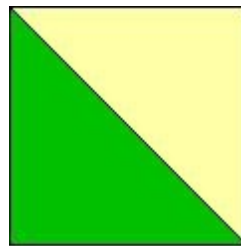
Unfinished HSTs measure 3” square.

Pink and Cream HSTs

(144) HSTs in Baggie D

(48) HSTs in Baggie E

(36) HSTs in Baggie F



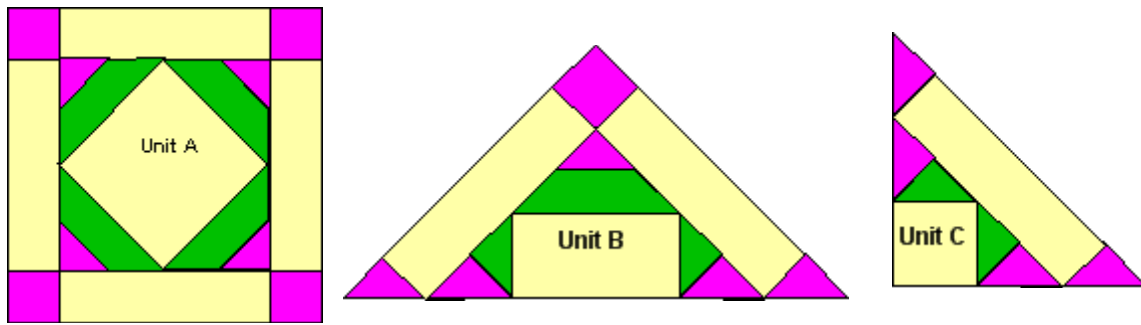
Green and Cream HSTs

(116) in Baggie G

Unit A: Make (13) - *Measures 15.5" square*

Unit B: Make (8)





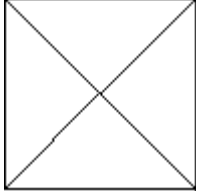


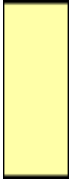
Unit C: Make (4)



Get Out Baggies A, B and C

Cutting Instructions:

Note: WOF is Width of Fabric

	First Cut	Then Cut	Put in Baggies
	(3) 7 ½ ” by WOF strips	(13) 7 ½ ” squares and (7) 4“ by 7 ½“ rectangles	(13) in A (7) in B
	(1) 4“ by WOF strip	(4) 4“ squares and (1) 4” by 7 ½” rectangle	(4) in C (1) in B
	(5) 3” by WOF strips	(60) 3” squares	(48) in A (12) in B
	(4) 4 ½ ” by WOF strips (revised January 2013)	(29)4 ½ ” squares Cut in quarters. 	(60) triangles in A (40) triangles in B (16) triangles in C
	(4) 8” by WOF strips	(60) 2 3/8 ” by 8” rectangles	(52) in A (8) in B
	(1) 3 3/8 ” by WOF strip	(12) 3 3/8 ” squares Then cut each square in half diagonally	(16)triangles in B (8) triangles in C
	(5) 10.5” by WOF strips (1) 3” by WOF strip revised January 2013	(72) 3” by 10.5” rectangles	(52)rectangles in A (16)triangles in B (4) triangles in C

Unit D: Make (36) – Measures 5.5" by 15.5"

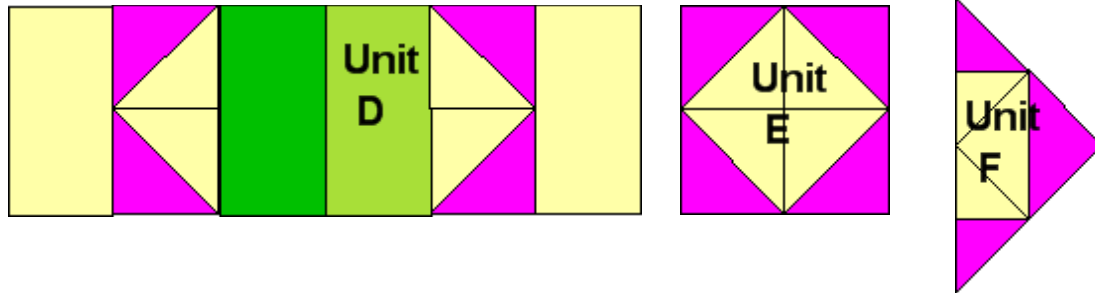
Unit E: Make (12) – Measures 5.5" by 5.5"


Unit F: Make (12)



Get Out Baggies D, E and F

Cutting Instructions:

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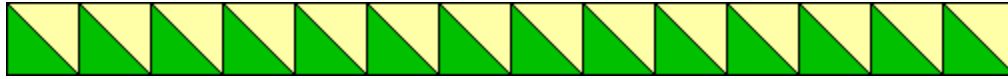


	First Cut	Then Cut	Put in Baggie
	(5) 5 1/2" by WOF strips	(72) 5 1/2" by 3" rectangles	(72) in D

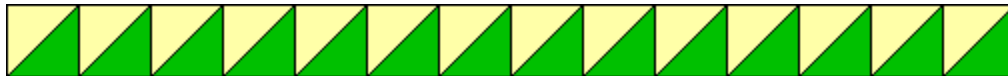
	3" unfinished HSTs already made.		(144) in D (48) in E (36) in F
	(6) 5 1/2" by WOF strips	(72) 5 1/2" by 3" rectangles	(72) in D

Unit G: HST Inner Border. Collect HSTs from Baggie G.

