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Block Count & Size: 24 heart blocks and 15 Nine Patch blocks; all 6" x 6"

Fabric Requirements		Pastel	Brights	Cutting
Fabric A	5/8 yd lg patch hearts	2097-21	2097-24	(24) fussy cut pieces (6 in each color)
Fabric B	1/4 yd stripe	2098-21	2098-24	(2) 2-1/2" x width of fabric (wof) strip, recut into (33) 2-1/2" squares
Fabric C	1-1/2 yd patch hearts	2099-21	2099-24	(7) 6-1/2" x wof strips, sew together end-to-end, recut (2) 67-3/4" vertical borders and (2) horizontal 50-3/4" borders
Fabric D	1-1/4 yd tossed hearts	2100-50	2100-12	(4) 6-1/2" x wof strips, recut (24) 6-1/2" squares, (6) 2-1/2" x wof strips, recut (96) 2-1/2" squares
Fabric E	1/3 yd ombre stripe	2101-21	2101-24	(5) 2" x wof strips, sew together end to end, recut into (2) 37-1/2" and (2) 51-1/2" borders
Fabric F	1/4 yd tonal hearts	2102-27	2102-24	(1) 2-1/2" x wof strip, recut into (14) 2-1/2" squares, (1) 2-7/8" wof strip, recut into (6) 2-7/8" squares, cut again on diagonal once to make (12) triangles
Fabric G	1/4 yd tonal hearts	2101-83	2101-58	(3) 2-1/2" x wof strips; recut into (41) 2-1/2" squares
Fabric H	1/8 yd star burst	2103-27	2103-24	(1) 2-1/2" x wof strip, recut into (10) 2-1/2" squares
Fabric I	1/4 yd star burst	2103-42	2103-71	(3) 2-1/2" x wof strips, recut to (41) 2-1/2" squares, (1) 3-1/4" square, recut on diagonal twice to make (4) small triangles

Backing Fabric: 3 yd fabric E; cut a 71" length, then cut the remaining yd in half from top to bottom, approximately 21" x 36", and sew together at the short ends. Sew the two pieces together to complete the quilt backing.

Binding: 1/2 yd fabric E, cut (6) 2-1/4" strips, sew together end-to-end.

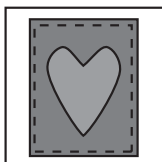
Fusible web for appliqué: Follow manufacturer's directions when using fusible web

Threads: Match colors to fabric A large patch hearts.

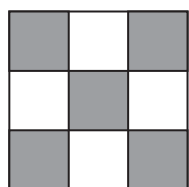
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Sewing

1. Center and fuse a fabric A heart patch onto a fabric D 6-1/2" tossed heart square. Topstitch the fabric A patch in place 1/4" from edge of patch using thread color to match the color of the patch. Make 24.



Heart Block

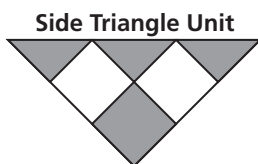


Nine Patch

2. Using 4 fabric D 2-1/2" squares and 5 contrasting print squares sew each of the Nine Patch blocks as follows:
 5 blocks using fabric B squares,
 2 blocks using 5 fabric F squares,
 3 blocks with fabric G squares,
 2 blocks with fabric H squares,
 3 blocks with Fabric I squares.

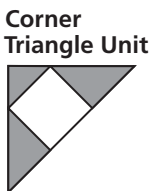
Make a total of 15 blocks.

3. Sew side setting triangle units using 2 fabric D squares combined with 4 matching squares. Make 16 units. Trim points, cutting 1/4" beyond seam line.



Side Triangle Unit

4. Sew corner triangles using 1 fabric D square and 3 fabric G/I squares. Trim G/I squares 1/4" beyond seam line. Make 2 G and 2 I corner units.

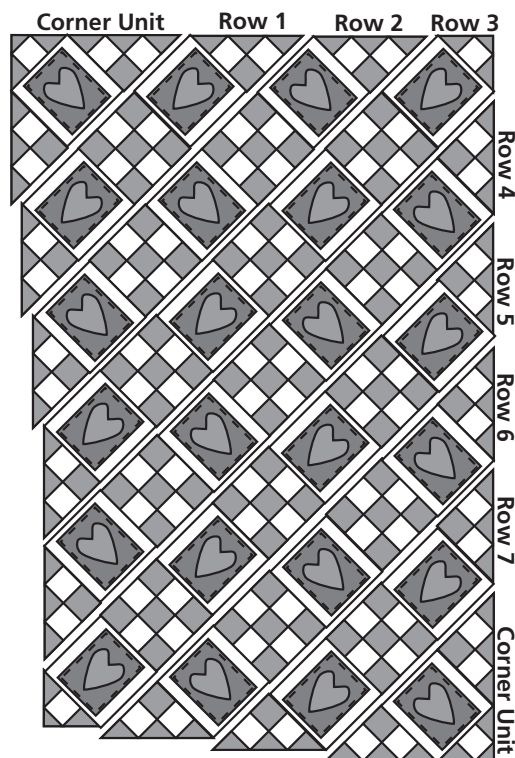


Corner Triangle Unit

Quilt Assembly

5. The quilt is sewn together in diagonal rows and two corner units. Refer to the diagram to sew the rows; then sew the rows together to complete the center section of the quilt. The side setting triangle units and the corner triangle units are used to square off the sides of the quilt.

