

# THREAD TAILS & VAPOR TRAILS

## Naval Aviation Quilt

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Quilt made by Pat Alderman.

Fabrics by Thread Tails and Vapor Trails sponsor Robert Kaufman Fabrics



### Skill Level

Beginner

All piecing uses an accurate scant 1/4" seam allowance.

Finished quilt: 41 1/2" wide x 53 1/2" tall

Finished blocks: 6"

### Yardage

1/2 yard Kaufman Patriot ETK-11007-9 Navy (small squares of blueprint fabric)

3/4 yard Kaufman Patriot ETK-11006-63 Sky (large squares with plane illustrations)

1 yard Kaufman Patriot ETK-11005-3 Red (sashing and binding)

1/4 yard Kaufman Artisan Batiks AMD-7000 5 Yellow (small border)

1 1/4 yard Kaufman Patriot ETK-11010-9 Navy (outer border)

2 yards Kaufman Patriot ETK-11012-63 Sky (backing and sleeve)

### Cutting Directions

Large squares: Cut three 6 1/2" strips x width of fabric (wof). Cut these into seventeen 6 1/2" squares.

Small Squares: two 4 1/2" strips x wof. Cut these into eighteen 4 1/2" squares.

Top and bottom sashings: Cut four 1 1/2" strips x wof. Cut these into thirty six 4 1/2" x 1 1/2" rectangles.

Side sashings: Cut four 1 1/2" strips x wof. Cut these into thirty six 6 1/2" x 1 1/2" rectangles.

Yellow side borders: Cut two 1" x 42 1/2" strips.

Yellow top and bottom border: Cut two 1" x 31 1/2" strips.

Side outer borders: Cut two 5 1/2" x 43 1/2" rectangles.

Top and bottom outer borders: Cut two 5 1/2" x 41 1/2" rectangles.

Batting and backing: 45" x 60"

Binding: 200" x desired width.

Sleeve and label



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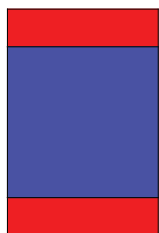


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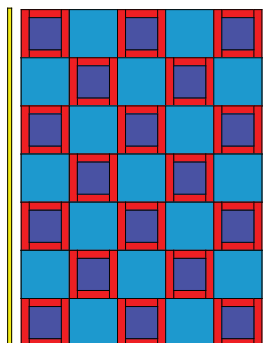


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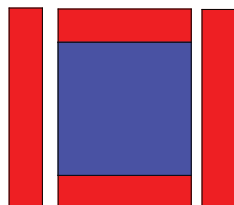
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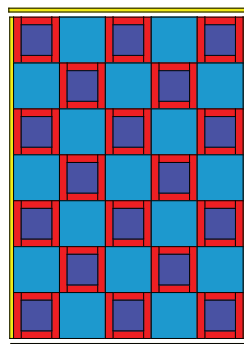
Sew the two 4 1/2" sashing strips to the top and bottom of the small blue print fabric squares.



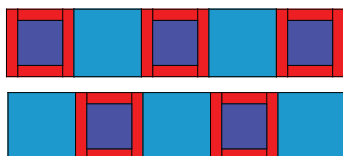
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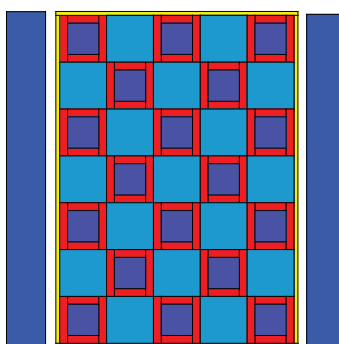
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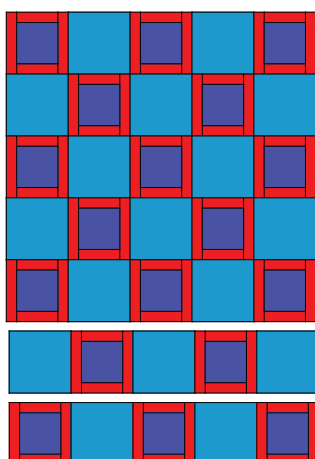
Add the top and bottom yellow border.



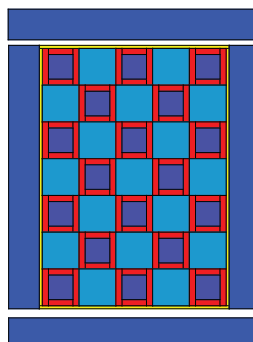
Alternate the sashed blocks with the airplane blocks to create rows.



Add the side outer borders.



Sew rows together.



Add the top and bottom outer borders.

Cut binding the width you prefer (we use 2 1/4") and piece end to end (using diagonal seams). Bind, add sleeve and label if desired.



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