**Step A: Make (4) using your green and cream HSTs.
(14) triangles in each unit. Press to the left.**



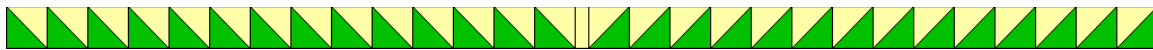
**Step B: Make (4) using your green and cream HSTs.
(14) triangles in each unit. Press to the right.**



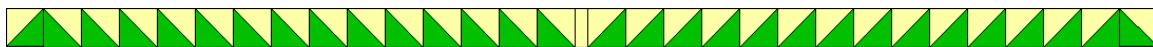
Step C: Cut (4) 1 1/2 " by 3" cream colored rectangles.



**Step D: Join Units from steps A, B and C together according to the diagram
below. Make (4).
They should measure 85 1/2 " by 3".
Press to the rectangle.**



**Step E: Take (2) units from Step D and add a HST to either end according to
the diagram.
Press to the center.**



Step F: Return all units to Baggie G for use later.

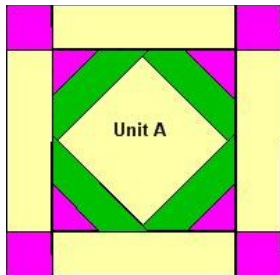
Unit H: Outer Border and Corners

TIP: If cutting the fabric for the 60 degree triangle border please heavily starch before cutting. I did not do this and my biased edges stretched quite a bit.

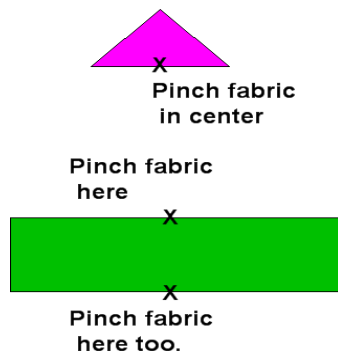
Directions for cutting and piecing the outer border appear at the end of the pattern. This has lots of bias edges so it is better to wait until the end when you are actually going to add it to your quilt top.

Also.. at this point you may decide you want to do plain borders and not pieced borders. If you decide you want plain borders you will be happy that you did not already cut the fabric for pieced borders.

Step #1: Make (13) of Unit A – Use fabric in Baggie A.
15 ½” square unfinished.



- A. Assemble corners for Unit A. Make (60)
Right sides together and with pinch points matched
Sew the pink triangle to the green rectangle.
Press to the pink triangle.

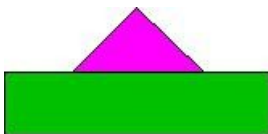


Press to the pink.

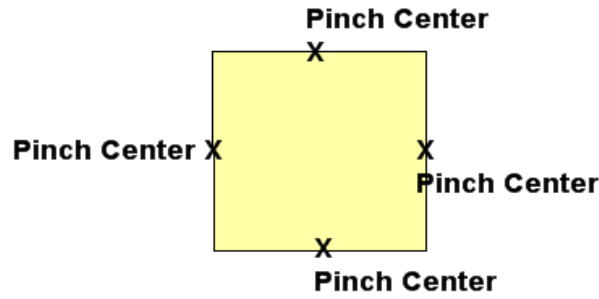
From the top of the pink triangle to the base should measure 4”.

Across the green baseline should measure 8”.

