# **SEA STARS**

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Featuring

KONA® cotton solids



Finished quilt measures: 72" x 82"

Difficulty Rating: Beginner



## Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/\$KU	Yardage
	A	K001-1513 SKY	3-1/2 yards		Н	K001-848 BLUEPRINT	1/3 yard
	В	K001-455 RIVIERA	1/3 yard		ı	K001-497 NIAGARA	1/2 yard
	С	K001-1084 COPEN	1/3 yard		J	K001-494 MALIBU	3/4 yard
	D	K001-866 WATERFALL	1/3 yard		K	K001-25 OCEAN	1/3 yard
	E	K001-1101 DELFT	1/3 yard		L	K001-90 PACIFIC	3/4 yard
	F	K001-864 PARIS BLUE	1/3 yard		Binding	K001-194 LAKE	5/8 yard
	G	K001-1218 MARINE	1/3 yard		V		
	020, Robert Kaufma use only - Not for res		You will also need: 5 yards for backing				

## 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:

seven 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut: eighty-four 3-1/2" squares for the HSTs

six 3" x WOF strips. Subcut: eighty-four 3" squares

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

two 2-1/2" x 70-1/2" side inner borders

two 2-1/2" x 64-1/2" top/bottom inner borders

From the remaining strips, subcut:

eighty-four 2-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles

eighty-four 2-1/2" squares

#### From each of Fabrics B-H, cut:

one 5-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut: three 5-1/2" squares

one 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

twelve 3-1/2" squares for the HSTs

#### From Fabric I, cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then set aside for the top outer border.

two 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut: twenty-one 2-1/2" squares

#### From Fabric J, cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then set aside for the right outer border.

six 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut: eighty-four 2-1/2" squares

#### From Fabric K, cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then set aside for the bottom outer border.

#### From Fabric L. cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then set aside for the left outer border.

six 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut: eighty-four 2-1/2" squares

#### From the Binding Fabric, cut:

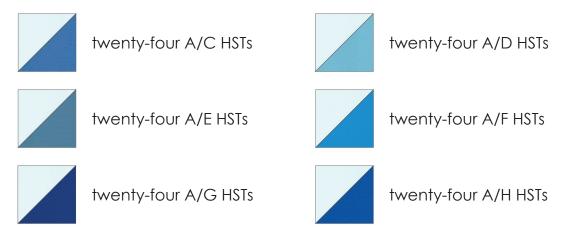
eight 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Assemble the Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

**Step 1:** Pair a 3-1/2" Fabric A square with a 3-1/2" Fabric B 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 3" square. Repeat to make twenty-four A/B HSTs.



**Step 2:** Repeat Step 1 to make:



**Step 3:** Sew a pair of matching HSTs together, as shown. Press. Repeat to make twelve pairs from each of Fabrics B-H.



## Assemble the A Blocks



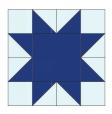
**Step 4:** Gather: four 3" Fabric A squares four A/B HST pairs one 5-1/2" Fabric B square

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

Step 5: Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams away from the HST pairs.

**Step 6:** Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block.

The resulting A Block should measure 10-1/2" square. Repeat to make three A Blocks from each of Fabrics B-H.



#### Assemble the B Blocks



**Step 7:** Gather:

one Fabric I square four Fabric J squares four Fabric A squares

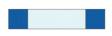
Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

**Step 8:** Sew the squares together to form the rows. Press the seams away from Fabric A.

**Step 9:** Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block center.

## **Step 10:** Gather:

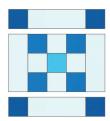
four Fabric L squares four Fabric A rectangles



Sew a Fabric L square to opposite ends of two Fabric A rectangles. Press toward the rectangle.



**Step 11:** Sew two Fabric A rectangles to the left and right edges of the Step 9 unit. Press toward the rectangles.

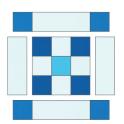


**Step 12:** Sew two Step 10 units to the top and bottom edge to form the block. Press.

The resulting B Block should measure 10-1/2" square. Repeat to make twelve B Blocks.



