## Sweater Weather

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Quilt 1

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner





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### Fabrics in the Collection



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#### **Materials**

1 panel	Snowman Block Panel - Multi (A)	F1314P-99
¾ yard	Snowflake - Red (B)	F1318-88
¾ yard	Hats, Gloves, Sweaters - Blue (C)	F1316-11
1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> yards	Snowflake - Black (D)	F1318-99*
2 ½ yards	Novelty Stripe - Multi (E)	F1321-89
1 1/4 yards	Fluffy Solids - White (F) Fluffy	Solid-White
4 yards	Argyle - White/Multi (Backing)	F1317-89

<sup>\*</sup>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 Snowman Block Panel - Multi (A), fussy cut:

• (1) 41 ½" x 23" panel.

#### From the Snowflake - Red (B), cut:

- (2) 1 ½" x 23" WOF strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 43 ½" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 53" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 45 ½" strips.

#### From the Hats, Gloves, Sweaters - Blue (C), cut:

- (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (14) 3 ½" x 6 ½" strips.
- (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (28) 3 ½" squares.

#### From the Snowflake - Black (D), cut:

- (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (14) 3 ½" x 6 ½" strips.
- (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (28) 3 ½" squares.
- (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

#### From the Novelty Stripe - Multi (E), cut:

- (2) 7" x 73" Length of Fabric (LOF) strips.
- (2) 7" x 63" LOF strips.

#### From the Fluffy Solid - White (F), cut:

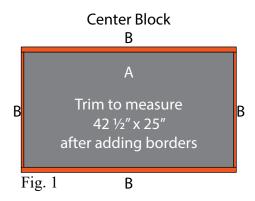
- (5) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (28) 3 ½" x 6 ½" strips.
- (5) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (56) 3 ½" squares.
- (4) 1 ½" x 42 ½" WOF strips, piece as needed.

#### From the Argyle - White/Multi (Backing), cut:

• (2) 67" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 66" x 77" back.

#### **Sewing Instructions**

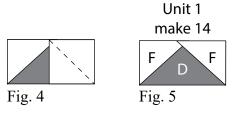
1. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 23" Fabric B strip to each side of the 41 ½" x 23" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 2" x 43 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel. Trim the block to measure 42 ½" x 25" to make the Center Block (Fig. 1).



2. Place (1) 3 ½" Fabric F square on the left side of (1) 3 ½" x 6 ½" Fabric D strip, right sides together (Fig. 2). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 2). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 3). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance.

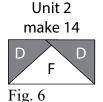


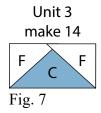
- 3. Place another 3 ½" Fabric F square on the right side of the 3 ½" x 6 ½" Fabric D strip, right sides together (Fig. 4). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 4). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make (1) Unit 1 strip (Fig. 5).
- 4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to make (14) Unit 1 strips total.

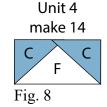


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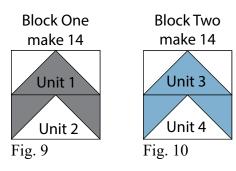
5. Repeat Steps 2-3 and use Figures 6-8 for fabric identification, location and seam direction to make (14) Unit 2 strips, (14) Unit 3 strips and (14) Unit 4 strips.







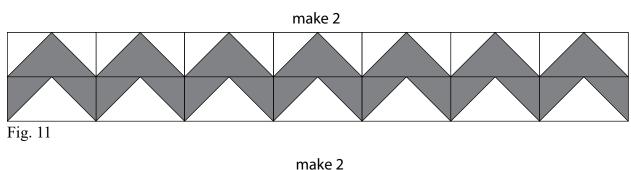
- 6. Sew (1) Unit 1 strip to the top of (1) Unit 2 strip lengthwise to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 9). Repeat to make (14) Block One squares total.
- 7. Sew (1) Unit 3 strip to the top of (1) Unit 4 strip lengthwise to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 10). Repeat to make (14) Block Two squares total.



- 8. Sew (7) Block One squares together to make (1) Black Zig Zag strip (Fig. 11). Repeat to make a second Black Zig Zag strip.
- 9. Sew (7) Block Two squares together to make (1) Blue Zig Zag strip (Fig. 12). Repeat to make a second Blue Zig Zag strip.

### Quilt Top Assembly (Refer to the Quilt Layout while assembling.)

- 10. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 42 ½" Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 11. Sew (1) Blue Zig Zag strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 12. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 42 ½" Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 13. Sew (1) Black Zig Zag strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 14. Sew (1) 2" x 53" Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 45 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 15. Center (1) 7" x 73" Fabric E strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" from the top edge of the block and stop a <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" from the bottom edge. **DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS.** Repeat with the opposite side.
- 16. Repeat Step 15 to sew (1) 7" x 63" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start ¼" 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. 13).



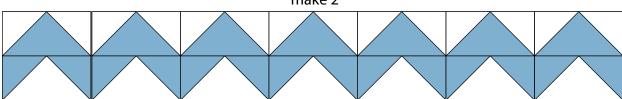


Fig. 12

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17. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 13), 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 the quilt top.

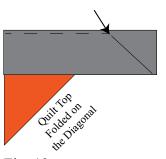
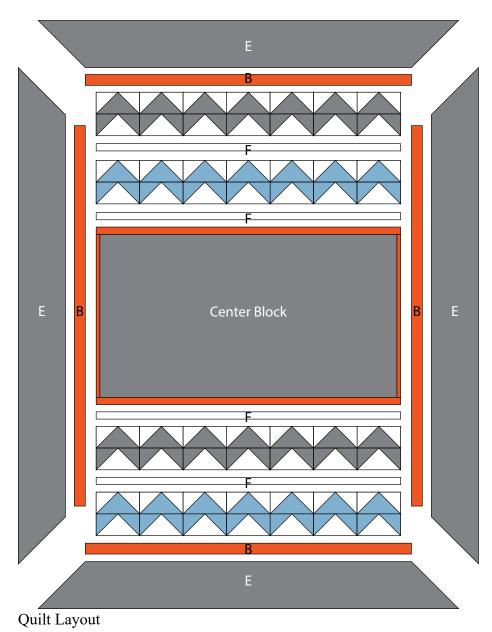


Fig. 13

- 18. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 19. Sew the (7) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric D 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.
- 20. Bind as desired.



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