*****Put (8) of this unit in Baggie B (Revised January 2013)**

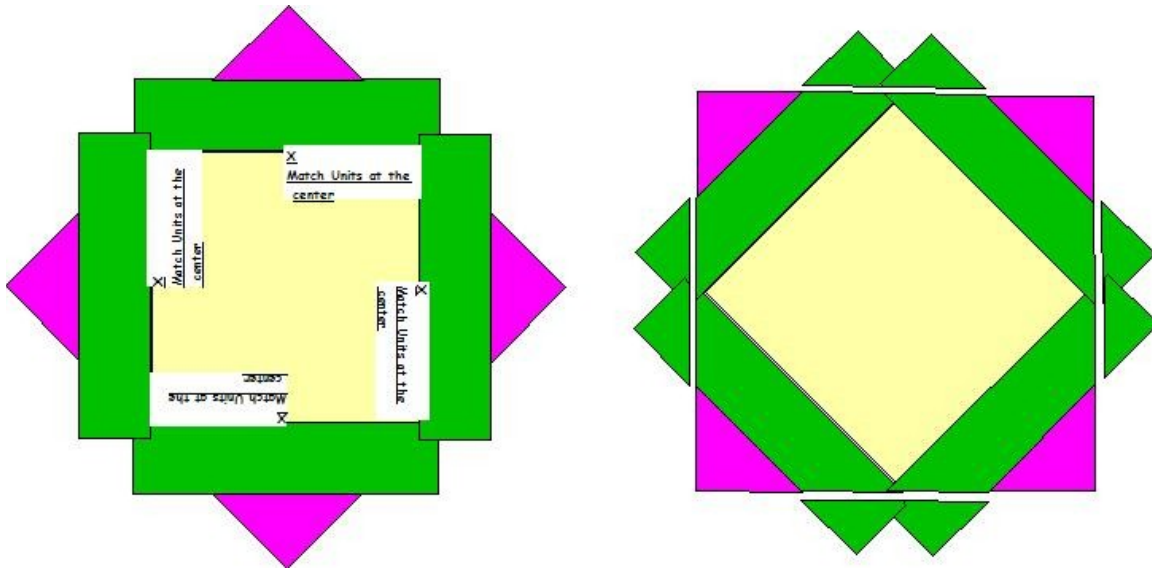


- B. Pinch the center of each side of the 7 1/2" cream squares.



- D. Match the center pinch of green to the center pinches on each of the 4 sides.

Press toward the green on two opposite sides.
 Press away from the green on the other two sides.
 Square up to 10 1/2". (Revised January 2013)

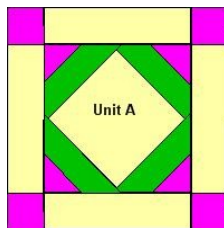


- E. Sew (2) 3" by 10 1/2" cream rectangles to your unit from D.
 Press to the rectangles.

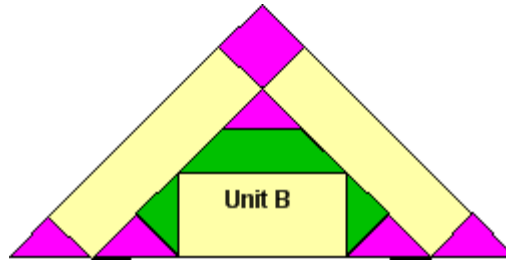
Sew (2) 3" pink squares to the ends of (2) 3" by 10 1/2" cream rectangles.
 Press to the rectangles.

Sew to top and bottom of your block.

Press to the rectangles. Square up to 15 1/2". Make (13)



Step #2: Make (8) of Unit B – Setting triangles.
Use fabric in Baggie B.

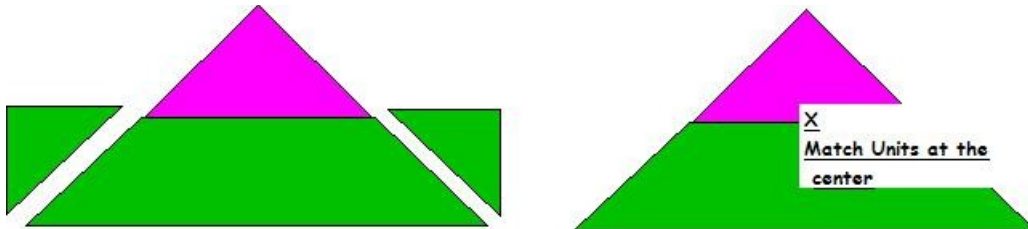


- A. The pink and green triangle unit along the long edge of the rectangle was already made when making Unit A.

Look at diagram below and trim to a triangle shape so it looks like the diagram.

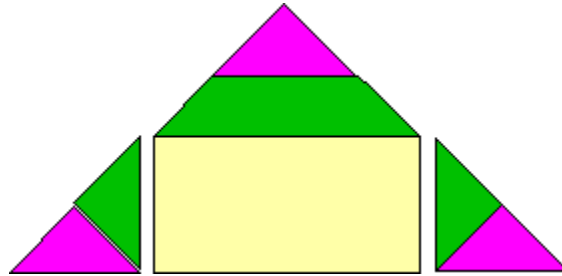
Sew this unit to the long side of your cream colored rectangle.
Pinch the centers and then match the pinches when sewing.

Press to the pink. **Revised January 2013.**
Make (8).



- B. Side Units:
 Sew a pink and green triangle together according to the diagram.
 Make (16). Sew one to each of the shorter sides of the cream rectangle
 according to the diagram.

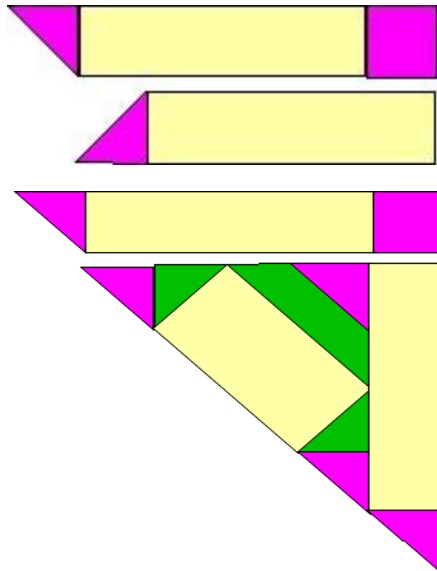
Press to the rectangle.