6. Sew the vertical fabric E borders to opposite sides of the quilt. Sew the horizontal fabric E borders to the top and bottom of the quilt top.



7. Center and sew the 67-3/4" fabric C borders to opposite sides of the quilt with an equal amount of border fabric overlapping at each end. Center and sew the 50-3/4" fabric C borders to the top and bottom of the quilt with equal amounts of border overlapping at each end. Miter the corners and trim away excess fabric.

8. Layer the quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt the layers together

9. Fold the fabric E binding in half lengthwise and press the fold lines. Line up raw edges of binding with raw edges of quilt top. Sew in place. Turn the folded edge to the back of the quilt and sew in place.

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All accent pieces can be quilted or not as you choose.

Backpack

1. Body: Apply fusible web to fabric A. Fussy cut (4) fabric A pieces, one in each color. Cut (4) 6-1/2" fabric D squares. Center a fabric A heart and sew 1/4" from edge of patch. Cut (16) fabric D 2-1/2" squares. Cut (20) print 5-1/2" squares, five each from fabrics F, G, H and I. Sew the squares into four Nine-Patch blocks. Alternate the Heart blocks and Nine Patch blocks to make the backpack front and back (see cover). Cut (4) 2" x 12-1/2" fabric E strips and (4) 2" x 15-1/2" fabric E strips. Sew two short strips to each side of the backpack front and back and two long strips to the top and bottom of the backpack front and back. Sew the front and back pieces together at the bottom edge and on both the right and left sides to make a pocket leaving the top open. Turn right sides out and press.



front

back

2. Lining: Cut (1) fabric C 15-1/2" x 30-1/2" backpack fabric lining. Fold the lining in half to make a square and sew on both sides. Turn right sides out and press. Tuck the lining inside the backpack front and back. Turn a 1/4" seam allowance in from the top on both lining and backpack outside fabrics and top stitch in place. Add another row of topstitching along the seam where the fabric C strip meets the blocks to form a casing for the straps. Sew both ends of the backpack in the same manner. Using a tight zig-zag stitch, tack the top corners on each side securely together.

3. Straps: Cut (2) fabric E straps 2-1/2" x 24-1/2". Fold and stitch with right sides together lengthwise. Turn right sides out and press. Make 2. Slip one strap through the front casing and attach securely on the RIGHT side of the lining only, leaving the slit open between the body of the backpack and the top tacked together corner.

Take the opposite end of this strap and attach it to the bottom LEFT corner of the backpack. Repeat with the remaining strap, threading it through the back casing, attaching it at the upper LEFT corner and lower RIGHT corner. Pull the straps to gather the top of the backpack together and slide the straps over your shoulders.

CD-DVD Case

1. Fussy Cut (2) fabric A pieces and (2) fabric D 6-1/2" squares. Cut (2) fabric B 6-1/2" x 2" rectangle, then re-cut at an angle on each side from the top to the center bottom to make a triangle flap. Cut (1) fabric C 6-1/2" x 12-1/2" lining piece.



2. Fuse, then topstitch the two fussy cut fabric A hearts onto the 2 fabric D squares. Make 2 blocks. Sew the flap triangles to one end of the lining and to one side of one of the heart blocks. Sew the two Heart blocks together at the bottom, fold out and press. Place case outside and lining with right sides together and sew around three sides, including the triangle flap at the top and leaving the straight edge at the bottom open. Turn right sides out, turn in the raw edges and topstitch together. Fold the bag in half at the bottom and top stitch up each side. Fold flap over and add a Velcro dot fastener at point of triangle.

Cell Phone Case

Cut (2) fabric D and (2) fabric F 2-1/2" squares. Make 2 units using a D and F square in each unit. Sew units together, fabric F to fabric F. Fold open and press. Cut (2) Fabric C lining pieces 2-1/2" x 4-1/2". Line up patchwork units with lining pieces, wrong sides together. Cut (2) 2" x 2-1/2" fabric D strips. Using a double fold binding, finish each the short top side of front and back. Cut (1) fabric D binding strip 2" x 11" and sew around the front and back of the case to finish the outside edges. Turn binding in at top to hid raw ends. Cut a Fabric C 4" x 1-1/4" strip. Fold in half, sew along long side, turn right sides out and attach for hanging loop.

