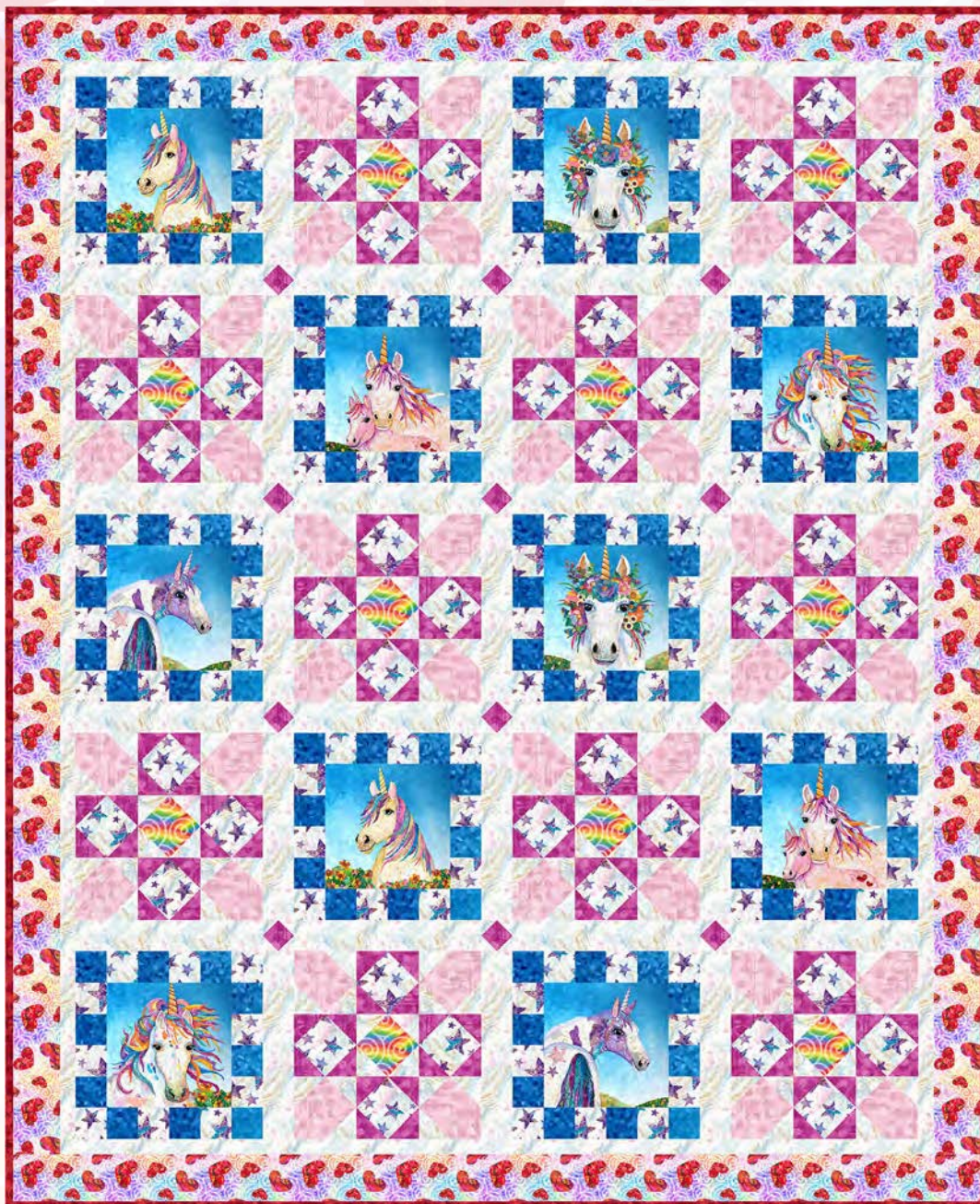




Unicorn-O-copia

Quilt 2
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Quilt size: 62" x 76"

Skill Level: Beginner

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Unicorn-O-copia - Fabrics in the Collection