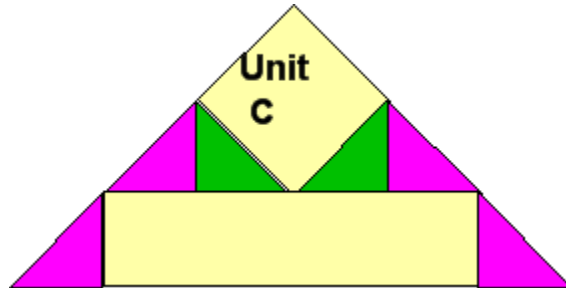
- C. Finishing Unit B with pieces from Baggie B. Make (8) units.

Sew pink triangles and squares to cream rectangles.
 Press to the cream.

Sew these to the sides to the block.
 Press the side unit to the rectangle.
 Press the top unit to the block.

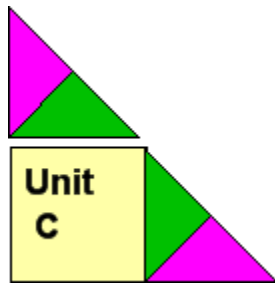


Step #3: Make (4) of Unit C (corner units) –
Use fabric in Baggie C.

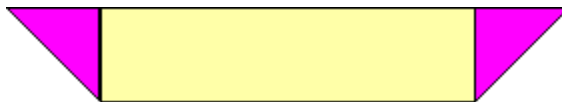


- A. Make (4) pairs. Sew a pink triangle to a green triangle according to the diagram.

Sew the triangle units to the cream square.
Press to the cream square.

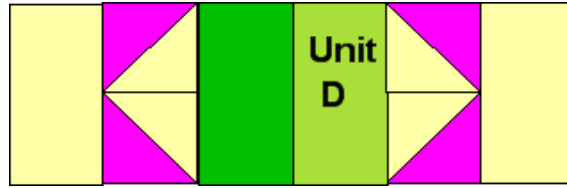


- B. Sew pink triangles to either side of each of your cream rectangles.

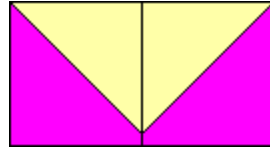


- C. Sew the rectangle unit to the unit from step A.
Press to the rectangle.
Make (4).

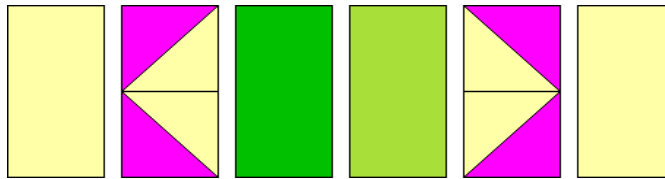
Step #4: Make (36) of Unit D - Use fabric in Baggie D.
Measures 5.5" by 15.5"



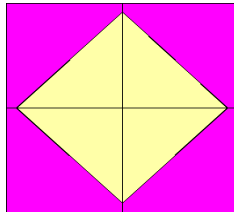
A. Sew your HSTs together to make (72) units.



B. Sew to complete Unit D. Make (36) units.

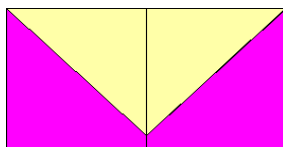


Step #5: Make (12) of Unit E



A. Sew the rest (48) of your pink and cream HSTs into pairs with the seams nesting.

Cream fabric is in the Center: (24 units).



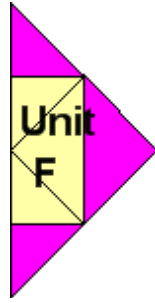
Don't press yet.

B. Finger press the seams joining your HSTs so the seams nest when you sew them.

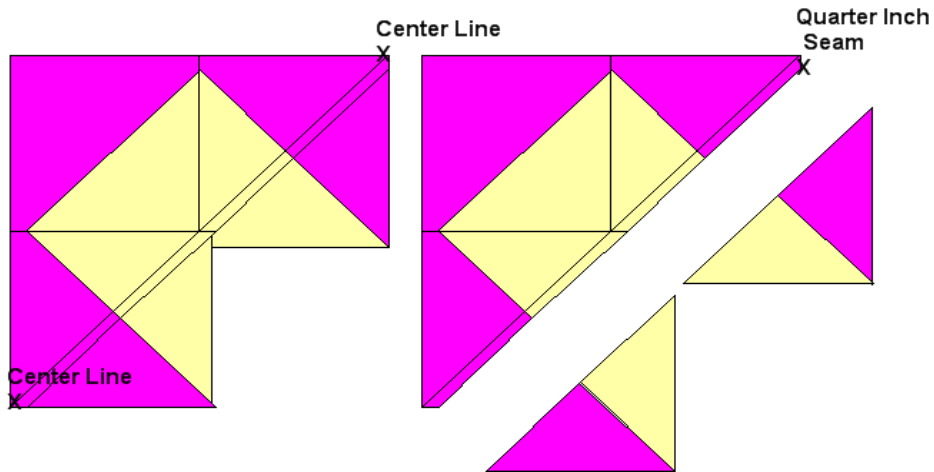
Make (12) of this unit. Make sure the cream fabric is in the center.

