

Wintry Mix

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Quilt size: 68" x 81"

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

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Wintry Mix - Fabrics in the Collection



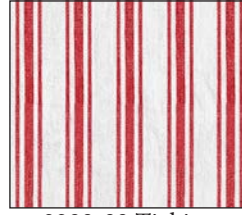
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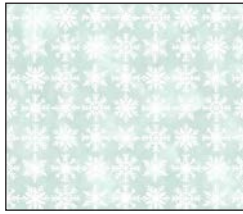
2297-60 Tossed Red Trucks - Mint



2298-88 Ticking Stripe - Red



2299-01 Snowflakes White



2299-60 Snowflakes Mint



2300-66 Tree Allover Green



2301-01 Scenic Snowman - White



2302-88 Snowman Collage - Red



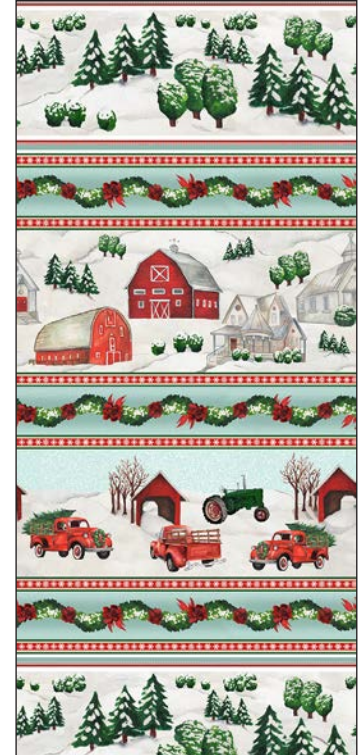
2304-60 Winter Blocks - Mint



2305-88 Trucks in Blocks - Red

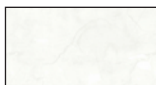


2306P-60 Winter Panel Mint

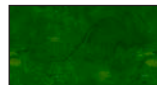


2303-60 Winter Border Stripe Mint

Selected fabrics from the Urban Legend Collection by Tana Miller



7101-01 White



7101-66 Hunter



7101-88 Red



7101-90 Gray

Materials

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

1/4 yard 2295-01 Winter Scenic - White
1/4 yard 2297-60 Tossed Red Trucks - Mint
1/4 yard 2301-01 Scenic Snowman - White
1/4 yard 2302-88 Snowman Collage - Red
3/8 yard 2299-60 Snowflakes - Mint
1/2 yard 2298-88 Ticking Stripe - Red
2/3 yard 7101-90 Urban Legend - Gray
7/8 yard 7101-01 Urban Legend - White
7/8 yard 7101-66 Urban Legend - Hunter
1 yard 2296-60 Cardinals & Chickadees in Tree - Mint
1 yard 2299-01 Snowflakes - White
1-3/8 yards 7101-88 Urban Legend - Red
1-3/8 yards 2304-60 Winter Blocks - Mint
4-3/8 yards 2297-60 Tossed Red Trucks - Mint for backing
76" x 89" piece of Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton batting

Cut Fabrics

Note: All strips are cut across the width of the fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage unless otherwise indicated.

From 2295-01 Winter Scenic – White:

*Cut one 6-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut four 6-1/2" squares.

From each:

2297-60 Tossed Red Trucks – Mint

2301-01 Scenic Snowman - White

2302-88 Snowman Collage – Red

*Cut one 6-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut two 6-1/2" squares.

From 2299-60 Snowflakes – Mint:

*Cut two 4-3/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut ten 4-3/4" squares.

From 2298-88 Ticking Stripe – Red:

*Cut eight 1-1/2" x WOF strips for border 4.

From 7101-90 Urban Legend – Gray:

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

*Cut three 2-3/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 2-3/8" squares.

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

From 7101-01 Urban Legend – White:

*Cut four 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut eighty 2" squares.

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

*Cut two 4-3/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut ten 4-3/4" squares.

From 7101-66 Urban Legend – Hunter:

*Cut three 2-3/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 2-3/8" squares and twelve 2" squares.

*Cut two 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 2" x 3-1/2" strips.

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

From 2296-60 Cardinals & Chickadees in Tree – Mint:

*Cut seven 4-1/2" x WOF strips for border 3.

