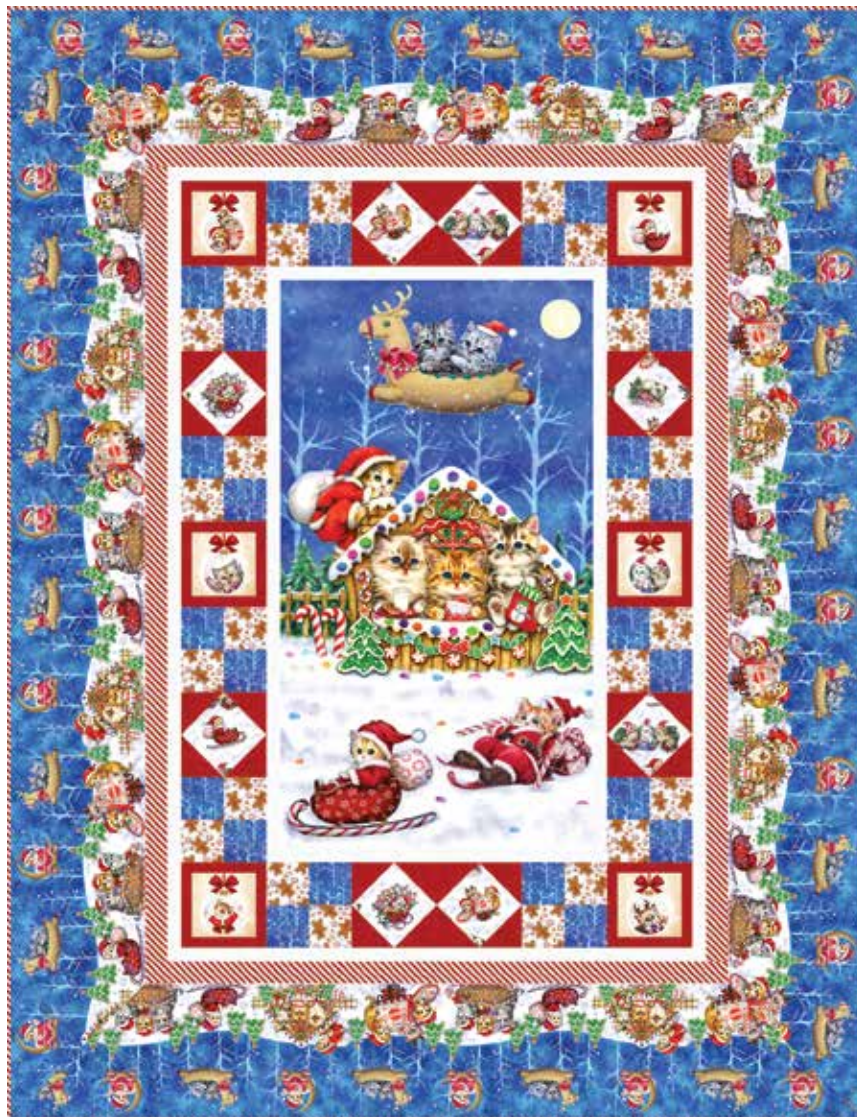


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# KITTEN CHRISTMAS

QUILT 1



Featuring fabrics from the **Kitten Christmas** collection by **Kayomi Harai** for **STUDIO·e·fabrics**

## Fabric Requirements

(A) 5646P-77 ..... 1 panel  
 (B) 1351-Pigment White\*\* 5/8 yard  
 (C) 5644-88 ..... 1/4 yard  
 (D) 1351-Red Delicious\*\* 2/3 yard  
 (E) 5638-77 ..... 1/4 yard  
 (F) 5639-1 ..... 1/4 yard  
 (G) 5641-1 ..... 3/4 yard  
 (H) 5637-88 ..... 7/8 yard\*

(I) 5643-77 ..... 2 1/3 yards  
 Backing  
 5642-99 ..... 5 yards

\* Includes Binding  
 \*\* Just Color! Collection

## Additional Supplies Needed

Batting 68" x 86" (Recommended:  
 Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton)  
 Piecing and sewing thread  
 Quilting and sewing supplies

Quilt designed by Heidi Pridemore  
 Finished Quilt Size 60" x 78"  
 Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

Please check our website for pattern updates before starting this project.

