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Twin Quilt 61-5/8" x 77-1/4"

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Please read all instructions carefully AND identify all fabrics before beginning.

All instructions include a 1/4" seam allowance and strips are cut selvage to selvage, unless stated otherwise.

## 1. Cut the following:


**Fabric A** - Referring to the quilt image, fussy cut strips, the length of fabric parallel to selvage: (2) 6-3/4" x 82" and (2) 6-3/4" x 66" snowman stripe borders. Reserve remaining yardage for cutting with templates.

**Fabric B** - Cut (1) 8-5/8" strip, subcut (2) 8-5/8" squares [then cut in half diagonally for 4  triangles] cut remainder into (2) 4-1/8" strips, subcut (9) 4-1/8" squares

Cut (2) 4-1/8" strips, subcut (20) 4-1/8" squares then cut all 4-1/8" squares in half  diagonally for a total of 58 triangles

Cut (3) 3" strips

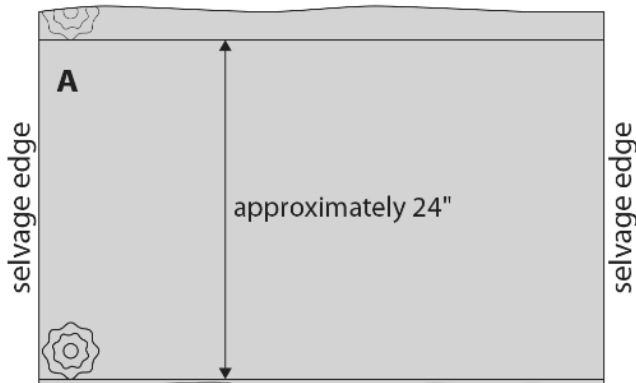
Cut (6) 1-3/4" strips, sewn together end to end and cut into (2) 1-3/4" x 62-3/4" and (2) 1-3/4" x 49-5/8" borders

**Fabric C** - Cut (2) 4-1/8" strips, subcut (12) 4-1/8" squares then cut in half  diagonally for a total of 24 triangles

**Fabric D** - Cut (8) 2-1/2" strips (binding)

## 2. Piecing Order:

1. Trim 1 raw edge from remaining **Fabric A** yardage. Measure along the selvage edge about 24" to the print repeat and cut the repeat strip. In the same manner, cut 7 more identical 24" strips, for a total of 8 identical strips.



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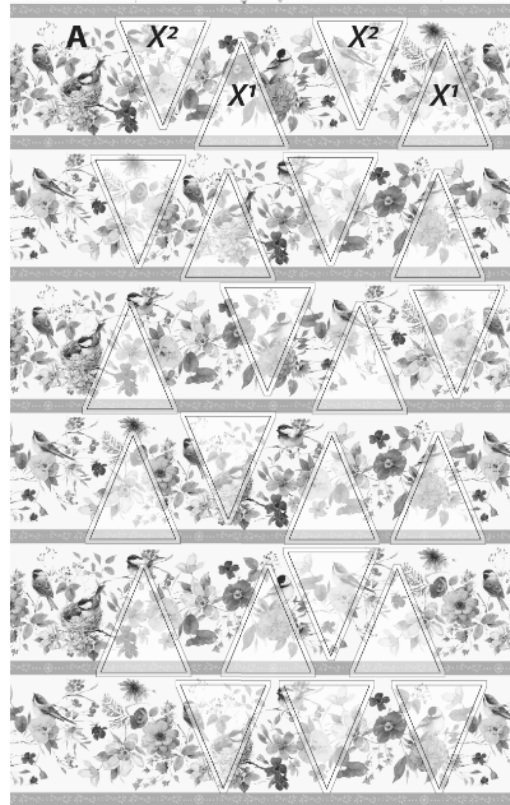
Stripes and print indicate orientation of directional prints.

Letters in italics indicate template name.

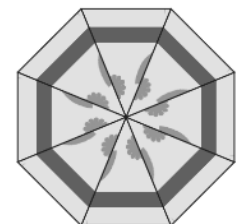
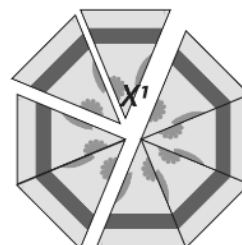
2. Stack the 8 identical 24" **Fabric A** strips right sides up on top of each other. From this stack, use **Template X** to cut the following as illustrated below:

\*12 **X<sup>1</sup>** stacks with flat bottom of template covering the dark, narrow stripe and overlapping the next large stripe by 1/4".

\*11 **X<sup>2</sup>** stacks with flat bottom in the area of the large stripe, with the point near the bottom of large stripe

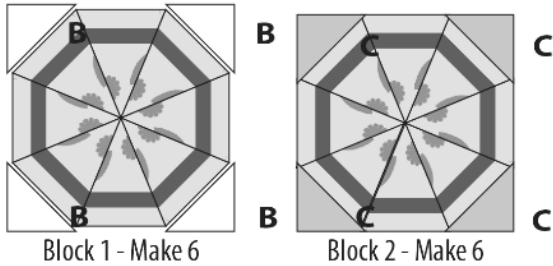


3. Arrange 8 identical **X<sup>1</sup>** pieces from 1 stack as shown. Sew triangles into sets of 2. Press all seams in the same direction. Sew into 2 sets of 4. Sew sets of 4 together. Make a total of 12 block centers.

