

# Sea Glass

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Quilt 1



Skill Level: Advanced Beginner



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Finished Quilt Size: 56" x 70"

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### Fabrics in the Sea Glass Collection



#### **Materials**

24" Panel - Blue (A)	9550P-77
Scroll - Aqua (B)	9556-16
Seahorse - Blue (C)	9555-77
Stars - Blue (D)	9557-75
Eclipse - White (E)	3955-White
Turtles - Light Blue (F)	9552-11
Tonal Fish and Anchors - Light Blue (G	9559-11
Shells - Light Blue (H)	9558-11
Tonal Fish and Anchors - Blue (I)	9559-75
Mixed Sealife - Blue (J)	9551-77
Scroll - Blue (K)	9556-75*
Tonal Seaweed - Light Blue (Backing	9554-11
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<sup>\*</sup>Includes binding

#### **Cutting Instructions**

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

#### From the 24" Panel - Blue (A), fussy cut:

- (1) 31 x 11 ½" panel. (1) 23 ½" x 12" panel. (1) 11 ½" x 11 ¼" panel.
- (1) 11 ½ x 10" panel. (1) 11 ½" x 9" panel.

#### From the Scroll - Aqua (B), cut:

- (1) 8 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (3) 8 ½" x 10 ½" strips.
- (1) 4 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 4 ½" x 12 ½" strips.
- (6) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (90) 2 ½" squares.

#### From the Seahorse - Blue (C), cut:

• See instructions to cut (2) Medium Stars.

#### From the Stars - Blue (D), cut:

- (6) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (90) 2 ½" squares.
- See instructions to cut (2) Large Stars and (4) Small Stars.

#### From the Eclipse - White (E), cut:

- (1) 3" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 3" x 13 ½" strips.
- (1) 2 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 2 ½" x 13 ½" strips.
- (1) 2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 2" x 11 ½" strips.
- (2) 2" x 25 ½" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (48) 2" squares.
- (2) 1 ½" x 34" strips.
- (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 1 ½" x 13 ½" strips.
- (2) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (6) 1 ½" x 12 ½" strips.
- (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 1 ½" x 12" strips.
- (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 1 ½" x 11 ¼" strips.
- (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 1 ½" x 10" strips.
- (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 1 ½" x 9" strips.
- (3) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 1 ½" x 8 ½" strips.
- (3) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ½" x 58 ½" strips.
- (3) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ½" x 46 ½" strips.

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#### From the Turtles - Light Blue (F), cut:

- (1) 4 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 4 ½" squares.
- See instructions to cut (1) Extra Large Star.

#### From the Tonal Fish and Anchors - Light Blue (G), cut:

• See instructions to cut (2) Small Stars.

#### From the Shells - Light Blue (H), cut:

• (1) 4 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 4 ½" squares.

#### From the Tonal Fish and Anchors - Blue (I), cut:

• (1) 4 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (6) 4 ½" squares.

#### From the Mixed Sealife - Blue (J), cut:

- (2) 5 ½" x 60 ½" LOF strips.
  (2) 5 ½" x 56 ½" WOF strips from the remaining fabric, piece as needed.

#### From the Scroll - Blue (K), cut:

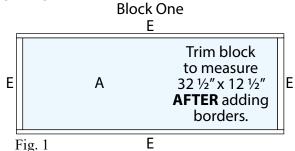
• (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

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

• (2) 78" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 64" x 78" back.

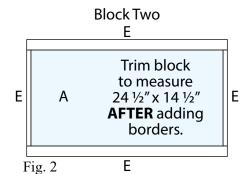
#### **Sewing Instructions**

1. Sew (1) 2" x 11 ½" Fabric E strips to each side of (1) 31" x 11 ½" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 34" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel. Trim the block to measure 32 ½" x 12 ½" to make (1) Block One rectangle (Fig. 1).



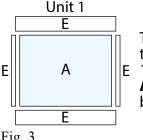
2. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 12" Fabric E strip to each side of (1) 23 1/2" x 12" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 2" x 25 1/2" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel. Trim the block to measure

24 ½" x 14 ½" to make (1) Block Two rectangle (Fig. 2).



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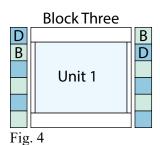
3. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 9" Fabric E strip to each side of (1) 11 ½" x 9" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 3" x 13 ½" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel. Trim the block to measure 12 ½" square to make (1) Unit 1 block (Fig. 3).



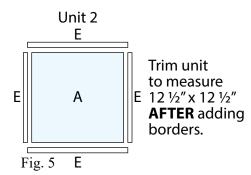
Trim unit to measure E 12 ½" x 12 ½" **AFTER** adding borders.

Fig. 3

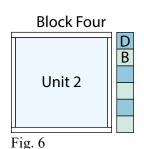
4. Sew (3) 2 ½" Fabric D squares and (3) 2 ½" Fabric B squares together, alternating them. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew (1) strip to each side of the Unit 1 block to make (1) Block Three rectangle (Fig. 4). Pay attention to the orientation of the strips.



5. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 11 ¼" Fabric E strip to each side of (1) 11 ½" x 11 ¼" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 13 ½" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel. Trim the block to measure 12 ½" square to make (1) Unit 2 block (Fig. 5).

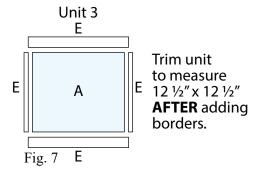


6. Sew (3) 2 ½" Fabric D squares and (3) 2 ½" Fabric B squares together, alternating them. Sew the new strip to the right side of the Unit 2 block to make (1) Block Four rectangle (Fig. 6). Pay attention to the orientation of the strips.

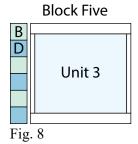


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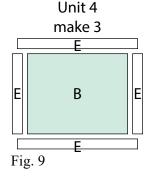
7. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 10" Fabric E strip to each side of (1) 11 ½" x 10" Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 13 ½" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel. Trim the block to measure 12 ½" square to make (1) Unit 3 block (Fig. 7).



8. Sew (3) 2 ½" Fabric B squares and (3) 2 ½" Fabric D squares together, alternating them. Sew the new strip to the left side of the Unit 3 block to make (1) Block Five rectangle (Fig. 8). Pay attention to the orientation of the strips.

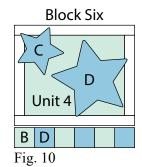


9. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric E strip to each side of (1) 10 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric B strip. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 12 ½" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric B strip to make (1) Unit 4 block (Fig. 9). Repeat to make (3) Unit 4 blocks total.

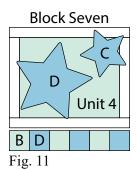


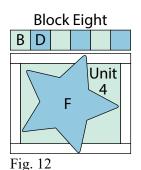
- 10. Sew (3) 2 ½" Fabric B squares and (3) 2 ½" Fabric D squares together, alternating them. Sew the new strip to the bottom of (1) Unit 4 block (Fig. 10). Pay attention to the orientation of the strip.
- 11. Following the manufacturer's instructions, trace the listed number of each template onto the paper side of the fusible web. Roughly cut out each template about 1/8" outside the drawn lines.
- 12. Press each template onto the wrong side of the fabrics as listed on the templates. Cut out each template on the drawn lines.

- 13. Refer to the Figure 10 to arrange and press (1) Fabric C medium star and (1) Fabric D large star onto the Unit 4 block from Step 10.
- 14. Finish the raw edges of each shape with a decorative stitch such as a buttonhole or satin stitch to make (1) Block Six square.



15. Repeat Steps 10, 13-14 and refer to Figures 11-12 for component identification, placement and orientation to make (1) Block Seven square and (1) Block eight square.





16. Place (1) 2" Fabric E square on the top left corner of (1) 4 ½" Fabric I square, right sides together (Fig. 13). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 13). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 14). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam.

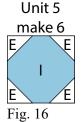




Fig. 13

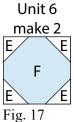
- 17. Follow Figure 15 for the seam direction to add a 2" Fabric E square to each of the remaining corners of the 4 ½" Fabric I square to make (1) Unit 5 square (Fig. 16).
- 18. Repeat Steps 16-17 to make (6) Unit 5 squares total.





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19. Repeat Steps 16-17 and refer to Figures 17-18 for fabric identification, placement and seam direction to make (2) Unit 6 squares and (4) Unit 7 squares.



Unit 7 make 4 Fig. 18

**Block Nine** make 2

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20. Sew (1) Unit 5 block to the top and to the bottom (1) Unit 6 block to make (1) Block Nine strip (Fig. 19). Repeat to make a second Block Nine strip.

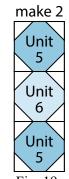
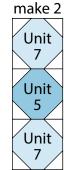


Fig. 19

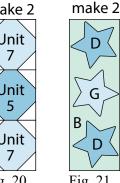
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21. Sew (1) Unit 7 block to the top and to the bottom of the (1) Unit 5 block to make (1) Unit 8 strip (Fig. 20). Repeat to make a second Unit 8 strip.



Unit 8

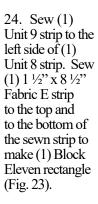
22. Repeat Steps 13-14 and sew (2) Fabric D small stars and (1) Fabric G small star onto (1) 4 ½" x 12 ½" Fabric B strip to make (1) Unit 9 strip.

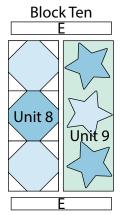


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23. Sew (1) Unit 9 strip to the right side of (1) Unit 8 strip. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip to make (1) Block Ten rectangle (Fig. 22).





