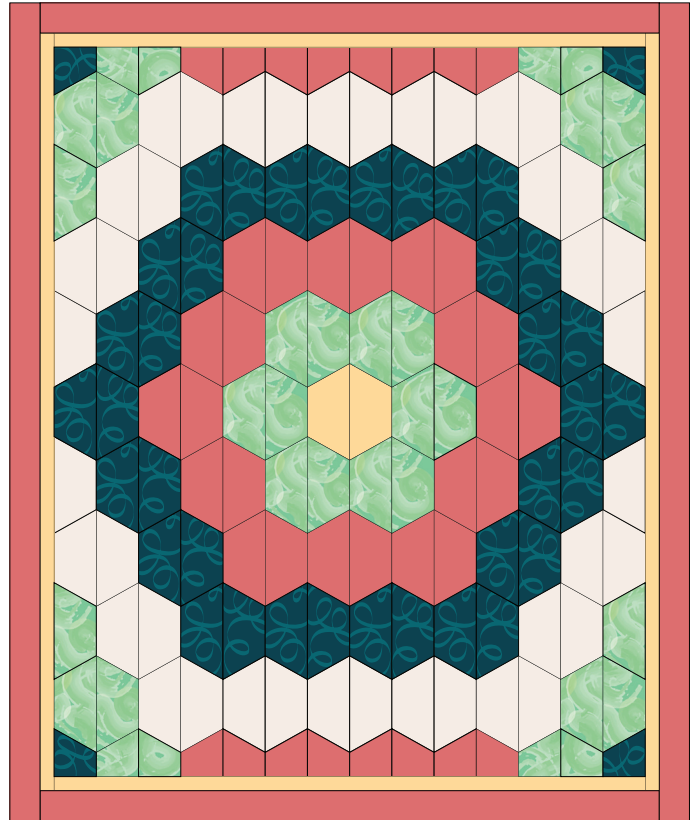
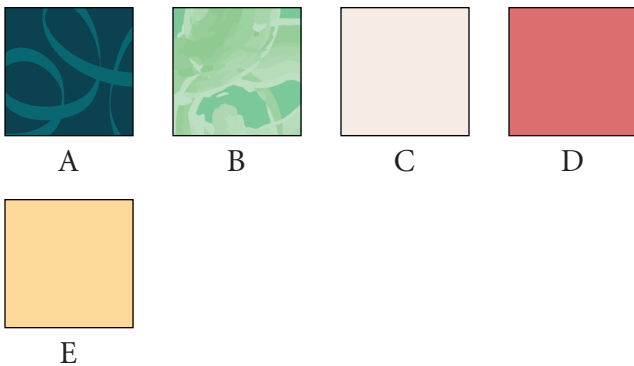


Grandmother's Dahlia Faux Hexagon Quilt

FINISHED SIZE: Approximately 84" x 102"

MATERIALS REQUIRED:

- Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template
- 2 1/8 yd. Fabric A
- 1 3/8 yd. Fabric B
- 2 1/3 yd. Fabric C
- 3 1/4 yd. Fabric D
- 7/8 yd. Fabric E
- 2 1/2 yd. Backing, 108" wide
- 96" x 108" batting



HELPFUL NOTIONS:

- Rotary cutter, mat, and ruler
- Fabric marking pen or pencil

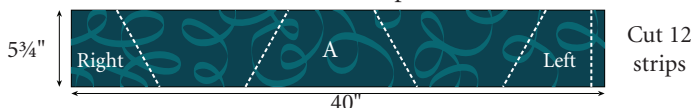
MAKING THE QUILT:

Note: General cutting information:

- From one 5 3/4" x 40" crosswise cut, you can cut three Faux Hexagons and two Finishing Pieces (one left and one right).
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- Vertical quilt column measures approximately 92".
 - Horizontal quilt row measures approximately 74".

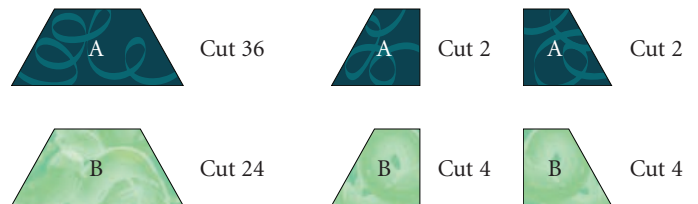
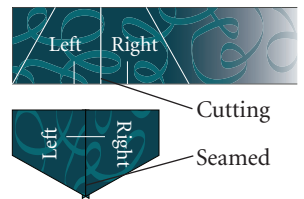
1. Cut fabrics.

