

Starlight Mountains Quilt Pattern

Large Star Block

Unfinished Size - 16 1/2 x 16 1/2 inches

All seams are a scant 1/4 inch

Cutting Instructions for 3 blocks:

Color A (Navy) -

12 squares: 4 1/2 x 6 1/2 in

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Color B (Green) -

3 squares: 4 1/2 x 4 1/2 in

Color C (White) -

36 squares: 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 in

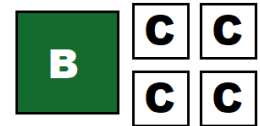
Color D (Light blue) -

12 rectangles: 2 1/2 x 6 1/2 in

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24 squares: 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 in

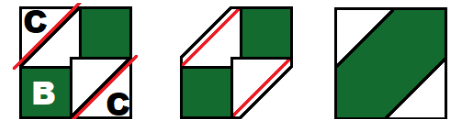
1. First we will make the center square in square unit. You will need:
3 Color B - 4 1/2 x 4 1/2 inch squares and 12 - Color C - 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 inch squares.



2. With right sides of fabric together, place 2 small squares on top of the large square on opposite corners. Draw a diagonal line through both small squares.

Stitch one thread width to the outside of the diagonal line. You will want to line your needle up to the outside of your drawn line when sewing.

Cut 1/4 inch away from this sewn line. Press toward the attached triangles.

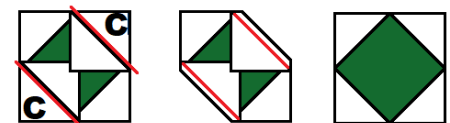


3. Then place 2 more small squares on opposite corners of the square, with right sides of the fabric together. Draw a diagonal line on the back of each small square. Stitch one thread width to the outside of the diagonal line. Line your needle up to the outside of your drawn line when sewing.

Cut 1/4 inch away from this sewn line. Press toward the attached triangle. **This unit will measure: 4 1/2 x 4 1/2 inches.**

Trim if needed, by measuring 2 1/4 inches from the center of the unit.

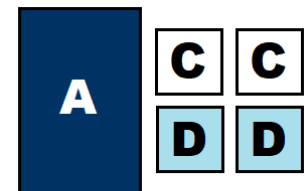
You will need 3 of these units. Set aside.



4. Next we will be making the side center units. You will need:

12 Color A - 4 1/2 x 6 1/2 inch rectangles, 24 Color C - 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 inch squares

and 24 Color D - 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 inch squares.

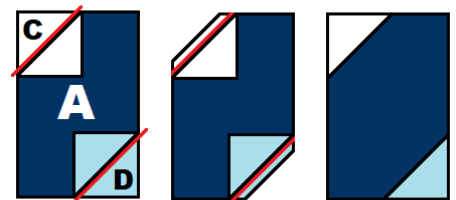


5. With right sides of fabric together, place 1 Color C square in the top left corner of the large rectangle and

place 1 Color D square in the bottom right corner. Draw a diagonal line on the back of both small squares. Stitch one thread width to the outside of the diagonal line. You will want to line your needle up to the outside of your drawn line when sewing.

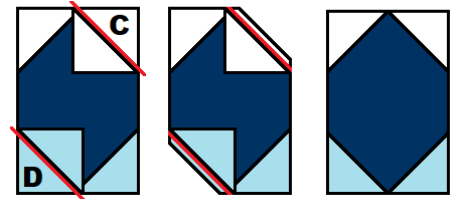
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6. Next, with right sides of the fabric together, place 1 Color C square on the upper right hand corner of the rectangle and place 1 Color D square on the bottom left corner of the rectangle. Draw a diagonal line on the back of both small squares. Stitch one thread width to the outside of the diagonal line. Line your needle up to the outside of your drawn line when sewing. Cut 1/4 inch away from this sewn line. Press toward the attached triangles.

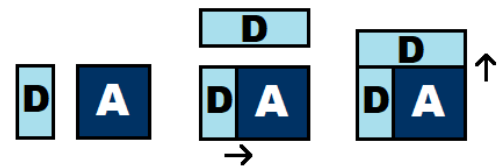


This unit will measure 6 1/2 x 4 1/2 inches. Trim if needed.

You will need 12 of these units. Set aside.

7. With right sides of fabric together, sew 1 Color D - 2 1/2 x 4 1/2 inch rectangle to the left side of 1 Color A 4 1/2 x 4 1/2 inch square. Press the seam toward the Color A square.

With right sides of fabric together, sew 1 Color D - 2 1/2 x 6 1/2 inch rectangle to the top of the unit. Press toward the attached Color D rectangle.



This unit will measure 6 1/2 x 6 1/2 inches. Trim if needed.