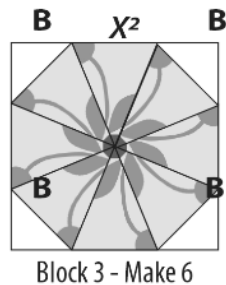


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4. Stitch 4 **Fabric B** 4-1/8" triangles to angled edges of a Block Center as shown. Make a total of 6 **Block 1** (11-1/2" square unfinished). In the same manner, make 6 **Block 2** with **Fabric C** 4-1/8" triangles added to **Block Centers**.



5. Referring to Steps 3 and 4, sew 8 identical  $X^2$  pieces from 1 stack together as shown. Add 4 **Fabric B** 4-1/8" triangles to make 6 **Block 3** (11-1/2" square unfinished).

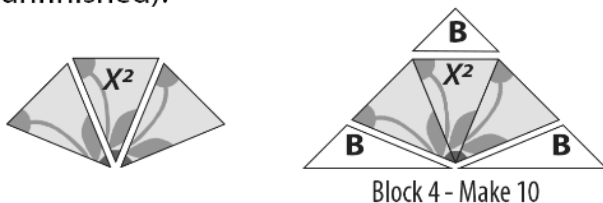


6. From the 3 **Fabric B** 3" strips, cut 10 triangles with **Template Y** and 10 triangles with **Template Z**.



7. From 1  $X^2$  stack, select 2 sets of 3  $X^2$  pieces. Repeat for a total of 10 sets of 3  $X^2$  pieces. There will be 2  $X^2$  pieces left over from each stack. They can be discarded or used to make another project.

8. Sew 3 identical **Fabric B**  $X^2$  pieces together. Add a **Fabric B** 4-1/8" triangle and 1 each **Fabric B** Y and Z triangles as shown. Make a total of 10 **Block 4** (11-7/8" x 11-7/8" x 16-3/4" unfinished).

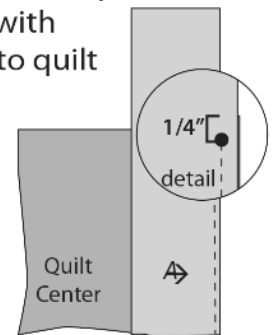


9. Refer to Quilt Layout (Page 3) for arrangement and placement of blocks, **Fabric B** 8-5/8" triangles, and borders.

10. Arrange blocks and **Fabric B** 8-5/8" triangles in 8 diagonal rows. Stitch into diagonal rows. Sew rows together completing quilt center (47-1/8" x 62-3/4" unfinished).

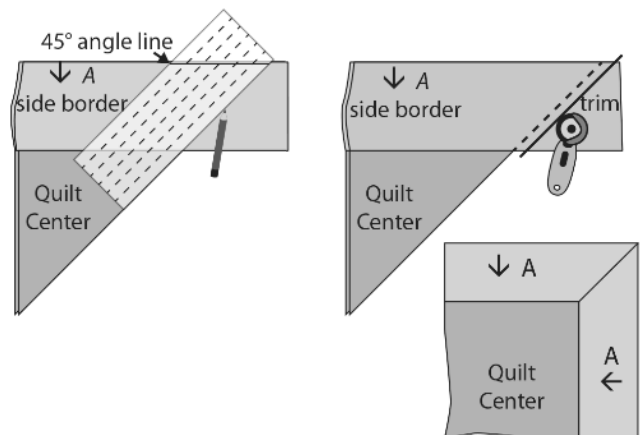
11. Sew **Fabric B** 1-3/4" x 62-3/4" borders to right and left sides of quilt center. Add **Fabric B** 1-3/4" x 49-5/8" borders to top and bottom of quilt center.

12. Center **Fabric A** 6-3/4" x 82" borders on right and left sides of quilt center and **Fabric A** 6-3/4" x 66" borders on top and bottom of quilt center with the top edge of stripe next to quilt center. Stitch borders to sides starting and stopping 1/4" from corners of quilt center. Do not trim. Press borders out.



*Letters in italics indicate wrong side of fabric.*  
*Arrows indicate orientation of directional prints.*

13. Working with 1 corner at a time, fold the quilt right sides together so the outside edges of the borders line up. Using a 45-degree ruler, mark from the end of border seams to outer edges of borders. Stitch along marked line. Trim seam allowance to 1/4". Press corner seam open. Repeat on remaining corners.