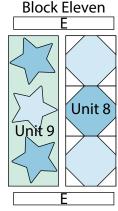


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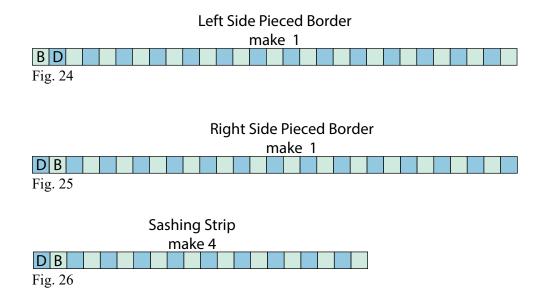
- 25. Sew (15) 2 ½" Fabric B squares and (14) 2 ½" Fabric D squares together, alternating them, to make the Left Side Pieced Border (Fig. 24 below).
- 26. Sew (15) 2 ½" Fabric D squares and (14) 2 ½" Fabric B squares together, alternating them, to make the Right Side Pieced Border (Fig. 25 below).
- 27. Sew (10) 2 ½" Fabric D squares and (10) 2 ½" Fabric B squares together, alternating them, to make (1) Sashing Strip (Fig. 26 below). Repeat to make (4) Sashing Strips total.

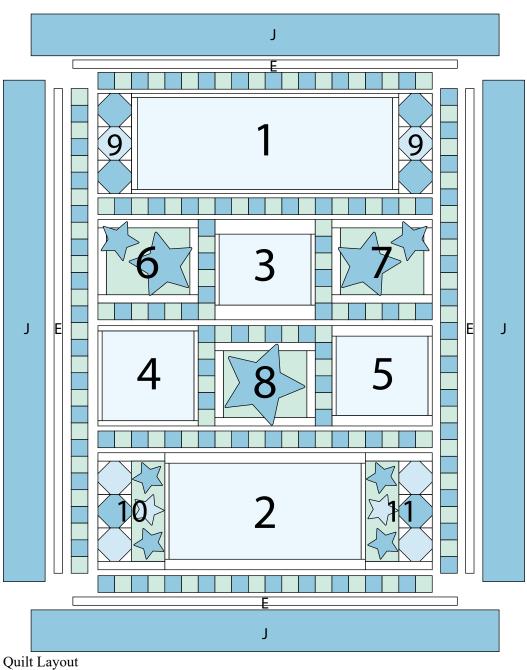
#### **Quilt Top Assembly**

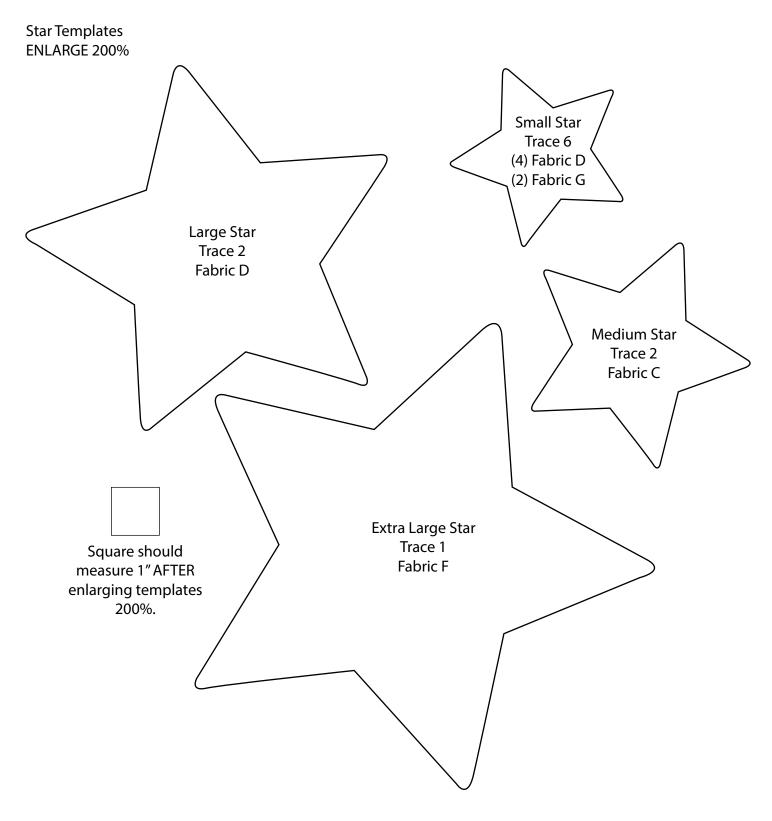
#### (Refer to the Quilt Layout while assembling.)

- 28. Sew (1) Block Nine strip to each side of (1) Block One rectangle. Sew (1) Sashing Strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip to make Row One.
- 29. Sew (1) Block Six square, (1) Block Three rectangle and (1) Block Seven 7 square together in that order to make Row Two.
- 30. Sew (1) Block Four rectangle, (1) Block Eight rectangle and (1) Block Five rectangle together in that order to make Row Three.

- 31. Sew the Block Ten rectangle to the left side of the Block Two rectangle. Sew the Block Eleven rectangle to the right side of the Block Two rectangle. Sew (1) Sashing Strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip to make Row Four.
- 32. Sew the (4) rows together in numerical order to make the Center Block.
- 33. Sew the Left and Right Pieced Side Borders onto the Center Block.
- 34. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 58 ½" Fabric E strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 46 ½" Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 35. Sew (1) 5 ½" x 60 ½" Fabric J strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 5 ½" x 56 ½" Fabric J strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.
- 36. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 37. Sew the (7) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric K 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.
- 38. Bind as desired.







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