From 2299-01 Snowflakes – White:

*Cut four 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut twelve 2" x 12-1/2" strips.

*Cut one 12-12/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut nineteen 2" x 12-1/2" strips (for a total of 31).

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

From 7101-88 Urban Legend – Red:

*Cut four 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut eighty 2" squares.

*Cut two 9-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut forty 2" x 9-1/2" strips.

*Cut eight 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding.

From 2304-60 Winter Blocks – Mint:

*Trim ten blocks to 9-1/2".

Assemble Blocks

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

1. Mark two diagonal lines on the wrong side of the 4-3/4" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White squares (a). Layer a marked White square atop a 4-3/4" 2299-60 Snowflakes – Mint square. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the marked lines (b), cut vertically and horizontally to make four equal squares (c), then cut each square on the drawn lines to make eight half-square triangles (d). Press open and trim dog ears (figure 1). Repeat with the remaining White and Mint squares to make a total of eighty 2" half-square triangles (HST).

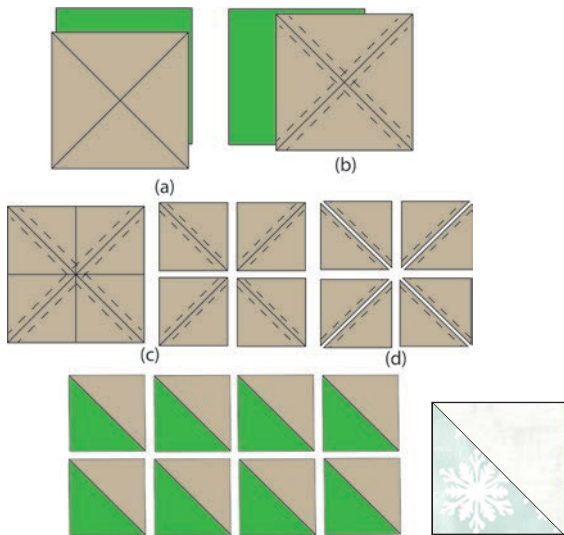


Figure 1 – Make (80) 2" units.

2. Sew a 2" 7101-88 Urban Legend – Red square to the left side of the Step 1 HST. Press the seams toward the dark fabric. Sew the units together two-by-two to make forty 3-1/2" patches (figure 2). Press the seams open.

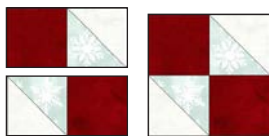


Figure 2 – Make (40) 3-1/2" units.

3. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 2-3/8" 7101-90 Urban Legend – Gray squares. With right sides together, place two marked Gray squares on opposite corners of one 4-1/4" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White square, making sure drawn lines intersect in the middle and noting that the corners of the small squares will overlap. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the marked line (a), cut on the drawn line (b), and

press each unit open (c). Place one more marked Gray square on the corner of each unit, stitch as before (d), and cut. Press the seams open (e) to make four 2" x 3-1/2" flying-geese units. Repeat with the remaining 2-3/8" Gray and the 4-1/4" White squares to make a total of forty flying-geese units (figure 3).

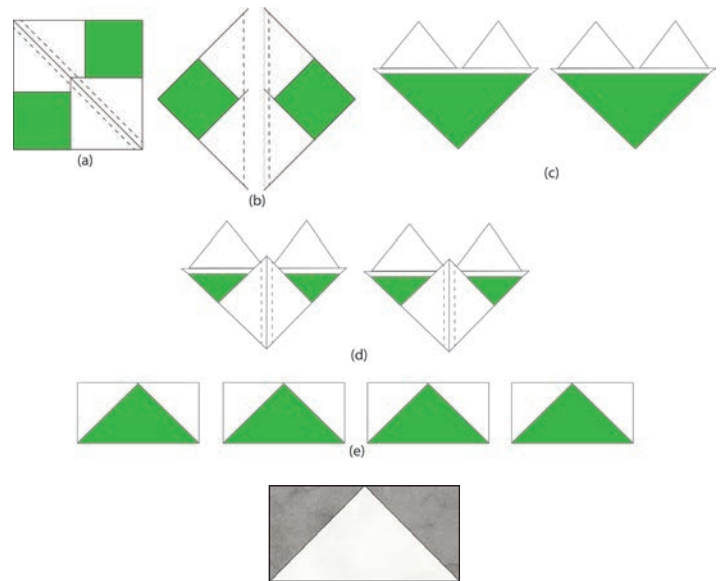


Figure 3 – Make (40) 2" x 3-1/2" units.