9887P-70 Unicorn Panel - Lt. Blue



9890-88 Rainbow leaves - Red



9888-75 Unicorn Blocks - Med. Blue



9889-70 Unicorns with rainbows - Lt. Blue



9891-33 Rainbows with swirls - Orange



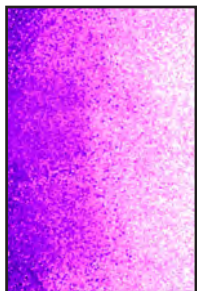
9892-55 Stars Purple



9894-66 Ombre texture - Green



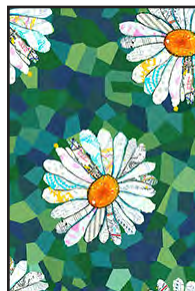
9893-88 Hearts Red



9894-22 Ombre texture - Pink



9894-75 Ombre texture - Blue



9895-66 Daisies Green



9896-40 Unicorn skin texture - Ivory

Selected fabrics from JotDot



9570-20 Lt, Pink



9570-22 Fuchsia



9570-88 Red

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Materials

Yardages and cutting instructions are based on 42" of usable fabric width.

3/8 yard 9891-33 Rainbows with swirls-Orange
1/2 yard 9888-75 Unicorn Blocks-Med. Blue
5/8 yard 9894-75 Ombre texture-Blue
5/8 yard JotDot 9570-88 Red
7/8 yard JotDot 9570-22 Fuchsia
7/8 yard 9893-88 Hearts-Red
1 yard JotDot 9570-20 Lt. Pink
1-1/4 yards 9892-55 Stars-Purple
1-7/8 yards 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory
4 yards 9889-70 Unicorns with rainbows-Lt. Blue for backing
70" x 84" piece of batting

Cut Fabrics

Note: All strips are cut across the width of the fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage unless otherwise noted. If cut across the length of the fabric (LOF), the LOF notation will be indicated.

From 9891-33 Rainbows with swirls-Orange:

*Cut two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut ten 4-1/2" squares.

From 9888-75 Unicorn Blocks-Med. Blue:

*Trim blocks to 8-1/2" square.

From 9894-75 Ombre texture-Blue:

*Cut seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips.

From JotDot 9570-88 Red:

*Cut seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips.

From JotDot 9570-22 Fuchsia:

*Cut eleven 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut 172 2-1/2" squares.

From 9893-88 Hearts-Red:

*Cut seven 3-1/2" x WOF strips for border 2.

From JotDot 9570-20 Lt. Pink:

*Cut three 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 2-1/2" squares.

*Cut five 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 4-1/2" squares.

From 9892-55 Stars-Purple:

*Cut seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips.

*Cut five 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 4-1/2" squares.

From 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory:

*Cut two 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty-eight 1-1/2" squares.

*Cut ten 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut 160 2-1/2" squares.

*Cut seven 1-1/2" x WOF strips for border 1.

*Cut two 12-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut thirty-one 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" sashing strips.

Assemble Blocks

Note: Measurements include 1/4" seam allowances. Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated. If no direction is specified, press seams toward darker fabric.

1. Sew two 2-1/2" 9892-55 Stars-Purple strips alternately with two 2-1/2" 9894-75 Ombre texture-Blue strips to make a strip set. Press seams toward the dark fabric. Repeat to make three strip sets. Cut the strip sets into forty 2-1/2" sections (*figure 1*). Set aside the remainder of the last strip set – you will need it in the next step.



Figure 1 – Make 40.

2. Repeat step 1 with the remaining 2-1/2" 9892-55 Stars-Purple and 2-1/2" 9894-75 Ombre texture-Blue strips to make a strip set. Do not press open. Cut strip set into sixteen 2-1/2" sections. Press open with the seams toward the dark fabric. Cut the leftover piece of the third strip set from step 1 into 2-1/2" sections and separate the blue/star sections because you need four more sections for a total of twenty (*figure 2*).



