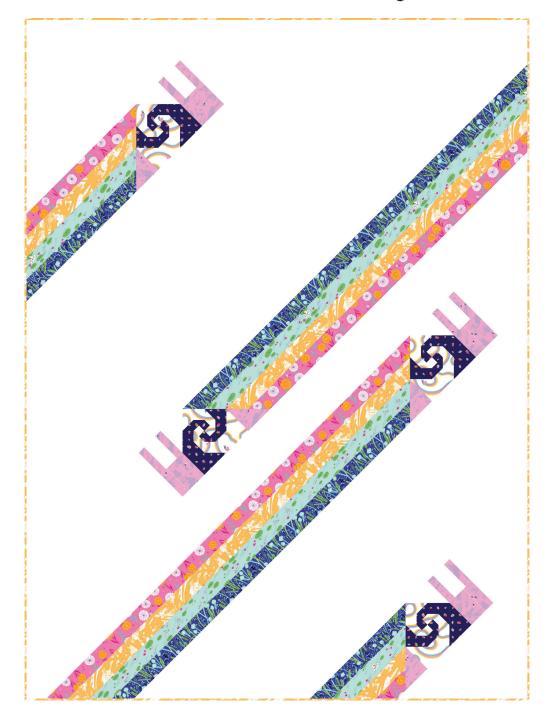
HAPPY TRAILS

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Finished quilt measures: 65" x 88"

Difficulty Rating: **Advanced**



Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	Α	K001-1387 WHITE	5-3/8 yards		F	AILD-20165-70 AQUA	1/2 yard
	В	AILD-20164-287 SWEET	1/3 yard		G	AILD-20169-130 SUNSHINE	1/2 yard
	С	AILD-20168-9 NAVY	1/3 yard	**	Н	AILD-20163-351 CANDY PINK	1/2 yard
	D	AILD-20169-262 BUBBLE GUM	1/4 yard		Binding*	AILD-20169-130 SUNSHINE *Also used for Fabric G	5/8 yard
	E	AILD-20166-71 LAGOON	1/2 yard			will also need: ards for backing	
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Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

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Cutting Instructions

From Fabric A, cut:

From a 106" length of fabric, cut:

one 24-1/2" x 106" piece for Background Section 3

one 16-1/2" x 74-5/8" piece for Background Section 7

one 19" x WOF strip. Trim to 19" x 42" for Background Section 1

one 13-1/2" x WOF strip. Trim to 13-1/2" x 27-1/2" for Background Section 9

three 8-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

one 8-1/2" x 22" piece for Background Section 2

one 8-1/2" x 16-3/4" piece for Background Section 8

one 8-1/2" x 29-1/2" piece for Background Section 4

one 8-1/2" x 14-1/2" piece for Background Section 6

three 6–1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then trim to:

one 6-1/2" x 107" for Background Section 5

one 4–7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

two 4–7/8" squares. Cut each square in half along one diagonal.

Trim the remainder of the strip to 4-1/2" wide, then subcut:

four 4-1/2" x 2-1/2" rectangles

From each of Fabrics B and C, cut:

one 4–7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

two 4–7/8" squares. Cut each square in half along one diagonal.

Trim the remainder of the strip to 4" wide, then subcut:

four 4" squares. Cut each square in half along one diagonal for Piece 3 of Template 1

Trim the remainder of the strip to 3" wide, then subcut:

four 3" squares. Cut each square in half along one diagonal for Piece 2 of Template 1

one 2-3/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 2-3/4" squares. Cut each square in half along one diagonal for Piece 1 of Template 1

Trim the remainder of the strip to 1-1/2" wide, then subcut:

eight 1-1/2" squares

From Fabric D, cut:

one 4–1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eight 4-1/2" squares

one 1–1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eight 1-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles

From each of Fabrics E-H, cut:

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 3" x 5" rectangles for Piece 4 and 5 of Template 2 and Template 3

five 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips of the same fabric together, end-to-end, to form one long strip, then subcut:

one 22-1/2" long strip for Snail A

one 57" long strip for Snail B

one 62-1/2" long strip for Snail C

one 11-1/2" long strip for Snail D

Assemble the Snails

Step 1: Gather:

two Fabric B squares two Fabric C squares

Arrange the squares into two rows of two. Note the fabric placement in the Block Assembly Diagram.



Step 2: Sew the squares together to form the rows. Press the seams in opposite directions every other row.

Step 3: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block center, which should measure 2-1/2" square.

Step 4: The next portion of the block is constructed using paper piecing, using the Step 3 unit as the center square. Sew the Template 1 pieces in the order indicated on the template (Piece 1, Piece 2 and Piece 3). Take special note of the fabric placement in the diagram. Trim seam allowances to 1/4" as each new piece is added.



Step 5: Sew the Template 2 and 3 pieces in the order indicated on the template (Piece 3 and Piece 4). Take special note of the fabric placement in the diagram. Trim to the edge of the template. Repeat to make three of Template 2 and one of Template 3, in the fabrics combinations shown here.