4. Repeat Step 3 with the 2-3/8" 7101-66 Urban Legend – Hunter squares and the 4-1/4" 7101-90 Urban Legend – Gray squares to make forty 2" x 3-1/2" flying-geese units. Sew the Step 3 and Step 4 units together and press the seams toward the Gray/Green flying geese (figure 4).

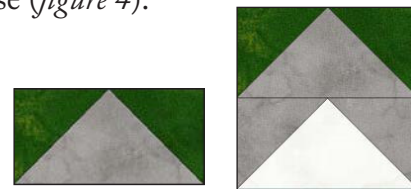


Figure 4 - Make 40 units.

5. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 2" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White squares. Make two groups with twenty 2" x 3-1/2" 7101-66 Urban Legend – Hunter strips each. With right sides together, place one marked White square on the left side of a 2" x 3-1/2" 7101-66 Urban Legend – Hunter strip and stitch on the drawn line (notice the direction of the stitching line). Trim the seam allowance to 1/4" and

press open. Make twenty units. Repeat with the remaining 2" white squares and the Hunter strips in the second group, except stitch the White square on the right side (*figure 5*).

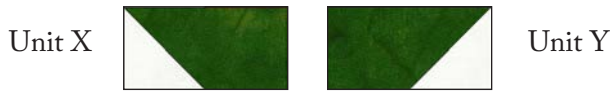


Figure 5 – Make 20 of each type.

6. Noting fabric orientation, sew one Step 5 unit Y to the right side and a unit X to the left side of the Step 4 units (*figure 6*). Press the seams away from the center.



Figure 6

7. Sew a Step 6 unit to opposite sides of the 6-1/2" 2295-01 Winter Scenic – White, the 2297-60 Tossed Red Trucks – Mint, the 2301-01 Scenic Snowman – White, and the 2302-88 Snowman Collage – Red squares to make the block centers (*figure 7*). Press the seams toward the center.



Figure 7

8. Noting fabric orientation, sew a Step 2 unit to opposite sides of the remaining Step 6 units. Press the seams away from the center. Make twenty strips. Sew one strip to the top and one to the bottom of the Step 7 block centers (*figure 8*). Press the seams in one direction. Make ten assorted 12-1/2" blocks.



Make 20



Make 4

Make 2



Make 2

Make 2

Figure 8 – Make (10) assorted 12-1/2" blocks.

9. Sew a 2" x 9-1/2" 7101-88 Urban Legend – Red strip to opposite sides of the 9-1/2" 2304-60 Winter Blocks – Mint squares. Press the seams toward the center. Sew a 2" 7101-90 Urban Legend – Gray square to opposite ends of the remaining 2" x 9-1/2" Red strips. Press the seams away from the center. Sew one strip to the top and one to the bottom of the Mint squares (*figure 9*). Press the seams in one direction. Make ten 12-1/2" blocks.



Figure 9 – Make (10) 12-1/2" blocks.

Assemble Quilt Top

10. Referring to the quilt photo for block placement, lay out the blocks and the 2" x 12-1/2" 2299-01 Snowflakes – White sashing strips in five rows, and join the blocks and sashing strips together in each row. Press the seams toward the sashing.

11. To make the horizontal sashing rows, sew together four Snowflakes – White sashing strips and three 2" 7101-66 Urban Legend – Hunter cornerstone squares. Repeat to make a total of four sashing strips. Press the seams toward the sashing.

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

13. For border 1, join the seven 1-1/2" 2299-01 Snowflakes – White 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 one strip to each side of the quilt top and press the seams toward the border strips. Measure the width of the quilt top through the center. Cut two border strips that length and sew one to the top and one to the bottom. Press the seams toward the borders.