- Fabric A:
 - Cut twelve 5 3/4" crosswise strips.



- Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut 36 Faux Hexagons.

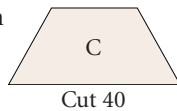
- Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut four Finishing Pieces (two left and two right).
 - * To make a left Finishing Piece place the template right side up.
 - * To make a right Finishing Piece, flip over the template so it is right side down.



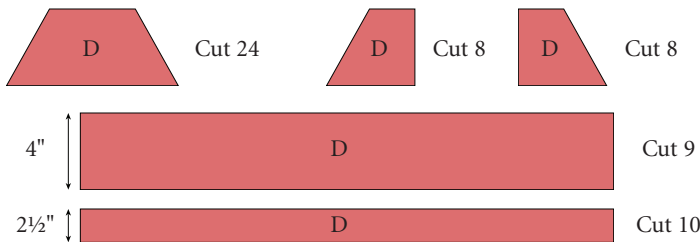
- Fabric B:

- Cut eight 5 3/4" crosswise strips.
- Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut 24 Faux Hexagons.
- Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut eight Finishing Pieces (four left and four right).

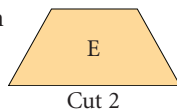
- Fabric C:
 - Cut fourteen 5¾" crosswise strips.
 - Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut 40 Faux Hexagons.



- Fabric D:
 - Cut eight 5¾" crosswise strips.
 - Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut 24 Faux Hexagons.
 - Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut 16 Finishing Pieces (8 left and 8 right).
 - Cut nine 4" crosswise strips (outer borders).
 - Cut ten 2½" crosswise strips (binding).



- Fabric E:
 - Cut one 5¾" crosswise strip
 - Using the Trace 'n Create Faux Hexagon Template, trace and cut two Faux Hexagons.
 - Cut nine 2" crosswise strips (inner borders).



2. Arrange Faux Hexagons and Finishing Pieces according to layout guide, page 3. Or, be creative and arrange your own scrappy layout combination.

Note: Use scant ¼" seams throughout construction.

3. Join Tumblers and Finishing Pieces in vertical columns. Label rows 1–14 according to layout.
 - Position the upper Finishing Piece in Column 1 to the first Faux Hexagon in the column, right sides together. Stitch.
 - Position and join the second Faux Hexagon in that column.
 - Repeat, joining the additional Faux Hexagons and the lower Finishing Piece in the column.
 - Press seams in one direction.



Press seams in one direction

- Repeat, positioning and joining the Finishing Pieces and Tumblers in each of the fourteen columns.
4. Arrange stitched columns as shown in the layout guide on page 3.
 5. Join Column 1 to Column 2, right sides together. Repeat until all columns are joined. Press seams toward sashing.

6. Join 2" Fabric E inner borders.
 - Measure top and bottom of quilt (approximately 74" each). Cut 2" top and bottom borders that length from Fabric E strips, seaming strips on the diagonal as necessary to obtain needed length and reduce bulk.
 - Join top and bottom borders to quilt, right sides together. Press.
 - Repeat, measuring left and right edges of the quilt and cutting and joining 2" Fabric E strips as needed to obtain that length (approximately 95" each). Join left and right borders to quilt, right sides together. Press.
7. Repeat, cutting and joining 4" Fabric D outer borders. Join top and bottom borders (approximately 77" each) first, then left and right borders (approximately 102" each).
8. Layer backing (wrong side up), batting, and quilt top (right side up). Pin layers together using Curved Basting Pins, size 1.
9. Quilt layers using your favorite method.
10. Trim excess batting and backing. Bind quilt with your favorite method using 2½" Fabric A strips, joining strips with diagonal seams as needed to minimize bulk. For additional information on squaring and layering, accenting with machine quilting, and binding quilts, refer to *How to Finish Quilts Guide Set*, Item # FQGST, available from Nancy's Notions.

LAYOUT GUIDE