Press.

#6: Make (12) of Unit F.

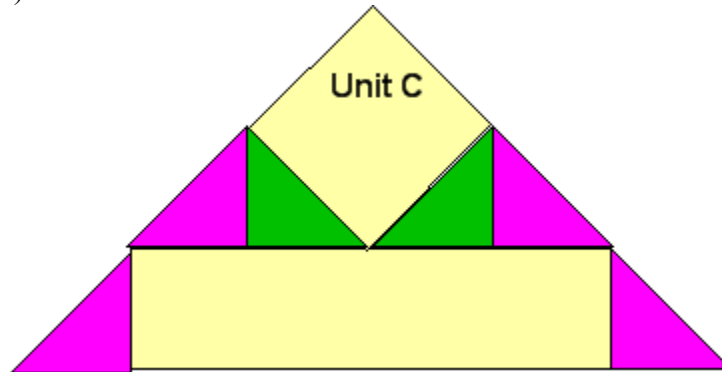


- A. (3) HSTs per unit.
Finger press the seams joining your HSTs so the seams nest when you sew them.
Make sure the cream fabric is in the center.
- B. Hold your ruler on the center diagonal line and trim 1/4" away.
If you need to draw the line first turn the unit over and do it on the back side. I just use my ruler and am careful when cutting so the ruler line stays securely on the diagonal center line and the edge of the ruler is 1/4" away.

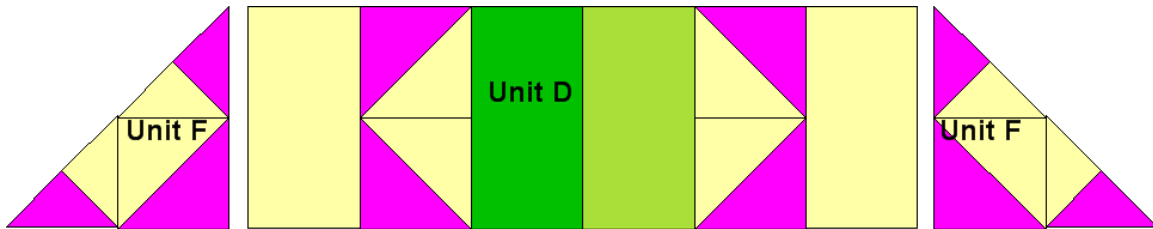


Step #7: Sewing the quilt rows.

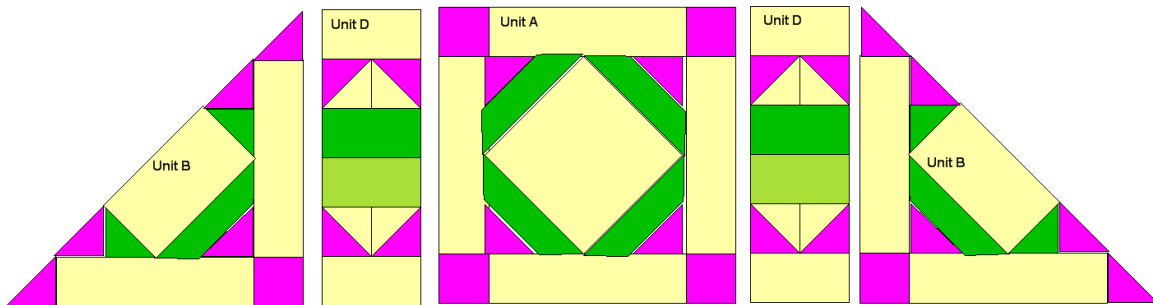
Row A: (2) of Unit C



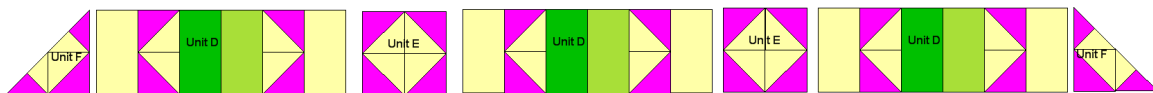
Row B: Make (2). Press to Unit D.



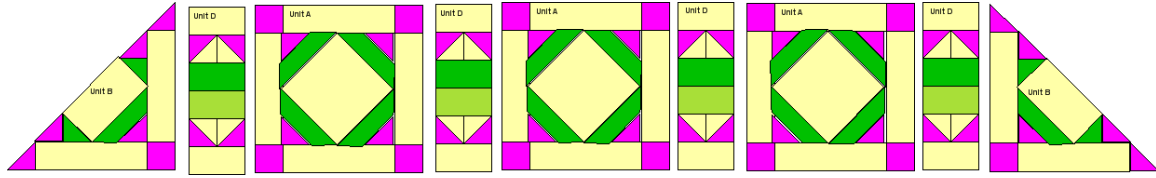
Row C: Make (2). Press to Unit D.



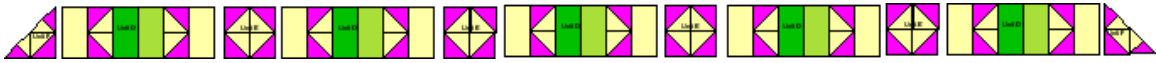
Row D: Make (2). Press to Unit D.



