

# Bee Keeper's Farm

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Featuring Bee My Sunshine by Whistler Studios

SIZE: 59" x 76"



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PROJECT

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KEY	FABRIC	SKU	YD	CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS
A		43314-1 Grey	5/8	<p><b>Fence blocks</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles and (8) 1" x 1 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Wildflower blocks</b> (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (12) 2" x 2" squares.</p> <p><b>Beehive blocks</b> (1) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles and (6) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares.</p> <p><b>Template-pieced blossom blocks</b> (16) D, (16) H, (4) I pieces using patterns on template page 3.</p> <p><b>Leaf appliqué blocks</b> (32) leaves using pattern on Template page 2.</p>
B		43314-2 Sunshine	1/2	<p><b>Fence/house blocks</b> (1) 4 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2", (2) 1" x 4 1/2", (2) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2", (4) 1" x 3", (2) 1 1/2" x 3" and (2) 1" x 1 1/2" rectangles; and (4) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares.</p> <p><b>Wildflower block</b> (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (8) 2" x 2" squares.</p> <p><b>Beehive blocks</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles. (3) A pieces using provided templates on beehive template sheet.</p> <p><b>Leaf appliqué blocks</b> (48) leaves using pattern on Template page 2.</p>
C		43314-3	1 1/4	<p><b>Outer border</b> (7) 5" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 5" x 59 1/2" and (2) 5" x 67 1/2" strips.</p> <p><b>Template-pieced blossom blocks</b> (16) A pieces using pattern on template page 3.</p>
D		43315-1	3/8	<p><b>Fence blocks</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" and (8) 1" x 1 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Dresden fan blocks</b> (24) Wedges using pattern on Template page 1.</p>
E		43315-3	1/8	<p><b>Beehive blocks</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" and (2) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles.</p>




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<b>F</b>		43316-5	1/2	<b>Wildflower blocks</b> (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (8) 2" x 2" squares. <b>Dresden fan blocks</b> (24) Wedges using pattern on Template page 1. <b>Beehive blocks</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles. (2) A pieces using pattern on Template page 1.
<b>G</b>		43317-3	1/2	<b>Dresden fan blocks</b> (8) half circles using pattern on Template page 1 (place fabric on fold). <b>Template-pieced blossom blocks</b> (16) F pieces using pattern on Template page 3.
<b>H</b>		43317-4	5/8	<b>Wildflower blocks</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (10) 3/4" x 2 1/2" rectangles and (10) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. <b>Beehive blocks</b> (2) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles. <b>Template-pieced blossom blocks</b> (16) A pieces using pattern on Template page 3. <b>Leaf appliqué blocks</b> (60) Leaves using pattern on Template page 2.

