# American Truckers

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Quilt 1

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner





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### Fabrics in the Collection



American Flag Packed Red – 9476-88



**Tossed Allover Trucks** Silver-9477-90



Border Stripe Silver -9478-90



Flame Flame - 9479-85



Patriotic Phrases Red - 9480-88



**Tossed Star** Navy - 9481-77



**Truck Parts** Red - 9482-88



Monster Truck Blocks Navy - 9483-77



Monster Trucks Banner Panel Silver - 9484P-90

Select Fabric from Modern Melody Basics



Navy 1063-77

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#### Materials

1 panel	Monster Trucks Banner Panel - Silver (A)	
_		9484P-90
1 1/4 yards	Tossed Stars - Navy (B)	9481-77
1 3/8 yards	Patriotic Phrases - Red (C)	9480-88
⅓ yard	American Flag Packed - Red (D)	9476-88
1 3/8 yards	Border Stripe - Silver (E)	9478-90
1 yard	Monster Truck Blocks - Navy (F)	9483-77
⅔ yard	Modern Melody Basics - Navy (G)	1063-77*
4 ½ yards	Tossed Allover Trucks - Silver (Backing)	9477-90

<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 Monster Trucks Banner Panel - Silver (A):

• Fussy cut (1) 33 ½" x 41 ½" rectangle, centered on the panel.

#### From the Tossed Stars - Navy (B), cut:

- (2) 2" x 41 ½" WOF strips, piece as needed. (2) 2" x 36 ½" WOF strips.
- (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) 2" x 15" strips.
- (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) 2" x 18" strips.
- (5) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (4) 1 ½" x 43 ½" strips.
- (4) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (4) 1 ½" x 35 ½" strips.

#### From the Patriotic Phrases - Red (C), cut:

- (2) 3 ½" x 43 ½" Length of Fabric (LOF) strips.
- From the remaining fabric, cut (2) 3 ½" x 35 ½" WOF strips, piece as needed.

#### From the American Flag Packed - Red (D), cut:

- (3) 5 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 5 ½" x 43 ½" strips.
- (2) 5 ½" x 35 ½" strips.

#### From the Border Stripe - Silver (E), fussy cut:

- (2) 6 ½" x 43 ½" LOF strips, centered on a row of trucks
- (2) 6 ½" x 35 ½" LOF strips, centered on a row of trucks.

#### From the Monster Truck Blocks - Navy (F):

• Fussy cut (4) 15" squares, each centered on a truck.

#### From the Modern Melody Basics - Navy (G), cut:

• (8) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

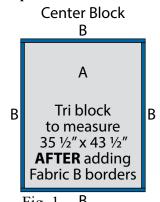
#### From the Tossed Allover Trucks - Silver (Backing), cut:

• (2) 75" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 75" x 83" back.

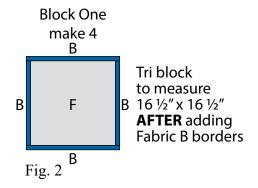
#### Block Assembly

Note: The arrows in figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components.

1. Sew (1) 2" x 41 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of the 33 ½" x 41 ½" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 2" x 36 1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel to make the Center Block (Fig. 1). **Trim the block** to measure 35 ½" x 43 ½".



2. Sew (1) 2" x 15" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 15" Fabric F square. Sew (1) 2" x 18" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric F square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 2). Trim the block to measure 16 ½" x 16 ½". Repeat to make (4) Block One squares total.



3. Sew together (1) 6 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric E strip, (1) 1 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric B strip, (1) 5 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric D strip, (1) 1 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric B strip and (1) 3 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric C strip, lengthwise and in that order from left to right, to make the Left Side Border (Fig. 3).

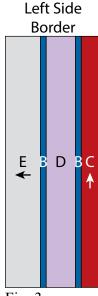
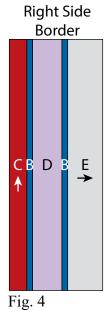


Fig. 3

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4. Sew together (1) 3 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric C strip, (1) 1 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric B strip, (1) 5 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric D strip, (1) 1 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric B strip and (1) 6 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric E strip, lengthwise and in that order from left to right, to make the Right Side Border (Fig. 4).



5. Sew together (1) 6 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric E strip, (1) 1 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric B strip, (1) 5 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric D strip, (1) 1 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric B strip and (1) 3 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric C strip, lengthwise and in that order from top to bottom. Sew (1) Block One square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Top Border (Fig. 5).

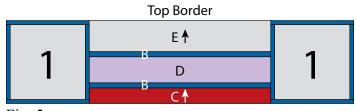
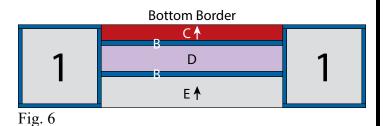


Fig. 5

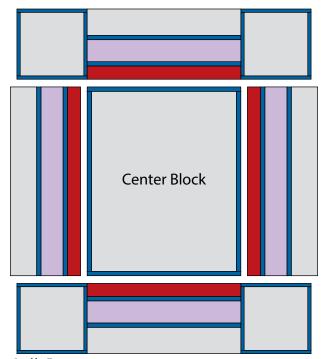
6. Sew together (1) 3 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric C strip, (1) 1 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric B strip, (1) 5 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric D strip (1) 1 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric B strip and (1) 6 ½" x 35 ½" Fabric E strip, lengthwise and in that order from top to bottom. Sew (1) Block One square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Bottom Border (Fig. 6).



**Quilt Top Assembly** 

(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)
7. Sew the Left Side Border and Right Side Border to the left and to the right of the Center Block. Sew the Top Border and Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

- 8. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 9. Sew the (8)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric G 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.
- 10. Bind as desired.



Quilt Layout

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