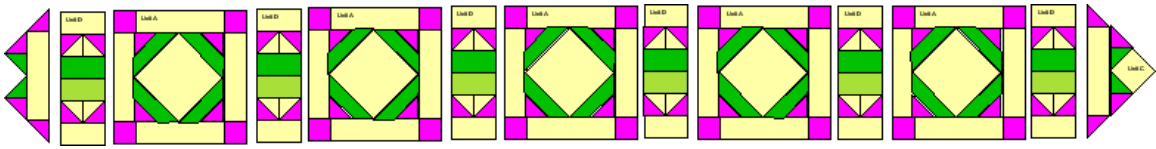
Row E: Make (2). Press to Unit D.



Row F: Make (2). Press to Unit D.

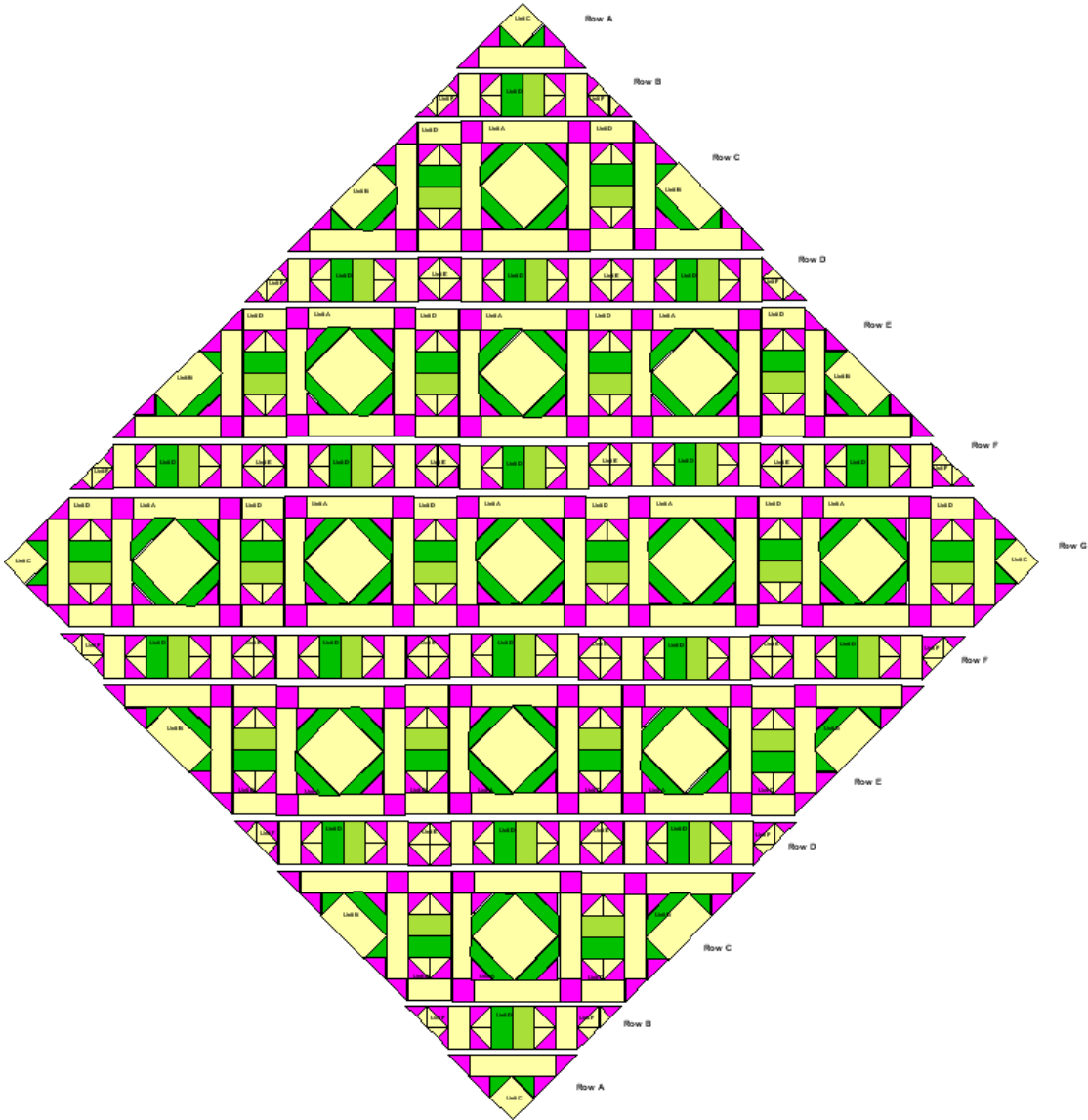


Row G: Make (1). Press to Unit D.



