

# Aurora

A Free Project Sheet  
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Quilt 2



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Skill Level: Intermediate

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Finished Quilt Size: 70" x 86"  
(177.80 cm x 218.44 cm)  
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## Fabrics in the Aurora Collection



Allover Polar Bears  
White – 2983-01



Ice Bergs  
Light Blue – 2984-11



Polar Bear Silhouettes  
Blue – 2985-75



Penguins  
Light Blue – 2986-11



Polar Bears  
Light Blue – 2987-11



Polar Bears and Penguin Patch  
Light Blue – 2988-11



Night Sky  
Dark Blue – 2989-77



Penguin Silhouettes  
Purple – 2990-55



Polar Bear and Penguin Border Stripe  
Blue – 2991-75



Snowflakes  
Light Blue – 2992-11



Polar Bear and Penguin Panel 24 inches  
Blue – 2993P-75

## Select Fabrics from the Starlet Collection



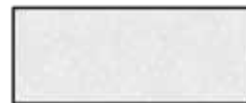
Pool  
6383-Pool



Purple  
6383-Purple



Royal  
6383-Royal



White  
6383-White



Wisteria  
6383-Wisteria

### Materials

2/3 yard (0.61 m)	Polar Bear and Penguin Patch - Light Blue (A)	2988-11
1 1/2 yards (1.38 m)	Starlet - Wisteria (B)	6383-Wisteria
1/2 yard (0.46 m)	Polar Bear Silhouettes - Blue (C)	2985-75
1/4 yard (0.23 m)	Allover Polar Bears - White (D)	2983-01
1/4 yard (0.23 m)	Penguins - Light Blue (E)	2986-11
1 5/8 yards (1.49 m)	Starlet - Royal (F)	6383-Royal
3/4 yard (0.69 m)	Penguin Silhouettes - Purple (G)	2990-55
3/4 yard (0.69 m)	Starlet - White (H)	6383-White
2 1/4 yards (2.06 m)	Polar Bears - Light Blue (I)	2987-11
2/3 yard (0.61 m)	Starlet - Purple (J)	6383-Purple*
5 1/4 yards (4.81 m)	Snowflakes - Light Blue (Backing)	2992-11

\*Includes binding

Batting: 78" x 94" (198.12 cm x 238.76 cm)  
(Recommended: Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton)

### Cutting Instructions

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

#### From the Polar Bear and Penguin Patch - Light Blue (A), cut:

- (2) 10 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) 10 1/2" x 6 1/2" strips.

#### From the Starlet - Wisteria (B), cut:

- (5) 5 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (33) 5 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (132) 5 1/4" triangles.
- (8) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (32) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" strips.
- (8) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (32) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" strips.

#### From the Polar Bear Silhouettes - Blue (C), cut:

- (2) 6 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) 6 1/2" x 10 1/2" strips.

#### From the Allover Polar Bears - White (D), cut:

- (1) 6 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (5) 6 1/2" squares.

#### From the Penguins - Light Blue (E), cut:

- (1) 6 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 6 1/2" squares.

#### From the Starlet - Royal (F), cut:

- (5) 5 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (33) 5 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (132) 5 1/4" triangles.
- (4) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 1/2" x 72 1/2" strips.
- (3) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 1/2" x 60 1/2" strips.
- (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" strips.
- (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (8) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" strips.

#### From the Penguin Silhouettes - Purple (G), cut:

- (3) 5 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 5 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (96) 5 1/4" triangles.
- (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" strips.
- (3) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" strips.

#### From the Starlet - White (H), cut:

- (4) 5 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (30) 5 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (120) 5 1/4" triangles.

#### From the Polar Bears - Light Blue (I), cut:

- (2) 5 1/2" x 76 1/2" Length of Fabric (LOF) strips.
- From the remaining fabric, cut (2) 5 1/2" x 70 1/2" WOF strips, piece as needed.

#### From the Starlet - Purple (J), cut:

- (8) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the binding.

#### From the Snowflakes - Light Blue (Backing), cut:

- (2) 94" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 78" x 94" back.

### 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. Use a 1/4" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

1. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 6 1/2" x 10 1/2" Fabric A rectangle. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A rectangle to make (1) 8 1/2" x 12 1/2" Block One rectangle (Fig. 1). Repeat to make (8) Block One rectangles total.

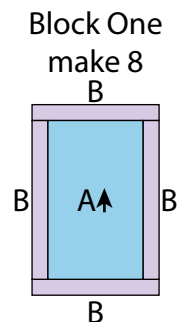


Fig. 1

2. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 6 1/2" x 10 1/2" Fabric C rectangle. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric C rectangle to make (1) 8 1/2" x 12 1/2" Block Two rectangle (Fig. 2). Repeat to make (8) Block Two rectangles total.

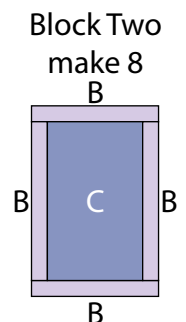


Fig. 2

3. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" Fabric G strip to each side of (1) 6 1/2" Fabric D square. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" Fabric G strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric D square to make (1) 8 1/2" Block Three square (Fig. 3). Repeat to make (5) Block Three squares total.

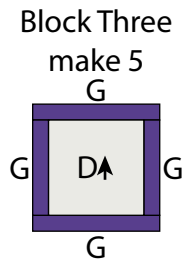


Fig. 3

4. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" Fabric F strip to each side of (1) 6 1/2" Fabric E square. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric E square to make (1) 8 1/2" Block Four square (Fig. 4). Repeat to make (4) Block Four squares total.