## Fabrics in the Collection



Candy Cane Stripe  
Red – 5637-88



Branch Texture  
Cobalt – 5638-77



Ginger Cat Cookie  
White – 5639-1



Packed Kitten  
White – 5640-1



Kitten Playing in the Snow  
White – 5641-1



Christmas Cat Tree Ornaments  
Black – 5642-99



Border Stripe  
Cobalt – 5643-77



Continuous Block Yardage  
Red – 5644-88

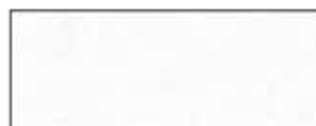


Five Block Panel  
Red – 5645P-88



Kitten Sweet Home Panel  
Cobalt – 5646P-77

Select Fabrics from  
Just Color!



Pigment White  
1351-Pigment White



Red Delicious  
1351-Red Delicious

## Cutting

### Cutting Instructions

*Please note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.*

WOF= Width of Fabric • LOF = Length of Fabric

#### **Fabric A (5646P-77 Kitten Sweet Home Panel - Cobalt):**

- Fussy cut (1) 22 ½" x 40 ½" panel.

#### **Fabric B (1351-Pigment White Just Color! - Pigment White), cut:**

- (2) 2" x 40 ½" WOF strips.
- (2) 2" x 25 ½" WOF strips.
- (3) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ½" x 54 ½" strips.
- (2) 1 ½" x 38 ½" WOF strips.

#### **Fabric C (5644-88 Continuous Block Yardage - Red), cut:**

- (1) 5" x WOF strip, sub-cut (6) 5" squares.

#### **Fabric D (1351-Red Delicious Just Color! - Red Delicious), cut:**

- (2) 2" x WOF strips, sub-cut (12) 2" x 5" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips, sub-cut (12) 2" x 8" strips.
- (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (32) 3 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric E (5638-77 Branch Texture - Cobalt), cut:**

- (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric F (5639-1 Ginger Cat Cookie - White), cut:**

- (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric G (5641-1 Kitten Playing in the Snow - White):**

- Fussy cut (8) 6 ½" squares each centered on a kitten image.

#### **Fabric H (5637-88 Candy Cane Stripe - Red), cut:**

- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 56 ½" strips.
- (2) 2" x 41 ½" WOF strips.
- (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

#### **Fabric I (5643-77 Border Stripe - Cobalt), cut:**

- (2) 10" x 82" LOF strips.
- (2) 10" x 64" LOF strips.

#### **Back (5642-99 Christmas Cat Tree Ornaments - Black), cut:**

- (2) 86" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to 68" x 86" to make the back.

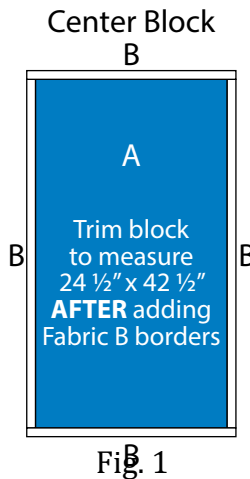
## Sewing

Sew using a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise indicated. Always press towards the darker fabric while assembling, unless otherwise noted by the arrows.

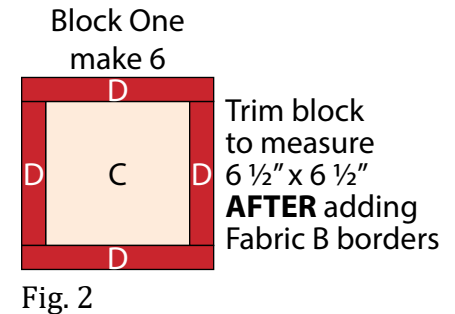
### Block Assembly

**Note: The arrows in figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components.**

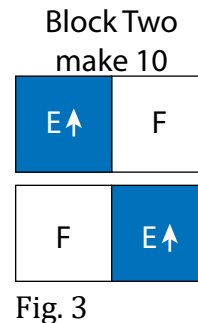
1. Sew (1)  $2'' \times 40\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric B strip to each side of (1)  $22\frac{1}{2}'' \times 40\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric A panel. Sew (1)  $2'' \times 25\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel to make the Center Block (Fig. 1). **Trim the block to measure  $24\frac{1}{2}'' \times 42\frac{1}{2}''$ .**