14. Repeat Step 13 with the seven 1-1/2" 7101-66 Urban Legend – Hunter strips to make and add border 2.

15. Repeat Step 13 with the seven 4-1/2" 2296-60 Cardinals & Chickadees in Tree – Mint strips to make and add border 3.

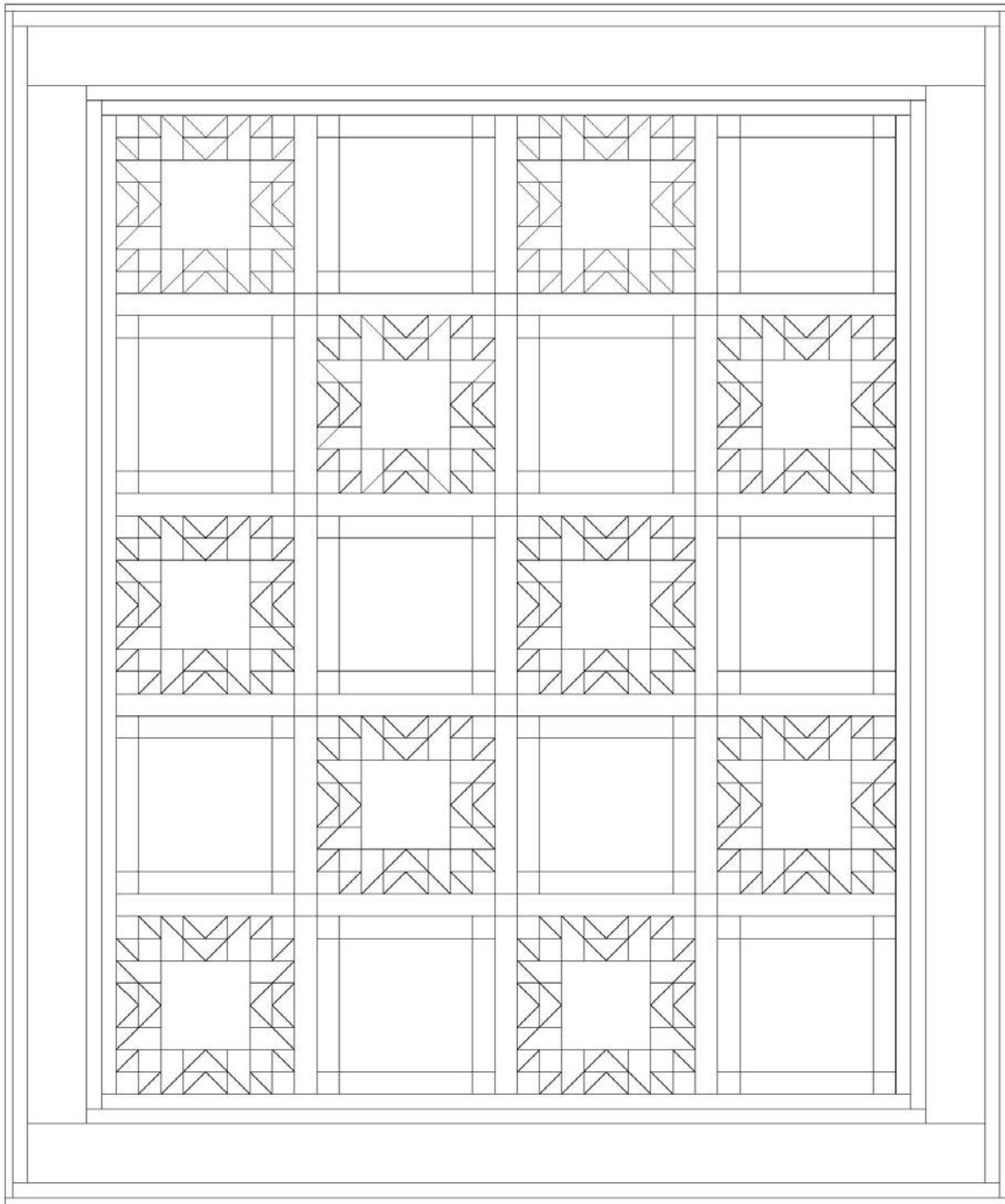
16. Repeat Step 13 with the eight 1-1/2" 2298-88 Ticking Stripe – Red strips to make and add border 4.

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 eight 2-1/2" 7101-88 Urban Legend – 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.

Wintry Mix - Quilt 1



Quilt Diagram