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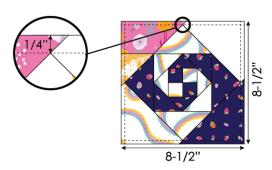


Make one.



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Step 6: Taking note of the fabric placement and block orientation, sew one 4-7/8" Fabric A triangle and one one 4-7/8" Fabric B triangle to opposite sides of the Step 4 unit. Press seam allowances toward the triangles. Sew one 4-7/8" Fabric C triangle and one Fabric H/G triangle from Template 2 to the remaining opposite sides of the Step 4 unit. Press seam allowances toward the triangles. Trim the unit to 8-1/2" square, be sure to leave 1/4" of seam allowance outside the four seam intersections, as shown.



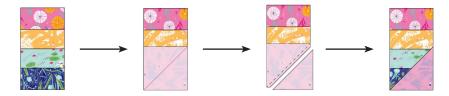
Step 7: Repeat Step 6 to make the following units.



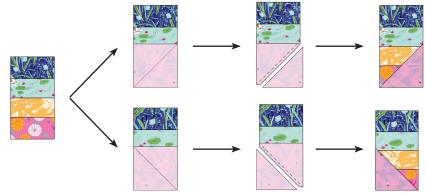
Step 8: Sew a 1-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric D rectangle to opposite edges of a 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric A rectangle. Press. Sew this unit to one edge of a Fabric D square, noting the orientation of the pieced unit. Press. Repeat to make four Snail Block Head units like this, each measuring 4-1/2" x 8-1/2".



Step 9: Sew one 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangle from Fabrics E, F, G and H together, as shown. Press. Repeat to make four units like this. With the Fabric H piece at top, place a 4-1/2" Fabric D square right sides together with the unit, aligning the bottom, left and right edges. Mark a diagonal as shown, noting the orientation, and sew along the marked line. Trim the excess fabric, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance and press. Repeat to make two units like this.

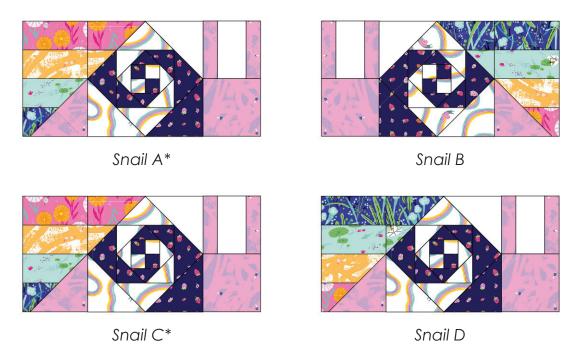


Step 10: Repeat Step 9, this time placing the pieced unit with Fabric E at the top, to make one unit in each orientation.



The four Snail Block Tail units should measure 4-1/2" x 8-1/2".

Step 11: Gather and sew together one Head, Body and Tail unit to form each Snail Block. The Blocks should measure 8-1/2" x 16-1/2". Note the fabric placements in each of the blocks in the diagram.



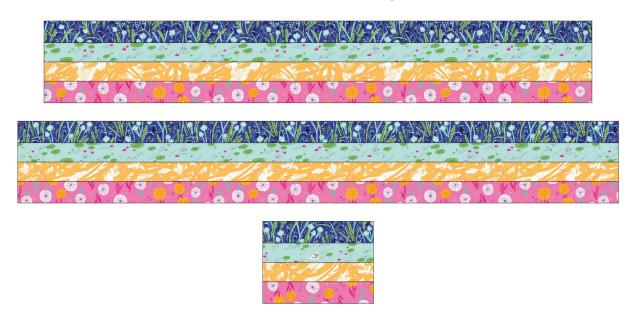
*Note: Snails A and C are identical.

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Step 12: Sew the 22-1/2" Fabric E-H strips together in the order shown. Press. The unit should measure 8-1/2" x 22-1/2.

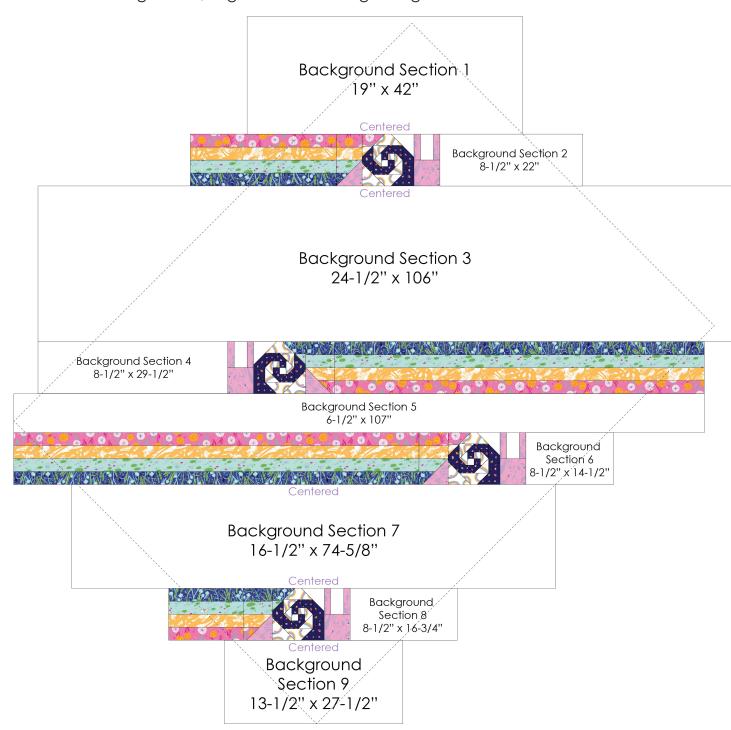


Step 13: Repeat Step 12 to make Snail Trail units with lengths of 57", 62-1/2" and 11-1/2".