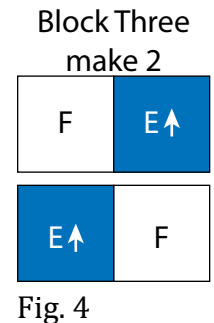
2. Sew (1)  $2'' \times 5''$  Fabric D strip to each side of (1)  $5''$  Fabric C square. Sew (1)  $2'' \times 8''$  Fabric D strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric C square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 2). **Trim the block to measure  $6\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6\frac{1}{2}''$  AFTER adding Fabric B borders.**



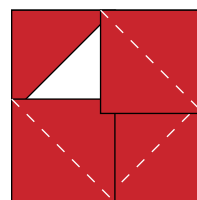
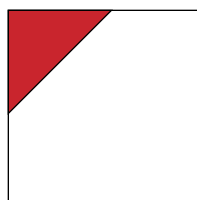
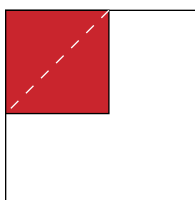
3. Sew (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric E square to the left side of (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric F square to make the top row. Sew (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric F square to the left side of (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric E square to make the bottom row. Sew the (2) rows together to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 3). Repeat to make (10) Block Two squares total.



4. Repeat Step 3 and refer to Figure 4 for fabric identification, placement and orientation to make (2) Block Three squares.

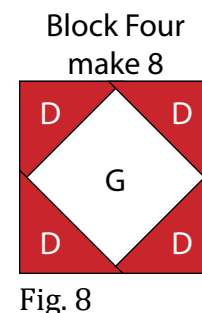


5. Place (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric D square on the top left corner of (1)  $6\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric G square, right sides together (Fig. 5). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 5). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle  $\frac{1}{4}''$  away from the sewn seam (Fig. 6).



6. Follow Figure 7 for the seam direction to add a  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric D square to each of the remaining corners of the  $6\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric G square to make (1) Block Four square (Fig. 8).

7. Repeat Steps 5-6 to make (8) Block Four squares total.



8. Sew together (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Four square, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block One square, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Four square and (1) Block Two square, in that order from top to bottom, to make (1) Side Border (Fig. 9). Repeat to make a second Side Border.

9. Sew together (1) Block One square, (1) Block Two square, (2) Block Four squares, (1) Block Three square and (1) Block One square, in that order from left to right, to make the Top Border (Fig. 10).

10. Sew together (1) Block One square, (1) Block Three square, (2) Block Four squares, (1) Block Two square and (1) Block One square, in that order from left to right, to make the Bottom Border (Fig. 11).

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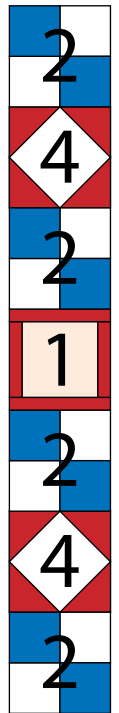


Fig. 9

Top Border



Fig. 10

Bottom Border



Fig. 11

## Quilt Top Assembly

*(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)*

11. Sew (1) Side Border to each side of the Center Block. Sew the Top Border and Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

12. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 54 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 38 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

13. Sew (1) 2" x 56 ½" Fabric H strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 41 ½" Fabric H strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

14. Center (1) 10" x 82" Fabric I strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a ¼" from the top edge of the block and stop a ¼" from the bottom edge. **DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS.** Repeat with the opposite side.

15. Repeat Step 14 to sew (1) 10" x 64" Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start  $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Center Block on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Fig. 12).

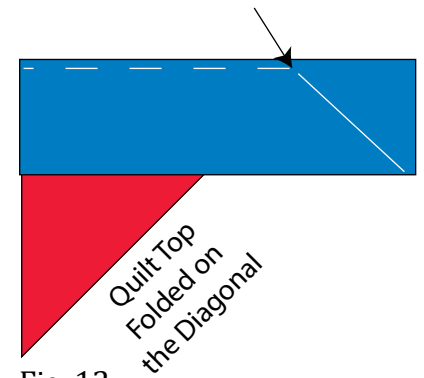


Fig. 12

16. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 12), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.