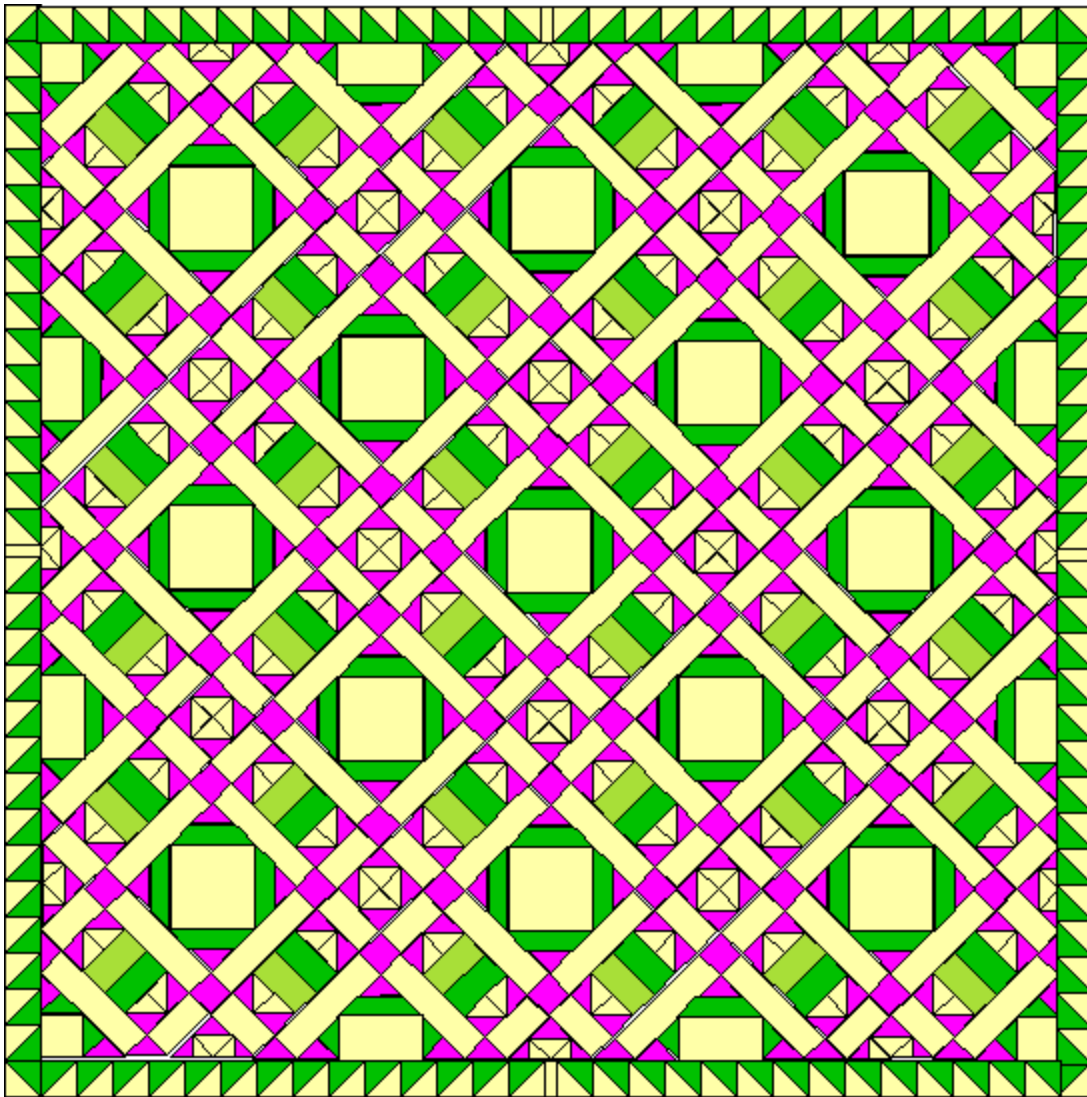
Step 8: Sew your rows together, Press in either direction.
The quilt top without borders measures 85.5" square.

Sew your rows together in this order from top to bottom as seen in the drawing.
A – B – C – D – E – F – G – F – E – D – C – B – A



Step 9: Add green and cream HST inner borders from Baggie G.
The quilt will now measure 90 ½ “ square.



- A. Sew the two shorter units to either side.
Press to the HSTs.
- B. Sew the two longer units to the top and bottom.
Press to the HSTs.



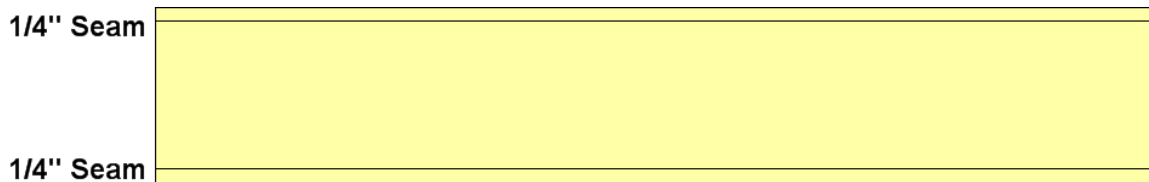
Step 12: Outside border and corners.