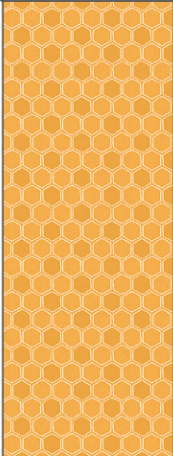




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I		43318-3	3 3/8	<p><b>Dresden fan blocks</b> (2) 5 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (8) 5 1/2" x 10 1/2" rectangles - Use caution when cutting rectangles as (1) 5 1/2" x 42" strip cuts exactly into (4) 5 1/2" x 10 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Template-pieced blossom blocks</b> (64) B pieces using provided template on template pieced blossom template sheet.</p> <p><b>House/fence blocks</b></p> <p><b>Fence:</b> (5) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (16) 1 1/4" x 1 1/2", (16) 1" x 1 1/2" and (16) 1 1/2" x 5 1/4" rectangles. (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (8) 2" x 2" squares.</p> <p><b>House:</b> (1) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" and (2) 1 1/2" x 3 rectangles; and (4) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (4) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares.</p> <p><b>Wildflower blocks</b> (3) 1" x WOF. Subcut (120) 1" x 1" squares. (2) 1 7/8" x WOF. Subcut (10) 1 7/8" x 2 1/2" and (20) 1 1/2" x 1 7/8" rectangles. (1) 4 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (10) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles. (1) 5 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (20) 1" x 5 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Beehive blocks</b> (1) 1" x WOF. Subcut (30) 1" x 1" squares. (4) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (10) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares; and (5) 1 1/2" x 4 1/2", (5) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2", and (10) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles. (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (10) 2" x 2 1/2" rectangles. (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (10) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares. (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (10) 2 1/2" x 3" rectangles. 5 B and 5 C pieces from patterns on Template page 1.</p> <p><b>Leaf applique blocks</b> (2) 8 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 8 1/2" x 8 1/2" squares.</p> <p><b>Sashing strips</b> (3) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 1 1/2" x 40 1/2" strips.</p> <p><b>Inner border #1</b> (5) 2 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 44 1/2" and (2) 2 1/2" x 57 1/2" strips.</p> <p><b>Inner border #3</b> (6) 1 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 1 1/2" x 50 1/2" and (2) 1 1/2" x 65 1/2" strips.</p>
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J		43318-6	1 1/4	<p><b>Wildflower blocks</b>            (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (12) 2" x 2" squares.</p> <p><b>Beehive blocks</b>            (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles.            Template-pieced blossom blocks            (16) C, (16) E and (16) G using patterns on Template page 3.</p> <p><b>Leaf appliqué blocks</b>            (2) 2" x WOF. Subcut (20) stems using pattern on Template page 2.</p> <p><b>Binding</b>            Cut (8) 2 1/4" x WOF strips. Piece strips to make a continuous binding strip.</p>
K		43319-1	3/4	<p><b>Fence blocks</b>            (1) 1" x WOF. Subcut (16) 1" x 1 1/2" rectangles.            (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (4) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Beehive blocks</b>            (1) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles and (4) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares.</p> <p><b>Inner border #2</b>            (6) 2 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 48 1/2" and (2) 2 1/2" x 61 1/2" strips.</p> <p><b>Leaf appliqué blocks</b>            (20) Leaves using pattern on Template page 2.</p>
L		43319-6	1/8	<p><b>Pieced beehive blocks</b>            (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles.</p>
		Backing	4 3/4	
				65" x 82" piece of batting



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## Constructing Dresden Fan Section

1. Sew together 2 **F** wedges and 1 **D** wedge to make a left quarter Dresden Fan. Sew together 2 **D** wedges and 1 **F** wedge to make a right quarter Dresden Fan. Sew the two quarter fan units together. Curve-piece the fan to 1 **G** half-circle. Turn under the seams of fan blades, and appliqué fan unit to (1) 5 1/2" x 10 1/2" **I** background rectangle.

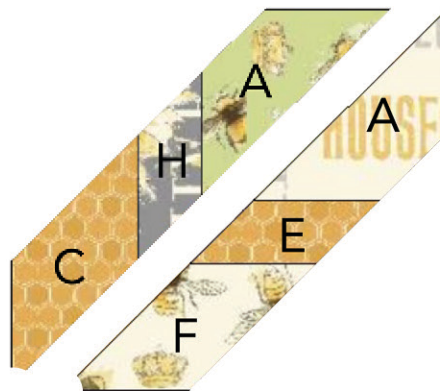
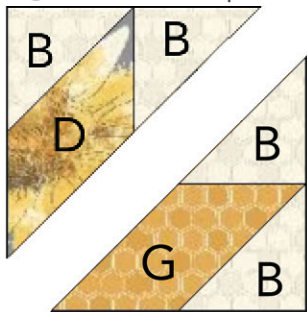


2. Make a total of 8 half Dresden fan units. Sew 4 Dresden fan units into a row. Make 2 rows.



## Constructing Template Pieced Blossom Blocks

1. Referring to the diagrams below for color placement, sew the pieces into 4 sections as shown. Join the sections to make a block quadrant. Quadrant measures 5 1/2" x 5 1/2" raw edge to raw edge. Make 16 quadrants.



