## ROYALS STARS

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Finished quilt measures: $49^{\prime \prime} \times 58-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
Difficulty Rating: Advanced

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Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.


## 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!


## Cutting Instructions

## From Fabric A, cut:

nine 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:
one hundred twenty 3 " squares for the large HSTs
nine 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
one hundred thirty $2-1 / 2$ " squares
twenty-two 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
one hundred twenty 2 " squares for the small HSTs
twenty-four $2^{\prime \prime} \times 8-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ block sashing strips
Sew the remaining eleven strips together, end-to-end, then trim to make:
five $2^{\prime \prime} \times 46-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ row sashing strips
two 2" x 49-1/2" top/bottom outer borders
two 2 " $\times 56$ " side outer borders
five $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut:
one hundred twenty 1-1/2" squares
From each of Fabrics $B$ and $C$, cut:
two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:
twenty-four 3" squares for the large HSTs

## From Fabric D, cut:

three 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:
thirty-two 3" squares for the large HSTs
From each of Fabrics E and F, cut:
two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:
twenty 3 " squares for the large HSTs
From each of Fabrics $\mathbf{G}$ and H , cut:
one 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
six 2-1/2" squares
two 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
twenty-four 2" squares for the small HSTs
From Fabric I, cut:
one 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
eight 2-1/2" squares
two 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
thirty-two 2" squares for the small HSTs
From each of Fabrics $J$ and $K$, cut:
one 2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
twenty 2 " squares for the small HSTs
From the Binding Fabric, cut:
seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Assemble the Large Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

Step 1: Pair a 3" Fabric A square with a 3" Fabric B square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to $2-1 / 2$ " square. Repeat to make forty-eight A/B HSTs.

Step 2: Repeat Step 1 with the remaining 3" squares to make:

forty-eight A/C HSTs

sixty-four A/D HSTs

forty A/E HSTs

forty A/F HSTs

## Assemble the Small Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

Step 3: Pair a 2" Fabric A square with a 2" Fabric G square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew $1 / 4$ " away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to 1-1/2" square. Repeat to make forty-eight A/G HSTs.

Step 4: Repeat Step 3 with the remaining 2" squares to make:

forty-eight A/H HSTs

sixty-four A/I HSTs

forty A/J HSTs

forty A/K HSTs

Assemble the Blocks


Step 5: Gather:
one 2-1/2" Fabric G square eight A/G small HSTs
four 1-1/2" Fabric A squares

Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

Step 6: Sew the HSTs together to form pairs. Press the seams open.
Step 7: Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams away from the HST pairs.
Step 8: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block center, which should measure 4-1/2" square.



Step 9: Gather:
the complete block center from Step 8
four 2-1/2" Fabric A squares
eight $A / B$ large HSTs
Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

Step 10: Sew the HSTs together to form pairs. Press the seams open.
Step 11: Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams away from the HST units.

Step 12: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block center.

The resulting block will measure 8-1/2" square. Repeat Steps 5-12 to make a total of twenty-four blocks, referring to the Quilt Assembly Diagram for fabric placement.


## Assemble the Quilt

Step 13: Arrange the Blocks together as indicated in the Quilt Assembly Diagram. Sew each row together, using sashing strips between each block. Press seams toward the sashing. Repeat to make six block rows.

Step 14: Sew the row sashing strips and block rows together. Press seams open or to the sashing.

Step 15: Sew the side inner borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom inner borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

Step 16: Sew the side outer borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom outer borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.


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

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