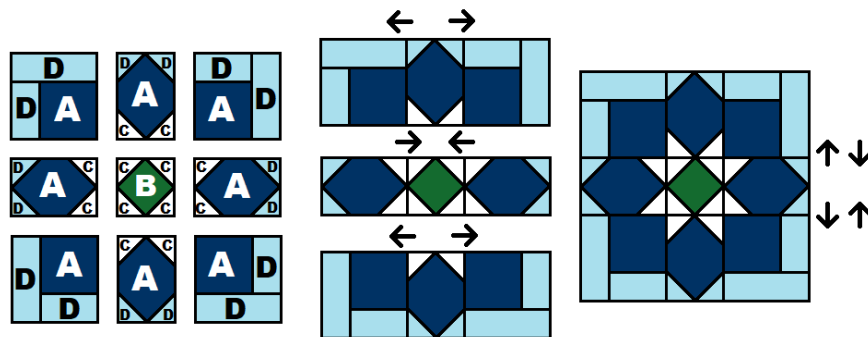
You will need 12 of these units.

8. Lay out the units you made in the previous steps, as shown below. With right sides of fabric together, nest the seams so they interlock. Pin in place and sew together so they form 3 rows. Press the rows in alternating directions.

Next, with right sides of fabric together, nest the seams so they interlock. Pin in place and sew the three rows together to form the block. Press 2 blocks in one direction and remaining block in opposite direction.

This block will measure: 16 1/2 x 16 1/2 inches. Trim if needed.

You will need 3 of these blocks.

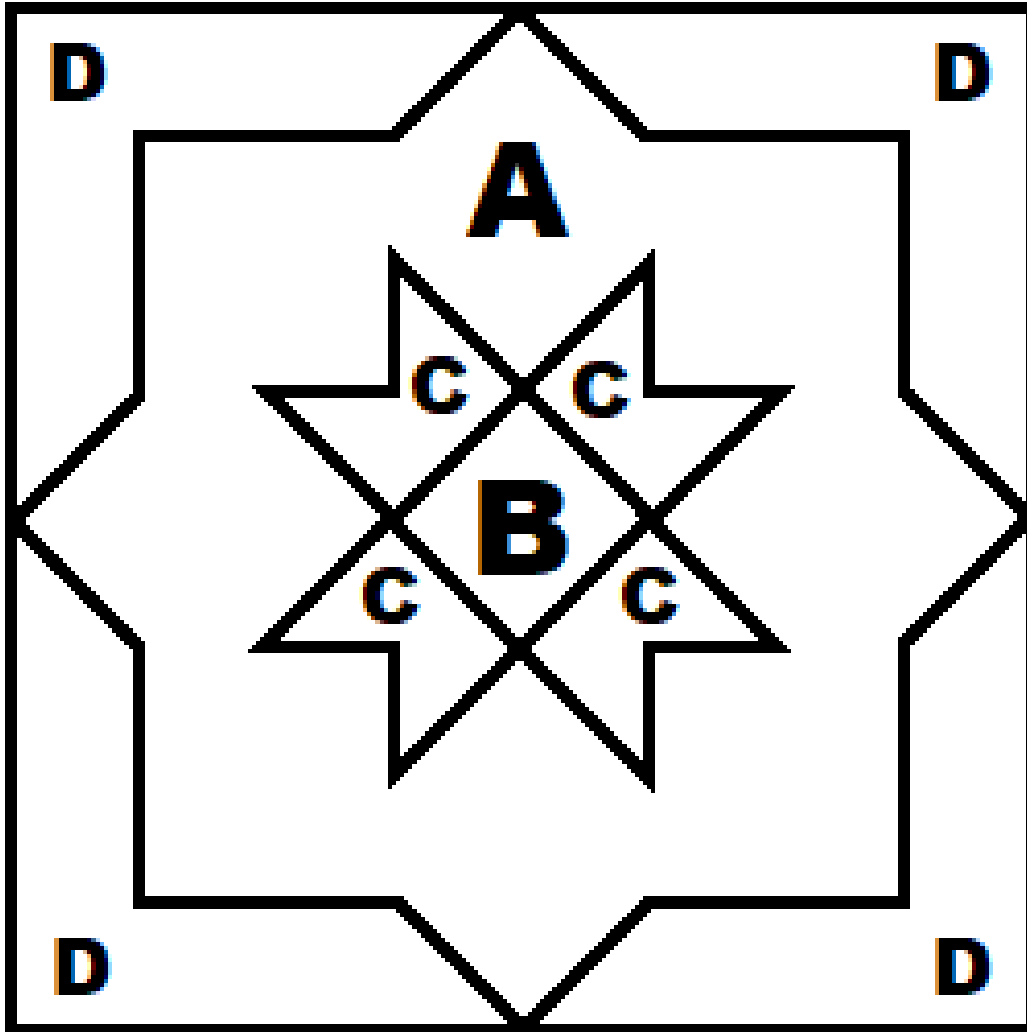


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Coloring Sheet