2. Join 4 block quadrants to make 1 block. Appliqué (1) **A** "1" circle to the center of the block.





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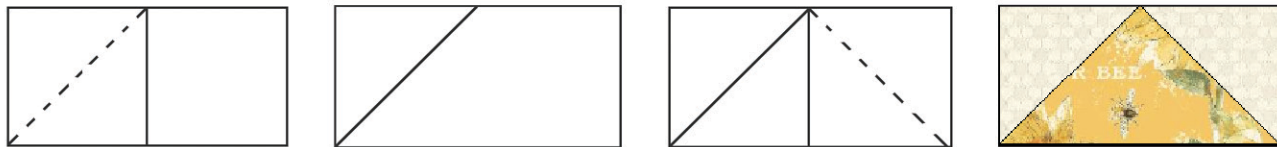
3. Make 4 blocks and sew blocks into a row.



## Constructing House/Fence Blocks

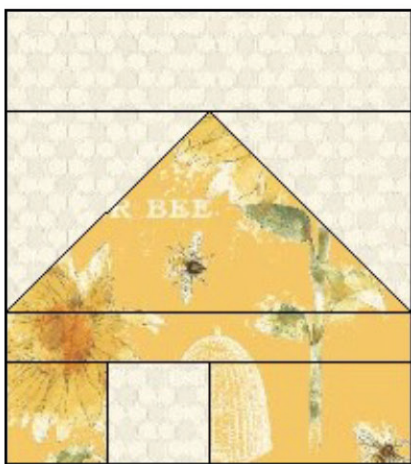
### 1. House block.

a. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square. Place square, right sides together, on a corner of (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 4\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle. Sew on drawn line. Trim  $\frac{1}{4}''$  away from drawn line. Open and press to reveal corner triangle. Repeat with another  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square at the other corner of (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 4\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle to complete 1 flying geese unit.



b. Sew (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 4\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** rectangle to the top, and (1)  $1'' \times 4\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle to the bottom of flying geese unit.

c. Sew together (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** square, (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square and (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** rectangle and add to the bottom of sewn unit made in step b.



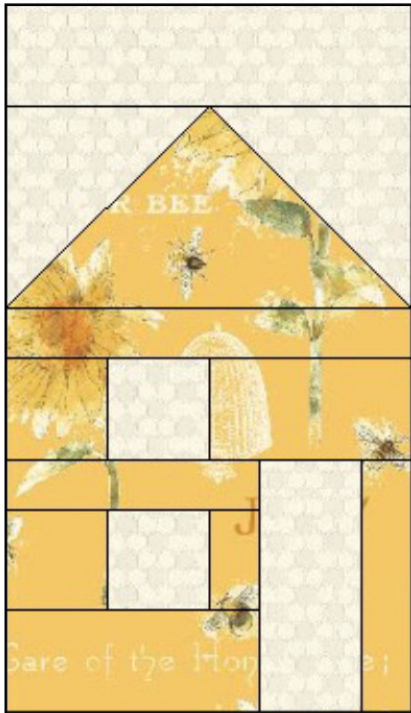


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- d.** Sew together (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** square, (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square and (1)  $1'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** rectangle. Add to the top (1)  $1'' \times 3''$  **B** rectangle and to the bottom (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 3''$  **B** rectangle. Sewn unit measure  $3'' \times 3''$  raw edge to raw edge. Add (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 3''$  **I** rectangle, followed by (1)  $1'' \times 3''$  **B** rectangle.



- e.** Add sewn unit made in step d to the unit made in step c to complete 1 house block. The block measure  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 7\frac{1}{2}''$  raw edge to raw edge. Make 2 house blocks.



## 2. Fence Block (using **A** block as example).

- a.** Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square. Place square, right sides together, on a corner of a (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 5\frac{1}{2}''$  **A** rectangle. Sew on drawn line. Trim  $\frac{1}{4}''$  away from sewn line. Open and press to reveal corner triangle. Repeat with another  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square on the adjacent top corner of the  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 5\frac{1}{2}''$  rectangle. Add (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** square above the sewn unit.