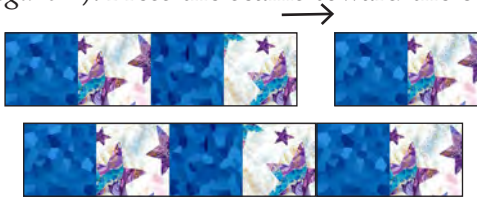
Figure 2 – Make 20.

3. Noting fabric orientation, sew two step 1 strips to each side of the ten 8-1/2" 9888-75 Unicorn Blocks-Med. Blue squares (*figure 3*, next page). Press the seams toward center.



Figure 3 – Make 10.

4. Sew the step 2 strips to the remaining step 1 strips (make 20 strips). Sew one strip to the top and one to the bottom of the step 3 units to make ten 12-1/2” blocks (figure 4). Press the seams toward the center.



Make 20.



Figure 4 - Make 10.

5. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 2-1/2” 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory squares. With right sides together, place one marked Ivory square on a corner of one 4-1/2” 9891-33 Rainbows with swirls-Orange square and stitch on the drawn line. Repeat with the opposite corner of the same square. Trim seam allowances to 1/4” and press open. Repeat with the other corners of the square (figure 5). Make ten 4-1/2” patches.



Figure 5 – Make 10.

6. Repeat step 5 with 160 2-1/2” JotDot 9570-22 Fuchsia squares and the 4-1/2” 9892-55 Stars-Purple squares to make forty 4-1/2” patches (figure 6).



Figure 6 – Make 40.

7. Repeat step 5 with the remaining 2-1/2” 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory squares (stitched to three corners), the 2-1/2” JotDot 9570-20 Lt. Pink squares, and the 4-1/2” JotDot 9570-20 Lt. Pink squares to make forty 4-1/2” patches (figure 7).



Figure 7 – Make 40.

8. Sew one step 5 patch in between two step 6 patches (figure 8). Press the seams toward center. Repeat to make ten strips.



Figure 8 – Make 10.

9. Noting fabric orientation, sew one step 6 patch in between two step 7 patches (figure 9). Press the seams away from center. Repeat to make twenty strips.



Figure 9 – Make 20.

10. Sew a step 9 strip to the top and one to the bottom of a step 8 strip (figure 10, next page). Press the seams open. Repeat to complete ten 12-1/2” blocks.



Figure 10

11. Repeat step 5 with the twelve 2-1/2" JotDot 9570-22 Fuchsia squares and the forty-eight 1-1/2" 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory to make twelve 2-1/2" cornerstone squares (*figure 11*).



Figure 11 – Make 12.

Assemble Quilt Top

12. Referring to the quilt photo for block placement, lay out the blocks and the 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" 9896-40 Unicorn Skin Texture-Ivory sashing strips in five rows, and join the blocks and sashing strips together in each row. Press the seams toward the blocks.

13. To make the horizontal sashing rows, alternatively sew together four 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory sashing strips and three step 11 2-1/2" cornerstone squares. Repeat to make a total of

four sashing strips. Press the seams toward the cornerstones.

14. Matching adjacent seams, sew block rows and horizontal sashing strips together. Press seams in one direction.

15. For border 1, sew seven 1-1/2" 9896-40 Unicorn skin texture-Ivory strips together end to end using diagonal seams. Measure the vertical length of the quilt top through the center and cut two border strips that length. Sew strips to the sides of the quilt top. Measure the width of the quilt top through its center. Cut two border strips that length and sew one to the top and one to the bottom. Press seams toward borders.