A. Borders – Cutting Directions

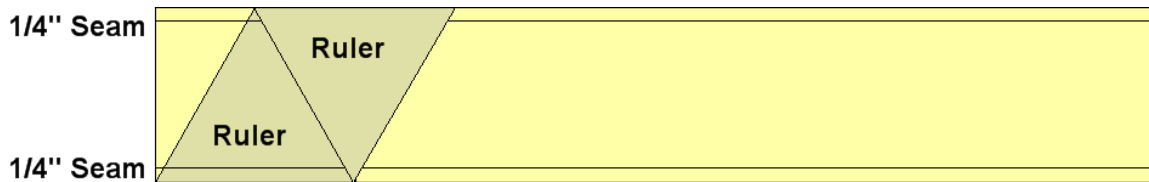
Cut

	<p>(9) 6 ½ ” by WOF strips</p>
	<p>(9) 6 ½ ” by WOF strips</p>

B. Sew (1) white strip to one cream strip, right sides together so you have a long tube.



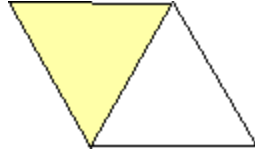
C. Cut your tube apart using your 60 degree ruler. Turn the ruler upside down for every other cut.



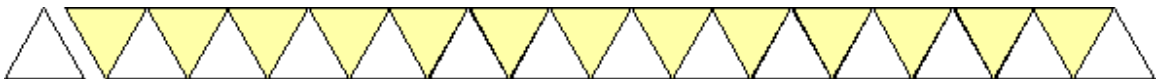
D. Cut (4) extra white triangles from the last length of white before you sew a tube.

- E. You should have at least (6) units like this from each cut tube.
Pick out the one or two stitches at the tip of the triangle.

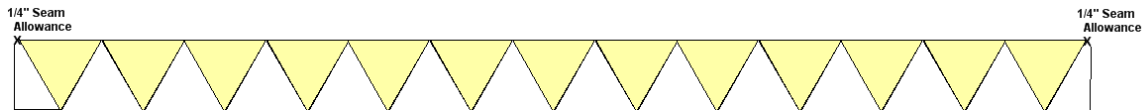
Press to the white. Be VERY careful with the bias edges.



- F. Sew (13) of these units together for each side of the quilt.
Sew the extra white square to the end that does not have a white square.
square.

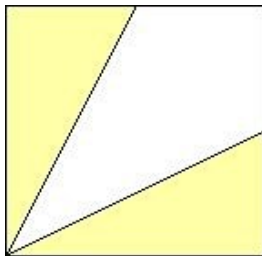


- G. Square up either end so you have a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance on the white triangle.



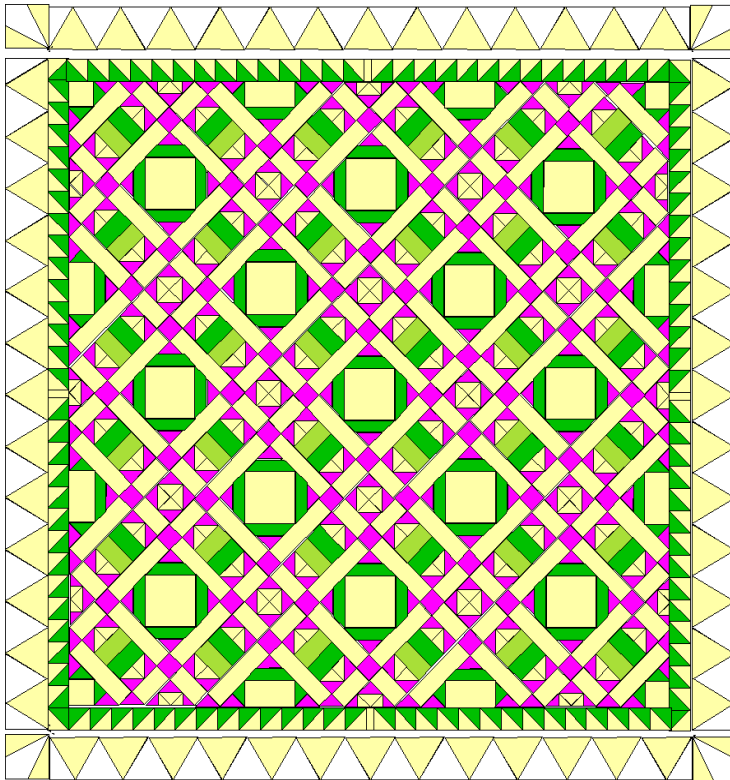
***NOTE:** The final measurement of these borders is about $\frac{3}{4}$ " short of the size of the quilt. You can ease in this small amount when you piece the border to the quilt. It is easier than adding an extra tiny inner border to make it fit exactly.*

- H. Make your $6\frac{1}{2}$ " square corners. **REVISED January 2013.**
Use plain.. white or cream $6\frac{1}{2}$ squares.
OR
If making this option.. follow your ruler directions.



- I. Sew a corner to either end of (2) border strips.
Press to the outside border strip.
- J. Sew two border strips without corners to either side of your quilt.
Press to the outside border strip.
- K. Sew the two border strips with corners to the top and bottom of your quilt.
Press to the outside border strip.

Your quilt top is ready for quilting and binding.



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