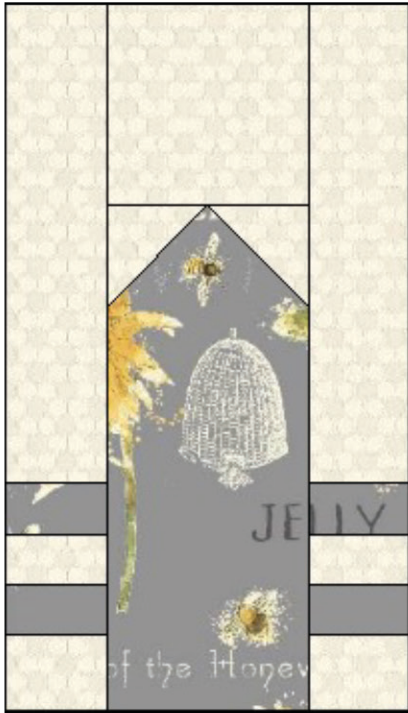




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**b.** Sew (2) 1" x 1 1/2" **A** rectangles to the opposite long sides of (1) 1" x 1 1/2" **I** rectangle.

Add (1) 1 1/2" x 5 1/4" **I** rectangle to the top, and (1) 1 1/4" x 1 1/2" **I** rectangle to the bottom of the sewn unit. Make a total of 2 columns, and add the columns to the opposite sides of sewn unit made in step a.



**c.** Repeat to make a total of number of blocks in the following colorways:  
4 locks: **K**; 2 blocks: **A**, **D**

**3.** Arrange and sew house and fence blocks into a row.



## Constructing Wildflower Blocks (using **A** block as example)

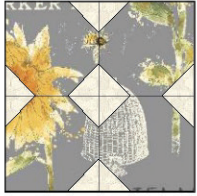
**1.** Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each 1" x 1" **I** square. Place a square, right sides together, on a corner of (1) 2" x 2" **A** square. Sew on drawn line. Trim 1/4" away from sewn line. Open and press to reveal corner triangle. Repeat with 2 additional 1" x 1" **I** squares on two other corners of the same 2" x 2" **A** square.

Repeat to make a total of 4 petal units.



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Sew the petal units into a 4-patch unit, as shown. Unit measures  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  x  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  raw edge to raw edge.



**2.** Draw a diagonal on the wrong side of (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  x  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  **H** square. Place square, right sides together, on a corner of (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  x  $1\frac{7}{8}''$  **I** rectangle. Sew on drawn line. Trim  $\frac{1}{4}''$  away from sewn line. Open and press to reveal corner triangle.

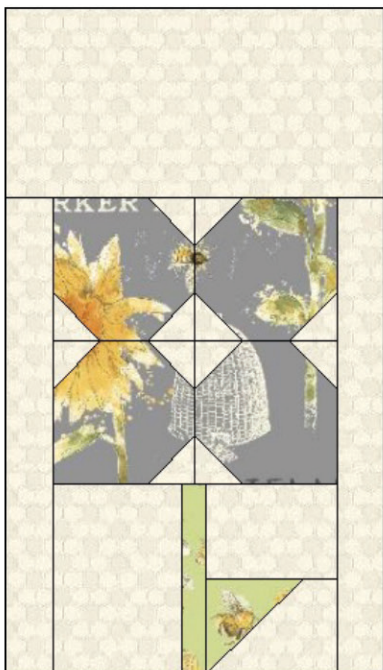
Add (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  x  $1\frac{7}{8}''$  **I** rectangle to the top of sewn unit. Unit measures  $1\frac{7}{8}''$  x  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  raw edge to raw edge.

Add (1)  $\frac{3}{4}''$  x  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  **H** rectangle to the left of previously sewn unit, followed by (1)  $1\frac{7}{8}''$  x  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** rectangle.



Sew the previously sewn unit to the bottom of the petal unit, followed (2)  $1''$  x  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** rectangles to the left and right sides.

