Holiday Dash

Designed by Janice Ryan

Supplies Needed

Featuring Holiday Flourish by Peggy Toole

2-1/2 yds APTM-14560-274



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Shown in "Pine" colorway. See page 5 for other colorways.



Finished quilt measures 78" x 78"

1 Fat QuarterAPTM-14559-87 1 Fat Quarter APTM-14559-29 1 Fat Quarter APTM-14559-274 1 yd Kona Wine 7 1/4 yards backing Double-sized batting 5/8 yard for binding

Pattern Level: Experienced Intermediate

"I know the ropes and would like to test my skills!"

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Notes Before You Begin

- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!
- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.

Cutting Instructions

Panel

When more than one fabric is listed, cut EACH fabric the amount specified.

- Fussy cut 8 squares, trimming them to 10-1/2" each.

APTM-14559-87 & APTM 14553-87 (Cream background prints)

- Cut 8 strips 2-1/2" x 22" (or width of fat quarter), then subcut into 16 strips 2-1/2" x 10-1/2.
- Cut 2 strips 5" x 22", then subcut into 8 squares 5" x 5".

APTM-14559-274 & APTM-14559-29 (Green churndash frames)

- Cut 8 strips 2-1/2" x 22" (or width of fat quarter), then subcut into 16 strips 2-1/2" x 10-1/2.
- Cut 2 strips 5" x 22", then subcut into 8 squares 5" x 5".
- Cut 2 strips 1-1/2" x 22", then subcut into 8 strips 1-1/2" x 4-1/2".
- Cut 4 Squares 3" x 3".

APTM-14558-274 & APTM-14553-274 (Small center churndash blocks)

- Fussy cut 2 squares 4-1/2" x 4-1/2".

APTM-14555-274 (Background for small churndash blocks)

- Cut 4 strips 1-1/2" x 22", then subcut into 16 strips 1-1/2" x 4-1/2".
- Cut 8 squares 3" x 3".

Kona Wine (For sashing and interior border)

- Cut 13 strips 2-1/2" x WOF. Set 9 strips aside.
- From remaining strips, subcut 7 strips 2-1/2" x 18-1/2" and 2 strips 2-1/2" x 8-1/2".

APTM-14560-274 (Exterior borders)

- Cut 4 strips lengthwise 8-1/2 x 84".

Note: Fussycut each strip, so that you are cutting the stripe in the same place for all borders. Use the quilt diagram as a guide.

Assemble the Large Churn Dash Blocks

Step 1: Make the Half Square Triangles (HST)

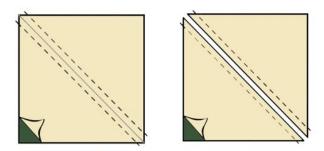
-Place a 5" green square and a 5" background square with right sides together.

-Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner and then sew a scant 1/4" from each side of the line.

-Cut apart along drawn line.

-You will now have 2 half square triangles.

-Trim to 4-1/2" x 4-1/2".



Note: Be sure to always match the same fabrics together. Use the quilt illustration as a guide.

Repeat steps above to make 32 HSTs.

Step 2

-Sew a green 2-1/2"x 10-1/2" strip to a back ground 2-1/2" x 10-1/2" strip along the long edge.

-Repeat to create 32 strip sets.

Note: Pair the same fabrics that you paired up in Step 1.

Step 3

-Sew 2 HSTs to a strip set, as pictured.

-Repeat to make 16 HST/strip sets.



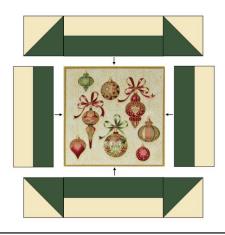


Step 4

-Sew a strip set to each side of a panel square.

-Sew a HST/strip set to top and bottom of panel square.

-Repeat to make 8 Churn Dash Blocks.



Assemble the Small Churn Dash Blocks

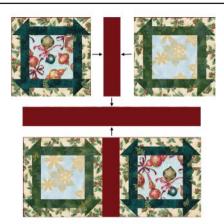
Using 4-1/2" center block squares, 1-1/2" x 4-1/2" strips and 3" squares, follow steps 1-3 to create 4 small churn dash blocks.

Assemble Quilt Top

Step 1: Assemble the Center Block

-Sew two small churn dash blocks and sashing together and repeat for other two small churn dash blocks.

-Sew together with sashing in between.







-Sew blocks into rows with sashing between blocks.

-Sew rows together with sashing in between.





Step 3: Sew Interior Borders

-Sew interior borders to sides and then to top and bottom of quilt top.

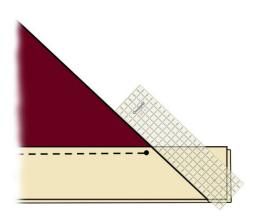
Attach & Miter The Outer Borders

Step 1

-Find center of Outer Border and pin right sides together to top of quilt.

-Sew border starting and stopping 1/4" from each end of quilt top.

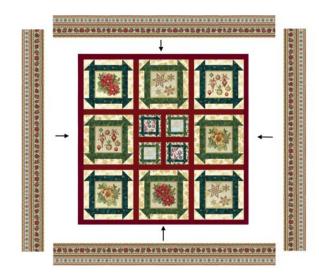
-Repeat for three other sides.

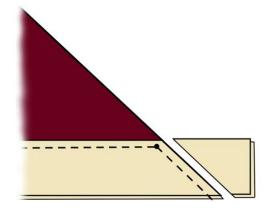


Step 2

-Fold the quilt in half diagonally, right sides together and align two of the borders directly on top of each other.

-Use your ruler to draw a line from the corner of the quilt to the edge of the border.



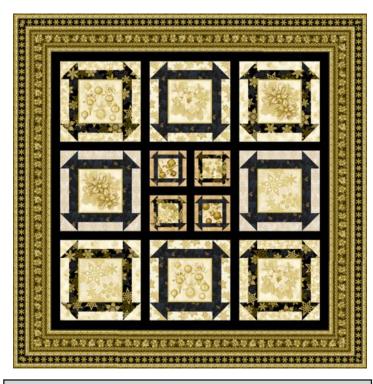


Step 3

-Trim off excess border along line and sew 1/4" in from the edge. Begin at the point where your border stitching had ended and sew to the edge of the border.

Your quilt top is complete! Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy.

Holiday Dash: Alternate Colorstories



"Antique" Colorstory

Fat Quarter Bundle FQ-772-15 (includes panel)
 2-1/2 yds APTM-14560-199 for Borders
 yd Kona Black for sashing
 fat quarter APTM-14553-199
 fat quarter APTM-14559-2
 1/4 yards backing
 Double-sized batting
 5/8 yard for binding



"Silver" Colorstory

Fat Quarter Bundle FQ-773-15 (include panel)
 2-1/2 yards APTM-14560-186 for Borders
 yard Kona Black for Sashing
 1/4 yards backing
 Double-sized batting
 5/8 yard for binding



"Holiday" Colorstory

Fat Quarter Bundle FQ-774-21 (includes panel) 2-1/2 yards APTM-14560-223 for Borders APTM-14553-224: 1/4 yard (1/2 yard total) APTM-14553-223: 1/4 yard (1/2 yard total) 1 yard Kona Champagne for Sashing 7 1/4 yards backing Double-sized batting 5/8 yard for binding