## Assemble the C Blocks



**Step 13:** Gather: one Fabric I square four Fabric L squares four Fabric A squares

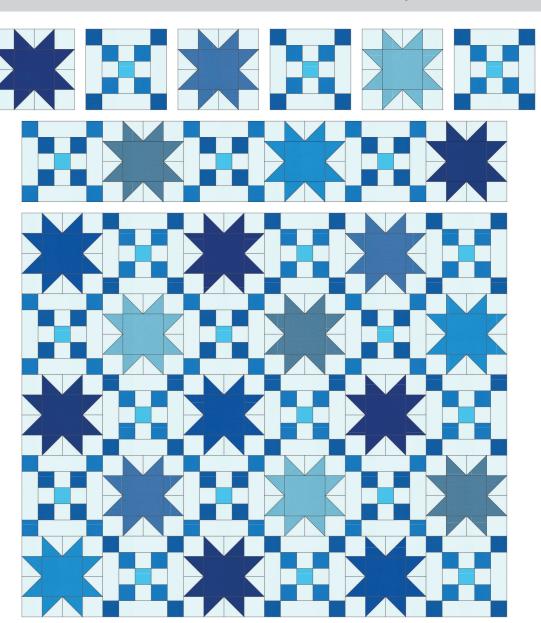
**Step 14:** Repeat the process in Steps 7-9 to make the C Block center.

**Step 15:** Gather: four Fabric J squares four Fabric A rectangles





## Assemble the Quilt



Step 17: Arrange the blocks into seven rows of six blocks. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Quilt Assembly Diagram. The B Blocks are used in Rows 1, 3, 5 and 7, while the C Blocks are used in Rows 2, 4 and 6.

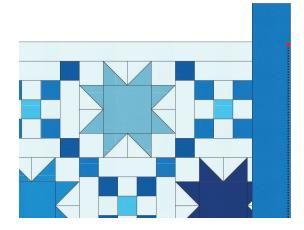
Step 18: Sew the blocks together to form rows. Press the rows to the left in the odd numbered rows and to the right in the even numbered rows.

Step 19: Sew the rows together to form the quilt center. Press the row seams open.

## Add the Borders

**Step 20:** 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.

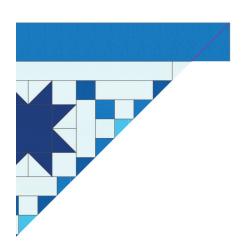
**Step 21:** Center and pin one side outer border to the quilt top. Sew the border, starting and stopping 1/4" from each end of the quilt top.



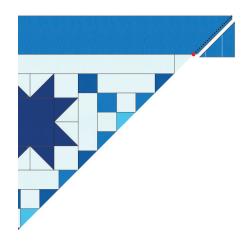
Repeat with the remaining side outer border. Repeat with the top and bottom borders. Note: borders will extend beyond the quilt's edge.

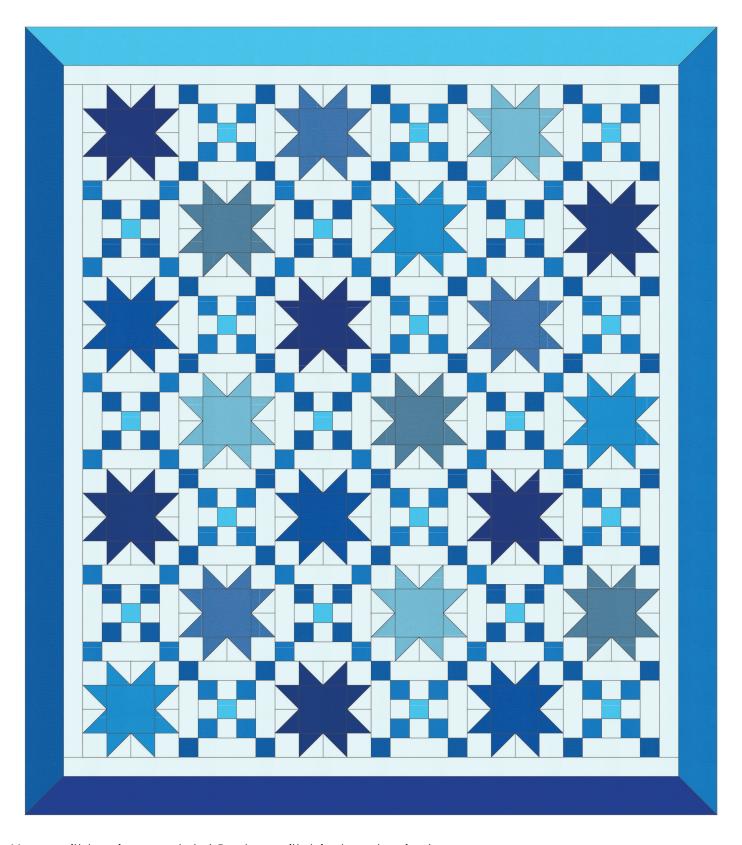
**Step 22:** Fold the quilt diagonally, right sides together and align two of the borders directly on top of each other.

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



**Step 23:** Sew along this marked line, beginning at the point where your border stitching had ended and sew to the edge of the border. Check to be sure the mitered border presses flat from the front, then trim 1/4" away from the marked line, removing the excess border length.





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

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