Add (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  x  $4\frac{1}{2}''$  **I** rectangle to the top of sewn unit to complete (1) wildflower block. The block measures  $4\frac{1}{2}''$  x  $7\frac{1}{2}''$  raw edge to raw edge.





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3. Repeat to make a total number of blocks in the following colorways:

3 blocks: **A, J**

2 blocks: **B, F**

4. Arrange and sew all 10 wildflower blocks into a row.



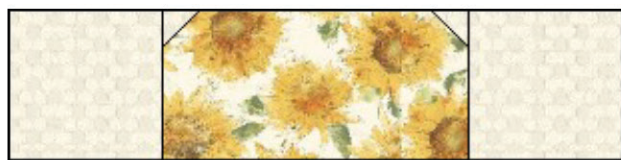
## Constructing Beehive Block (Using left most block as example)

1. Sew (1) **I** "B" and (1) **I** "C" piece cut from templates to (1) **B** "A" piece. Add (2) 2 1/2" x 3" **I** rectangles to the left and right sides. Sewn unit should measure 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" raw edge to raw edge (as with the case for units made in steps 2-4).



2. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each 1" x 1" **I** square. Place a marked square, right sides together, on (1) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" **E** rectangle. Repeat with another (1) 1" x 1" **I** square on the same 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" **E** rectangle on the adjacent top corner.

Add (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" **I** squares to the left and right sides.



3. Place a marked **I** square, right sides together, on (1) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" **F** rectangle. Repeat with another (1) 1" x 1" **I** square on the same 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" **F** rectangle on the adjacent top corner. Add (2) 2" x 2 1/2" **I** rectangles to the left and right sides.





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4. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each 1" x 1" **I** square. Place a marked **I** square, right sides together on (1) 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" **B** rectangle. Repeat with another (1) 1" x 1" **I** square on the same 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" **B** rectangle on the adjacent top corner.

Add (2) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" **I** rectangles to the left and right sides.



5. Sew units made in steps 1-4 together. Add (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" **I** rectangle to the top of sewn unit, followed by (1) (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" **A** rectangle to the bottom.

6. Sew together (2) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" **A** squares, (2) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" **I** squares and (1) 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" **I** rectangle, and add to the bottom of the sewn unit made in step 5; followed by (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" **H** rectangle to complete 1 block. The block measures 8 1/2" x 12 1/2" raw edge to raw edge.



Repeat to make a total of 3 blocks.



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Repeat to make 2 blocks in the following colorway:



7. Arrange and sew together the 5 beehive blocks into a row.



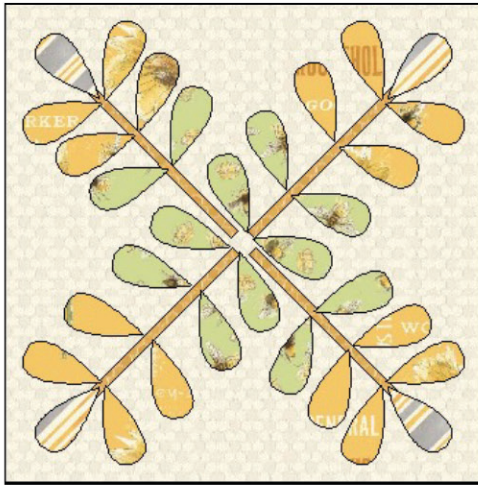


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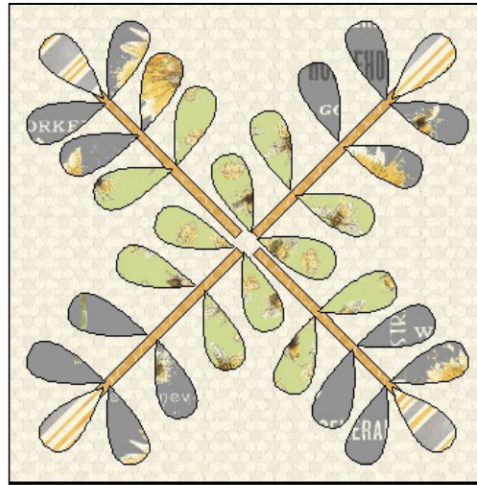
## Constructing leaf appliqué blocks

