

# Forest Critters

A Free Project Sheet  
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Quilt 1

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Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

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Finished Quilt Size: 56" x 64"  
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## Fabrics in the Forest Critters Collection



Viney Leaves  
Ivory – 2329-41



Wildflowers  
Black – 2330-99



Mushrooms  
Brown – 2331-39



Woodland Animal Collage  
Brown – 2332-39



Tossed Woodland Animals  
Ivory – 2333-41



Woodland Animals in Tree Trunks  
Brown – 2334-39



Woodland Animals with Trees  
Ivory – 2335-41



Forest Trees with Animal Paw Prints  
Ivory – 2336-41



Woodland Animal Panel - 36 inches  
Brown – 2337P-39

Select Fabrics from  
the Jot Dot Collection



Marshmallow  
9570-09



Brown  
9570-39



Light Gray  
9570-90

### Materials

1 panel	Woodland Animal Panel-36 inches - Brown (A)	2337P-39
1 1/8 yards	Jot Dot - Brown (B)	9570-39*
1/4 yard	Woodland Animal Collage - Brown (C)	2332-39
1/8 yard	Jot Dot - Marshmallow (D)	9570-09
1/2 yard	Tossed Woodland Animals - Ivory (E)	2333-41
1/2 yard	Wildflowers - Black (F)	2330-99
1/3 yard	Viney Leaves - Ivory (G)	2329-41
1/3 yard	Mushrooms - Brown (H)	2331-39
1 2/3 yards	Woodland Animals with Trees - Ivory (I)	2335-41
1/4 yard	Forest Trees with Animal Paw Prints - Ivory (J)	2336-41
3 3/4 yards	Viney Leaves - Ivory (Backing)	2329-41

\*Includes binding

Batting: 64" x 72"

(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 Woodland Animal Panel-36 inches - Brown (A):

- (1) 34 1/2" x 42 1/2" rectangle, centered on the panel.

#### From the Jot Dot - Brown (B), cut:

- (2) 2" x 42 1/2" WOF strips, piece as needed.
- (2) 2" x 37 1/2" WOF strips.
- (3) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 1/2" x 52 1/2" strips.
- (3) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 1/2" x 46 1/2" strips.
- (6) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the binding.

#### From the Woodland Animal Collage - Brown (C), cut:

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

#### From the Jot Dot - Marshmallow (D), cut:

- (1) 2 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (16) 2 1/2" squares.

#### From the Tossed Woodland Animals - Ivory (E), cut:

- (2) 4 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (14) 4 1/2" squares.
- (1) 2 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (16) 2 1/2" squares.

#### From the Wildflowers - Black (F), cut:

- (2) 4 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 4 1/2" squares.
- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 2 1/2" squares.

#### From the Viney Leaves - Ivory (G), cut:

- (1) 4 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (8) 4 1/2" squares.
- (1) 2 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (16) 2 1/2" squares.

#### From the Mushrooms - Brown (H), cut:

- (1) 4 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (8) 4 1/2" squares.
- (1) 2 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (16) 2 1/2" squares.

#### From the Woodland Animals with Trees - Ivory (I)

- (2) 5 1/2" x 54 1/2" Length of Fabric (LOF) strips.
- From the remaining fabric, cut (2) 5 1/2" x 46 1/2" WOF strips, piece as needed.

#### From the Forest Trees with Animal Paw Prints - Ivory (J)

- (1) 5 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 5 1/2" squares.

#### From the Viney Leaves - Ivory (Backing), cut:

- (2) 64" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 64" x 72" back.

### Block Assembly

Note: The arrows 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) 2" x 42 1/2" Fabric B strip to each side of the 34 1/2" x 42 1/2" Fabric A rectangle. Sew (1) 2" x 37 1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A rectangle to make the Center Block (Fig. 1). **Trim the block to measure 36 1/2" x 44 1/2"**.

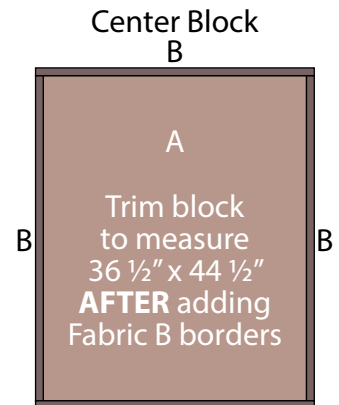


Fig. 1 B

2. Place (1) 2 1/2" Fabric D square on the top left corner of (1) 4 1/2" Fabric C square, right sides together (Fig. 2). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 2). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam (Fig. 3).

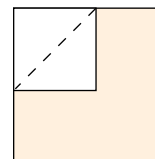


Fig. 2

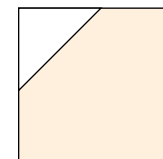


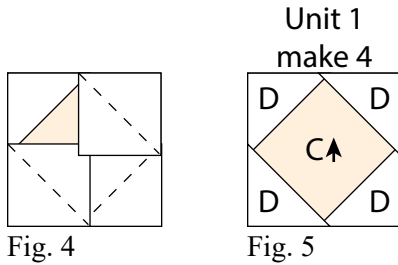
Fig. 3

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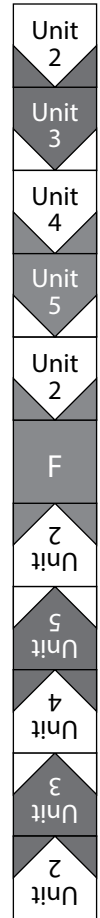
3. Follow Figure 4 for the seam direction to add a 2 1/2" Fabric D square to each of the remaining corners of the 4 1/2" Fabric C square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Fig. 5).