Assemble the Quilt

- **Step 14:** Sew the Snail rows together as shown, placing the Snail Blocks between their respective Trails and Background strips. Press. Make four Snail Rows.
- **Step 15:** Sew the Snail Rows and Background pieces together, folding and finger pressing the center of each length for matching and sewing where the seams are labeled "Centered". For the remaining seams, align at the left or right edges as shown.



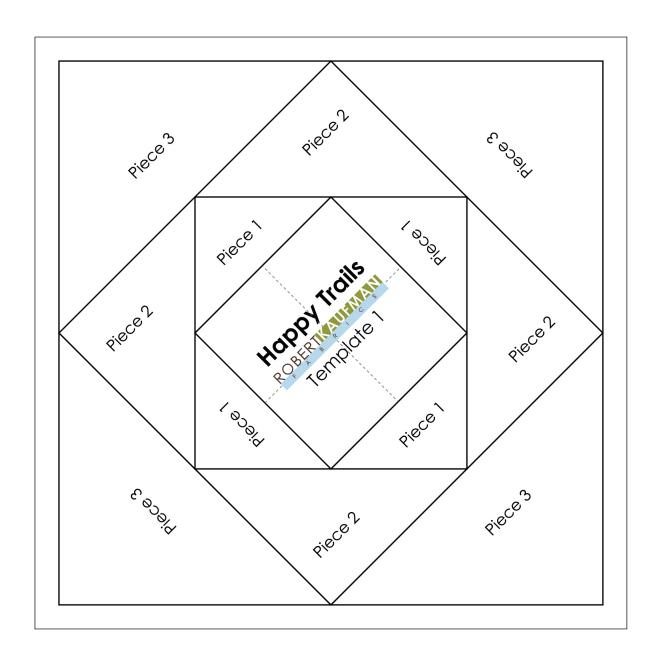
Step 16: Trim the guilt to 65" x 88". Your guilt top is complete! Baste, guilt, bind and enjoy!

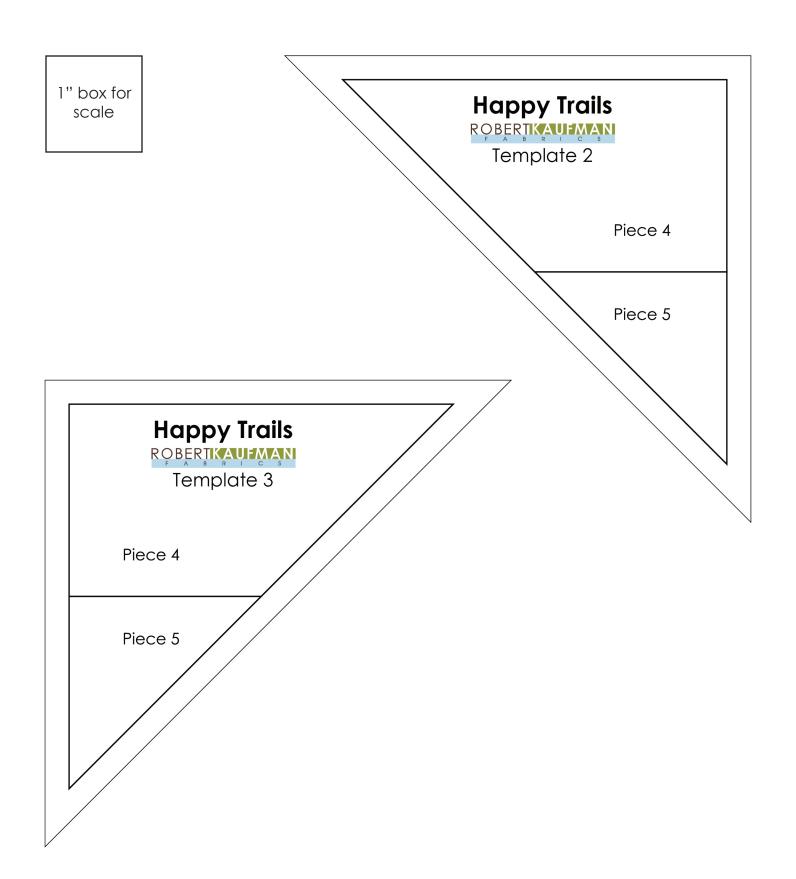
Templates

Print at 100%.

Check size printed correctly using 1" box for scale prior to cutting fabric.

1" box for scale





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