1. Refer to the block diagram for placement guide, construct the following blocks:

3 blocks



2 blocks



2. Sew appliqué blocks into a row.





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## Quilt Center Assembly

1. Referring to the quilt center diagram below, sew pieced rows and (3) 1 1/2" x 40 1/2" sashing strips.





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## Quilt Top Assembly

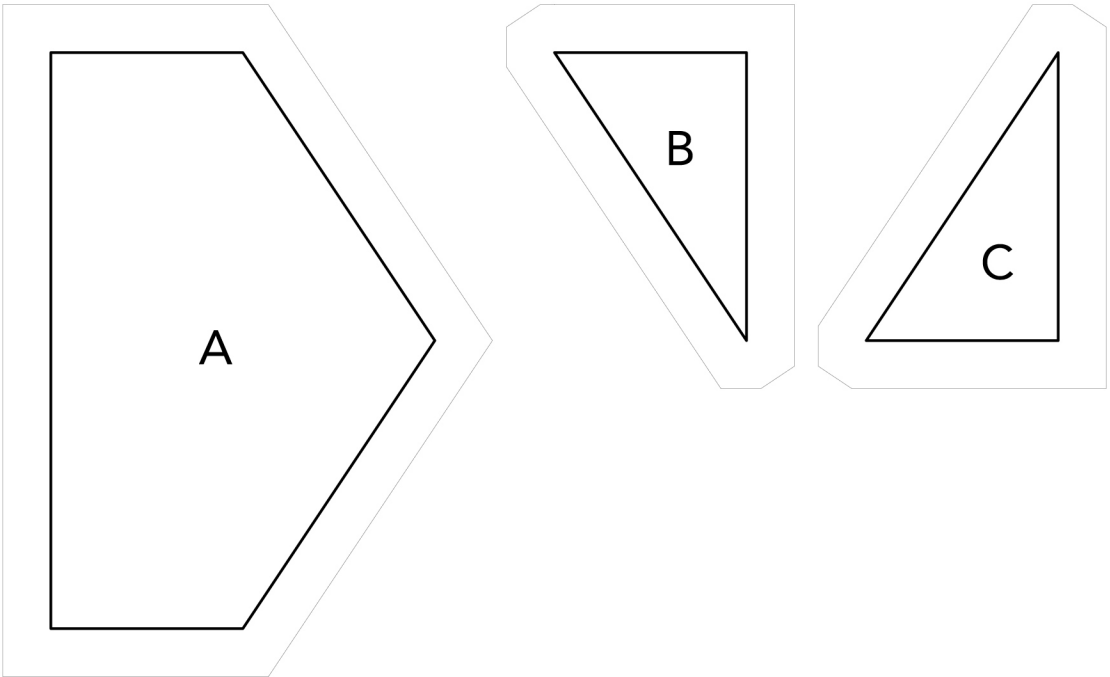
1. Inner border #1. Sew (2) 2 1/2" x 57 1/2" **I** strips to the sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 2 1/2" x 44 1/2" **I** strips to the top and bottom.
2. Inner border #2. Sew (2) 2 1/2" x 61 1/2" **K** strips to the sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 2 1/2" x 48 1/2" **K** strips to the top and bottom.
3. Inner border #3. Sew (2) 1 1/2" x 65 1/2" **I** strips to the sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 1 1/2" x 50 1/2" strips to the top and bottom.
4. Outer border. Sew together (2) 5" x 67 1/2" **C** strips to the sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 5" x 59 1/2" **C** strips to the top and bottom complete quilt top.