4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to make (4) Unit 1 squares total.

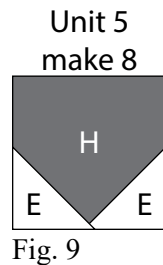
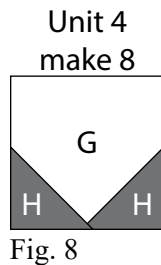
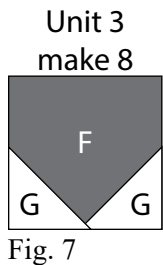
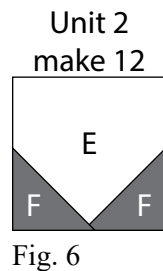


6. Follow Figure 10 and sew together (4) Unit 2 squares, (2) Unit 3 squares, (2) Unit 4 squares, (2) Unit 5 squares and (1) 4 1/2" Fabric F square to make (1) Side Border. Repeat to make a second Side Border.

Side Border  
make 2



5. Repeat Steps 2-3 and refer to Figures 6-9 for fabric identification, placement, seam direction and orientation to make (12) Unit 2 squares, (8) Unit 3 squares, (8) Unit 4 squares and (8) Unit 5 squares.



7. Follow Figure 11 below and sew together (2) Unit 1 squares, (2) Unit 2 squares, (2) Unit 3 squares, (2) Unit 4 squares, (2) Unit 5 squares (1) 4 1/2" Fabric E square to make the Top Border. Repeat to make the Bottom Border.

Top/Bottom Border

make 2

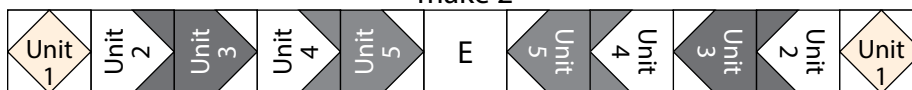


Fig. 11

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### Quilt Top Assembly

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

8. Sew (1) Side Border to each side of the Center Block.

9. Sew the Top Border and Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

10. Sew (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $52\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $46\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

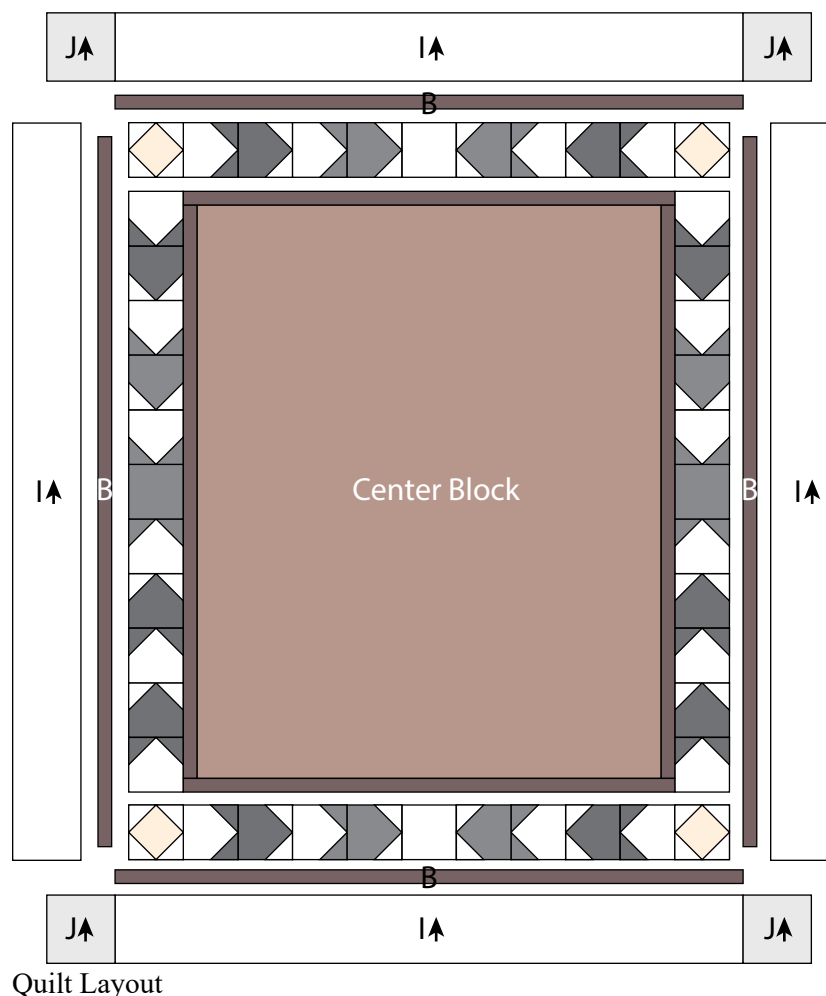
11. Sew (1)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $54\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric I strip to each side of the Center Block.

12. Sew (1)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric J square to each end of (1)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $46\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric I strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

13. Layer and quilt as desired.

14. Sew the (6)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric B 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.

15. Bind as desired.



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