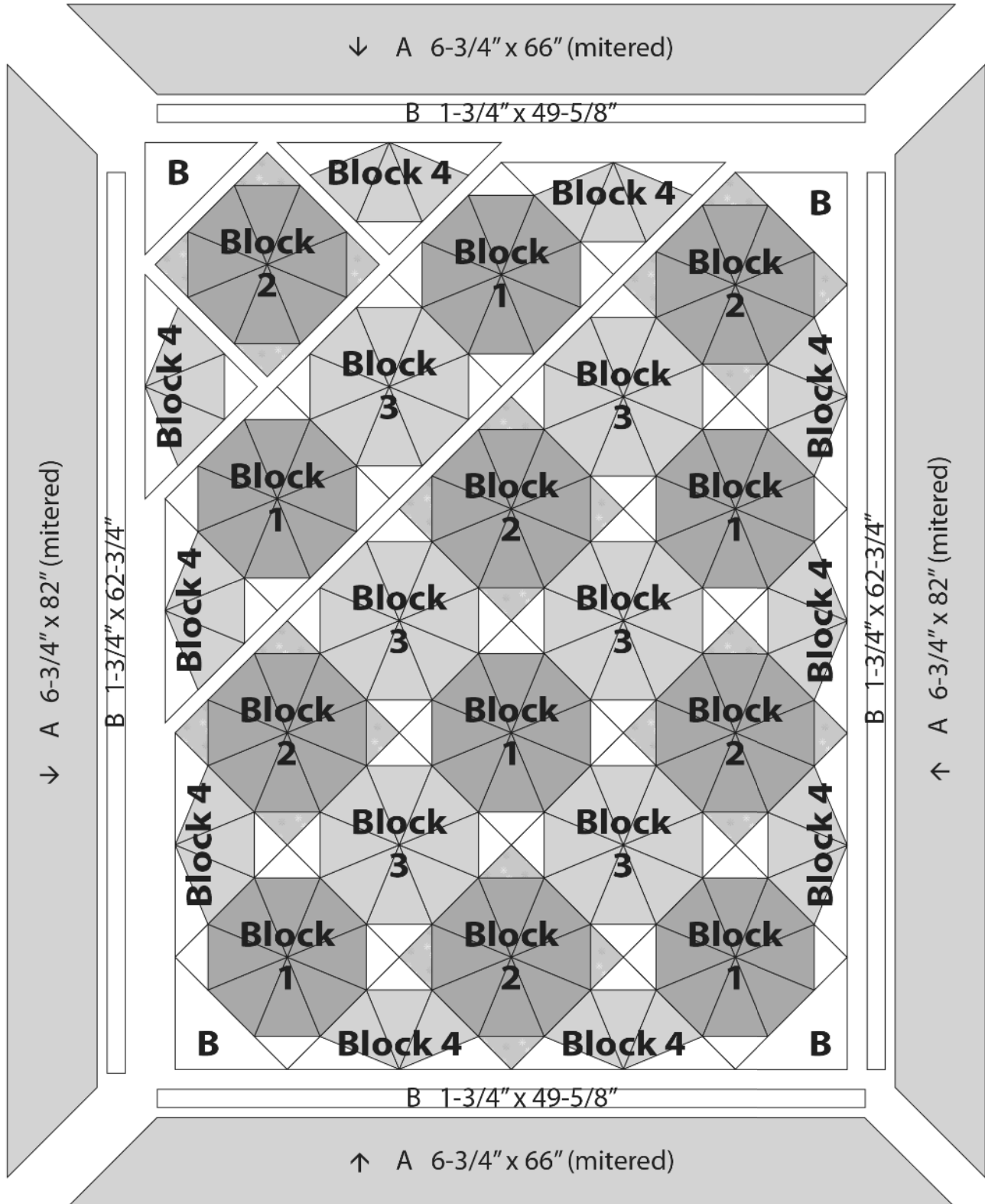
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## QUILT LAYOUT

Border measurements are the cut size.

Arrows indicate orientation of directional prints.

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14. The quilt measures approximately 62-1/8" x 77-3/4" (unfinished). Make backing (**Fabric E**) approximately 8" larger than the top.

15. Layer and baste top, batting, and backing together. Quilt as desired. Attach binding (**Fabric D**) and enjoy!!

## Template Y

Outside of template measures approximately 8-1/4" tall and 2-3/4" wide.

## Template Z

Outside of template measures approximately 8-1/4" tall and 2-3/4" wide.

## Template X

Outside of template measures 6" tall and approximately 5" wide.

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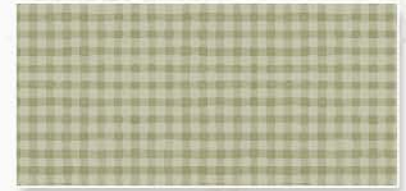
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**Fabric A**  
3041-17808-273  
8 yards



**Fabric B**  
1077-89205-102  
1 1/3 yards



**Fabric C**  
3041-17813-707  
3/8 yard



**Fabric D**  
3041-17814-770  
2/3 yard  
(Binding Only)



**Fabric E**  
44/45" - 4 7/8 yards  
108" - 2 1/8 yards  
(Backing Only)