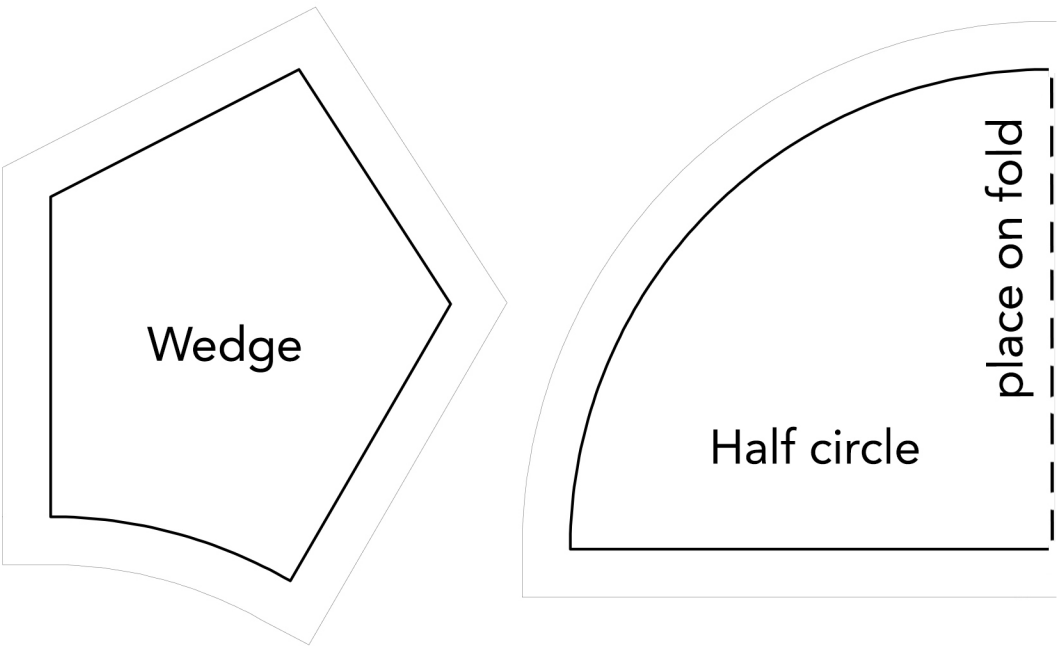


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Beehive  
Blocks

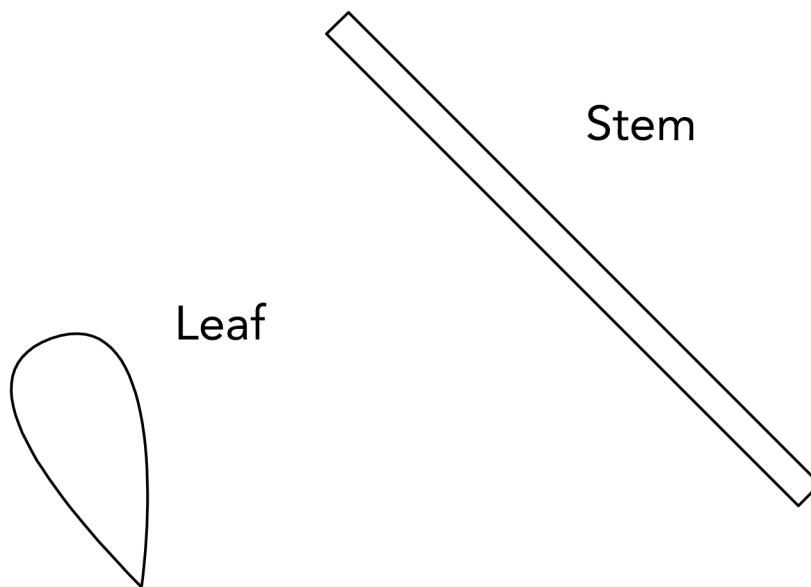


Dresden Blocks



\* The leaf and stem patterns are full size and do not include a seam allowance. Trace patterns on lines for fusible appliqué. Add 3/16" turn-under allowance for hand appliqué.

Leaf appliqué blocks



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Template page 3

Template-Pieced Blossom Blocks