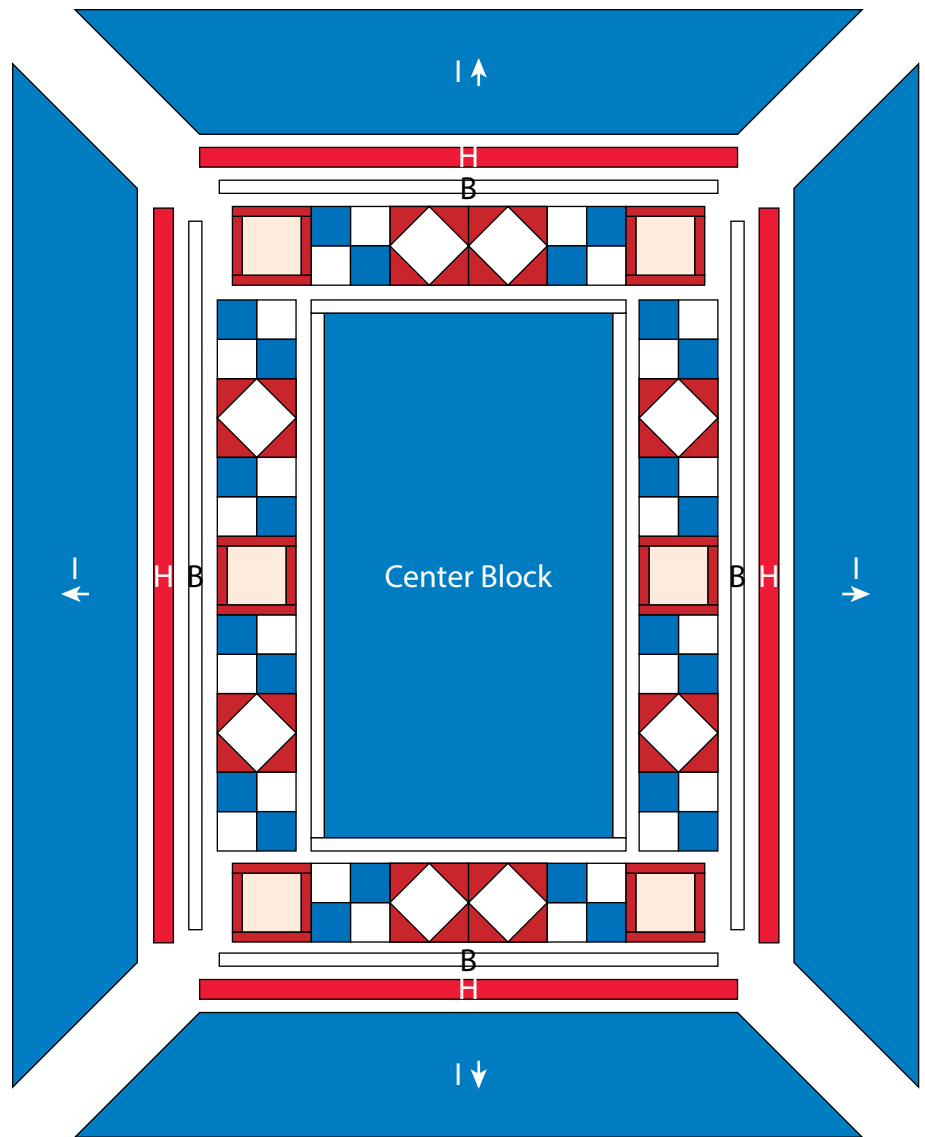
## Layering, Quilting and Finishing

17. Press the quilt top and 68" x 86" backing well. Layer backing (wrong side up), batting, pressed quilt top (right side up) and baste. Quilt as desired and trim excess batting and backing when quilting is complete.

## Binding

18. Cut the ends of the (7) Fabric H binding strips at a 45-degree angle and sew end to end to make (1) continuous piece of binding. Fold in half lengthwise and press wrong sides together.

19. Sew the binding to the front of the quilt, raw edges together. Turn the folded edge to the back, and hand stitch in place.



Quilt Layout

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