## UNDER THE SEA

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## Featuring <br> KONAcotton solids



Finished quilt measures: 56 " x 76"

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42 " wide.
Color Fabric Name/SKU Yardage Color Fabric Name/SKU Yardage


## 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:

one 7" x WOF strip. Subcut:
four 7" squares for the large HSTs
ten 5" x WOF strips. Subcut:
seventy-three 5" squares for the medium HSTs
ten 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
twelve 4-1/2" $\times 8-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles
four 4-1/2" $\times 6-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles
one 4-1/2" x 12-1/2" rectangle
one $4-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 16-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle
four $4-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 2-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles
forty-four 4-1/2" squares
two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:
eighteen $3^{\prime \prime}$ squares for the small HSTs
From Fabric B, cut:
five 5" x WOF strips. Subcut:
thirty-five 5" squares for the medium HSTs

## From Fabric C, cut:

six 5" x WOF strips. Subcut:
forty-eight 5" squares for the medium HSTs
From Fabric D, cut:
one 7" x WOF strip. Subcut:
one 7" square for the large HSTs
one 5" x WOF strip. Subcut:
five 5" squares for the medium HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to 3 " x WOF and subcut:
four 3 " squares for the small HSTs

## From Fabric E, cut:

one 7" x WOF strips. Subcut:
one 7" square for the large HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to 5 " x WOF and subcut:
three 5" squares for the medium HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to $3^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF and subcut: one 3" square for the small HSTs

## From Fabric F, cut:

one 5" x WOF strip. Subcut:
three 5" squares for the medium HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to 3 " x WOF and subcut:
three 3 " squares for the small HSTs
From Fabric G, cut:
one 5" x WOF strip. Subcut:
three 5" squares for the medium HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to $3^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF and subcut:
two 3" squares for the small HSTs

## From Fabric H, cut:

one 7" x WOF strips. Subcut:
one 7" square for the large HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to 3 " x WOF and subcut: one 3 " square for the small HSTs

## From Fabric I, cut:

one 7" x WOF strips. Subcut:
one 7" square for the large HSTs
Trim the remainder of the strip to 3 " x WOF and subcut:
two 3 " squares for the small HSTs

From Fabric J, cut:
one 3 " x WOF strip. Subcut:
one 3 " square for the small HSTs
From Fabric K, cut:
one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:
two 3" squares for the small HSTs
From Fabric L, cut:
one $3^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut: one 3 " square for the small HSTs

From Fabric $M$, cut:
one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:
one 3 " square for the small HSTs

From the Binding Fabric, cut:
seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Assemble the Half-Square Trianges (HSTs)

## Medium Sized HSTs:

Step 1: Pair a 5 " Fabric A square with a 5 " 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 4-1/2" square. Repeat to make forty-
 eight A/B HSTs.

Step 2: Repeat Step 1 with 5" Fabric A and C squares to make seventy-one A/C HSTs. (one HST will be left over)


Step 3: Repeat Step 1 with 5" Fabric B and C squares to make twenty-one B/C HSTs. (one HST will be left over)


Step 4: Repeat Step 1 with 5 " squares to make:

eight A/D HSTs

three A/G HST

five A/E HST (one will be left over)

one D/C HST (one will be left over)

Trim all medium HSTs to 4-1/2" square.

## Large Sized HSTs:

Step 5: Repeat Step 1 with 7" squares to make:

two A/E HSTs

one A/H HST (one will be left over)

two A/D HSTs.

one A/I HST
(one will be left over)

Trim all large HSTs to 6-1/2" square.

## Small Sized HSTs:

Step 6: Repeat Step 1 with 3" squares to make:

one A/H HST
(one will be left over)

four A/I HST

two A/E HSTs

eight A/D HSTs

six A/F HSTs

three A/G HSTs (one will be left over) (one will be left over)

one A/M HST
(one will be left over) (one will be left over)

Trim all small HSTs to 2-1/2" square.

## Assemble the Quilt Top

Step 7: Arrange the small HSTs to form the five small fish shapes. Sew together in two rows of three, pressing the seams open. The small fish blocks will measure $4-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 6-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.


Step 8: Arrange the medium HSTs to form the three medium fish shapes and one medium partial fish. Sew each fish together in two rows, pressing the seams open. The medium fish blocks will measure 8-1/2" x 12-1/2" unfinished, and the partial fish block will measure 8-1/2" square.


Step 9: Arrange the large HSTs to form the one large fish shape. Sew the fish together in two rows, pressing the seams open. The large fish block will measure $12-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 18-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.



Step 10: Gather and arrange the sections of the quilt to complete the quilt top in rows. Note that in some instances, the section is several complete rows sewn together and in others, small sections of rows are sewn together before being sewn to the left or right edges of a fish shape. Press the block seams in the direction indicated so that the rows/sections nest when sewn together.

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

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