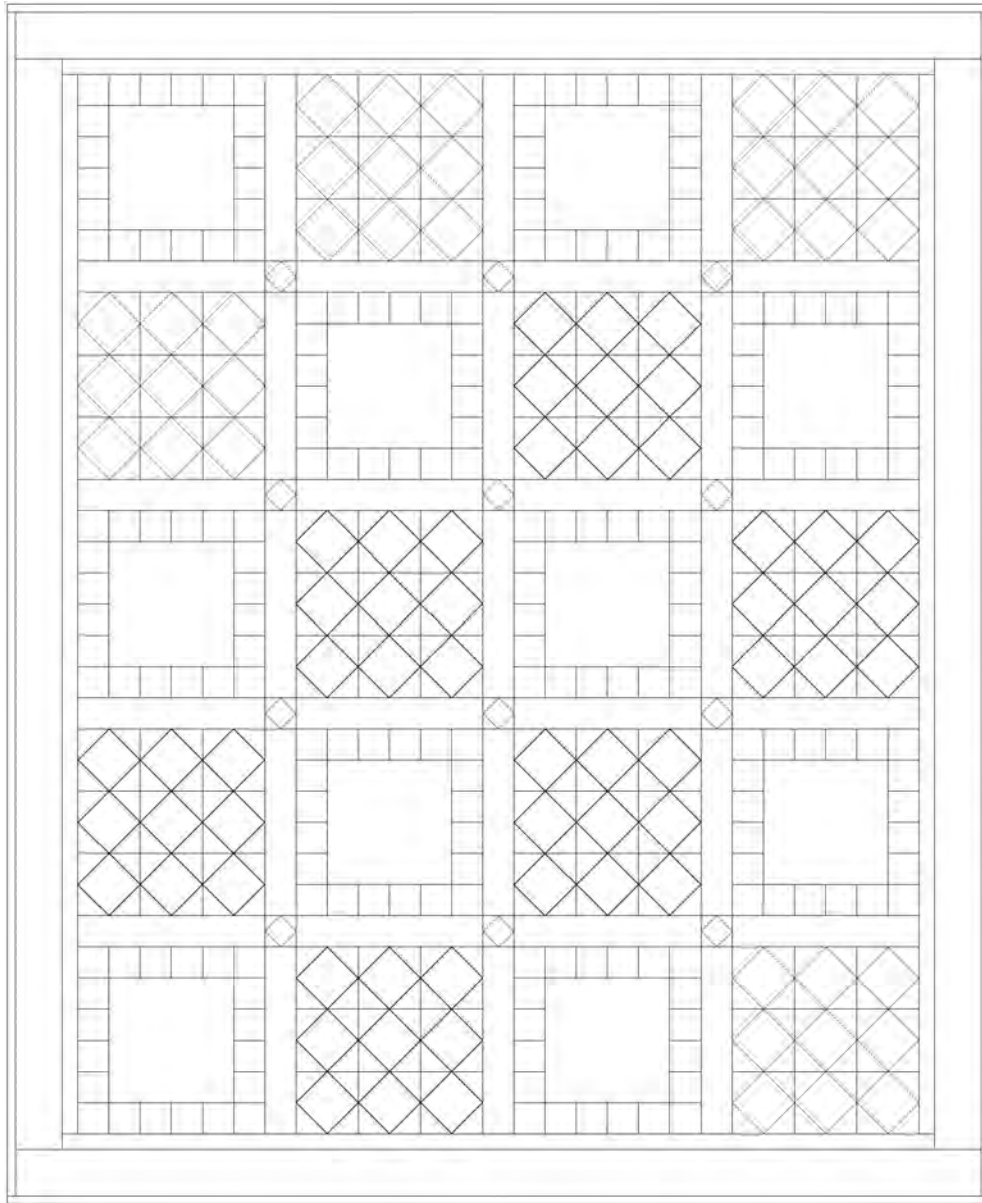
16. Repeat step 15 with the seven 3-1/2" 9893-88 Hearts-Red strips to make and add border 2.

Finishing

17. Create a quilt sandwich with the batting between the quilt top and the backing. Pin or baste layers together, mark quilting design, and quilt by hand or machine. When quilting is complete, remove pins or basting, and trim batting and backing even with raw edges of the quilt top.

18. Join the seven 2-1/2" JotDot 9570-88 Red binding strips together end to end using a diagonal seam to make one long strip. Fold in half lengthwise and press. Sew binding to the edges of the quilt, mitering corners, and overlapping ends. Fold binding to the back of the quilt and stitch it in place by hand to finish.

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Quilt Diagram