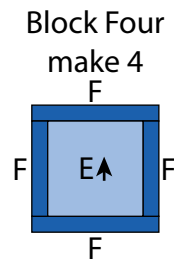


Fig. 4

5. Sew together (1) 5 1/4" Fabric H triangle, (1) 5 1/4" Fabric G triangle, (1) 5 1/4" Fabric B triangle and (1) 5 1/4" Fabric F triangle to make (1) 4 1/2" Unit 1 square (Fig. 5). Repeat to make (12) Unit 1 squares total.



Fig. 5

6. Repeat Step 5 and refer to Figures 6-10 for fabric identification and placement to make (12) Unit 2 squares, (12) Unit 3 squares, (12) Unit 4 squares, (36) Unit 5 squares and (36) Unit 6 squares.



Fig. 6

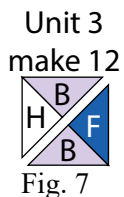


Fig. 7

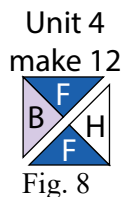


Fig. 8



Fig. 9



Fig. 10

7. Follow Figure 11 and sew together (6) assorted unit squares into a 2 x 3 matrix to make (1) 8 1/2" x 12 1/2" Block Five rectangle. Repeat to make (12) Block Five rectangles total.

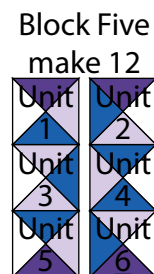


Fig. 11

8. Sew (1) Unit 5 square to the left side of (1) Unit 6 square to make the top row. Sew (1) Unit 6 square to the left side of (1) Unit 5 square to make the bottom row. Sew together the (2) rows lengthwise to make (1) 8 1/2" Block Six square (Fig. 12). Repeat to make (12) Block Six squares total.

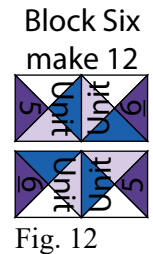


Fig. 12

9. Sew together (1) Block One rectangle, (1) Block Five rectangle, (1) Block Two rectangle, (1) Block Five rectangle, (1) Block Two rectangle, (1) Block Five rectangle and (1) Block One rectangle, lengthwise and in that order from left to right, to make Row One (Fig. 13). Repeat to make Row Seven.

10. Repeat Step 9 and refer to Figure 13 for component identification, placement and orientation to make Row Three and Five.

11. Sew together (1) Block Six square, (1) Block Three square, (1) Block Six square, (1) Block Four square, (1) Block Six square, (1) Block Three square and (1) Block Six square, in that order from left to right, to make Row Two (Fig. 13).

12. Repeat Step 11 and refer to Figure 13 for component identification, placement and orientation to make Row Four and Row Six.

13. Sew together the (7) Rows from Steps 10-12, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the 56 1/2" x 72 1/2" Center Block (Fig. 13).

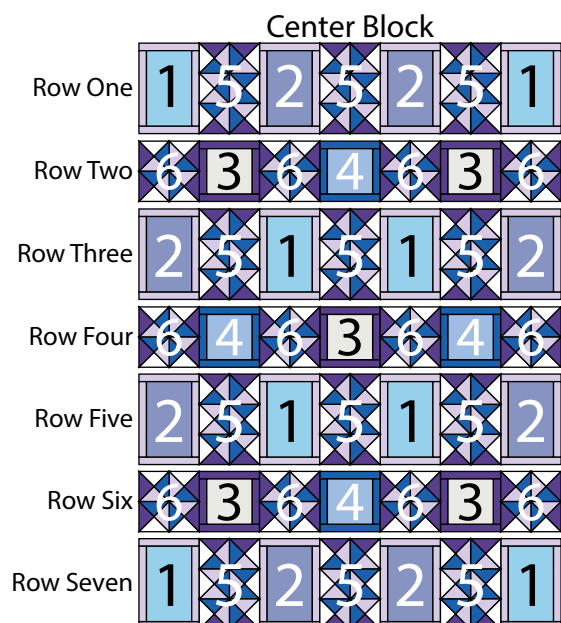


Fig. 13

### Quilt Top Assembly

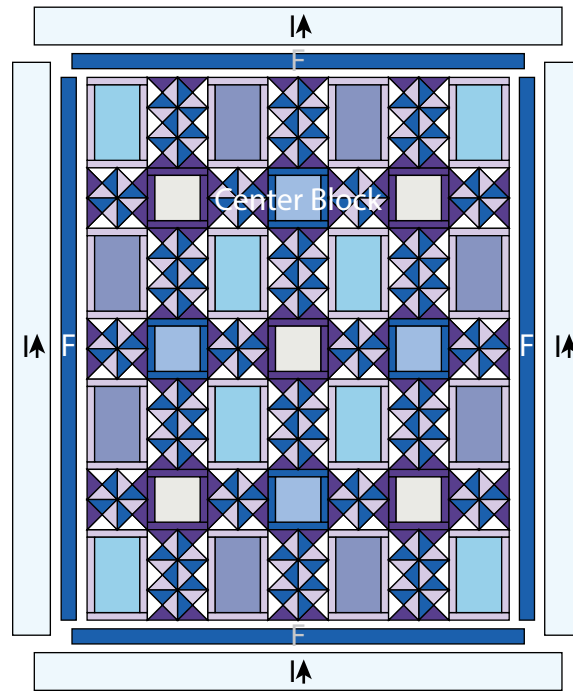
*(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)*

14. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 72 ½" Fabric F strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 60 ½" Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
15. Sew (1) 5 ½" x 76 ½" Fabric I strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 5 ½" x 70 ½" Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

16. Layer and quilt as desired.

17. Sew the (8) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric J strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.

18. Bind as desired.



Quilt Layout

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