

# HALLOWEEN WHIMSY

  
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**FINISHED QUILT SIZE:** 68½" × 73"

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## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

- 1 Halloween Whimsy Panel (PD11830)
- 2½ yards Border Stripe (CD11829)
- 1⅞ yards Black Potion (C11827) includes binding
- ¾ yard Orange Icons (C11823)
- ¼ yard Green Stars (C11824)
- ⅞ yard Orange Potion (C11827)

## CUTTING REQUIREMENTS

Please read instructions before cutting fabrics. Refer to the quilt photo for the placement of fabrics. Label pieces as you cut. When fussy-cutting borders, remember ¼" seam allowances are already included in the measurements.

### Halloween Whimsy Panel:

Centering the design, trim the panel to 35½" × 43½".

### From Border Stripe fussy-cut:

- 2 Cream strips 8½" × LOF for Outer Border
- 2 Orange strips 6¾" × LOF for Outer Border
- 2 Green strips 5¾" × LOF for 2nd Inner Border

### From Black Potion cut:

8 strips 2½" × WOF for binding and set aside.

6 strips 2¼" × WOF for 3rd Inner Border

2 strips 1¾" × WOF; subcut:

- 8 rectangles 1¾" × 4½" **C**
- 8 rectangles 1¾" × 3¼" **D**
- 8 squares 1¾" **E**

### From Orange Icons cut:

4 strips 2¼" × WOF for 1st Inner Border

### From Green Stars cut:

- 1 strip 6¾" × WOF; subcut:
  - 4 rectangles 6¾" × 8½" **F**

### From Orange Potion cut:

- 1 strip 3¼" × WOF; subcut:
  - 4 squares 3¼" **A**
- 1 strip 1¾" × remaining strip length; subcut:
  - 16 squares 1¾" **B**

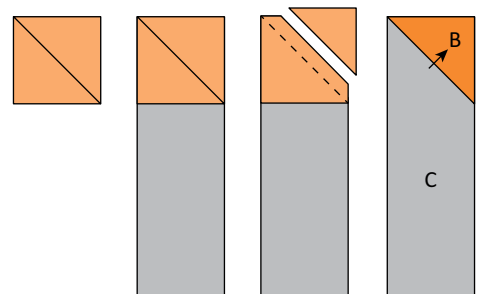
## QUILT ASSEMBLY

Refer to the cutting requirements list, quilt photo and layout diagram for the placement of prints and orientation of blocks. Follow the pressing arrows in the diagrams.

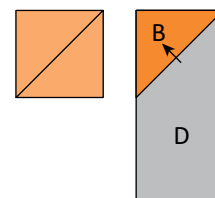
### Stitch 'N Flip (SNF)

The Stitch 'N Flip technique is used to add a triangle of a contrasting fabric to any corner, "replacing" a corner of the original shape. SNF is used to create the Slanted Star Corner Blocks in the 2nd Inner Border.

1. On the wrong side of 16 B squares, draw a diagonal line from corner to corner.
2. Position the drawn square right sides together onto 1 end of a C rectangle oriented as shown. B will replace the upper right-hand corner of C.
3. Stitch on the drawn line. Cut away excess fabric leaving ¼" seam allowances. Flip the triangle up and press.
4. Repeat Steps 1-3 to make 8 CB units.



5. Repeat Steps 1-4. This time, use D and B, with B replacing the upper left-hand corner of D as shown. Make 8 DB units.



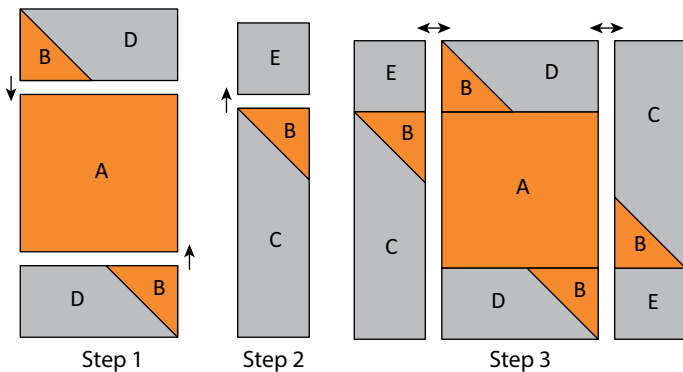
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## Slanted Star Block Assembly

Collect the following pieces to assemble the Slanted Star Block:

- 1 A square
- 2 CB units
- 2 DB units
- 2 E squares

1. Sew DB units to opposite sides of an A square as shown.
2. Sew an E square to the B side of a CB unit. Repeat to make a second ECB unit.
3. Sew the ECB units to either side of the A square as shown. Make 4 Slanted Star Corner Blocks  $5\frac{3}{4}$ " square.



## Quilt Borders

Refer to the Quilt Layout Diagram and quilt photo for block and border orientation. Press seam allowances toward the borders.

### First Inner Border

1. Sew the 4 Orange Icons strips together in 1 long strip.
2. From the strip cut 2 borders 39" long and set aside.
3. From the strip cut 2 more borders 43½" long and sew 1 to each side of the panel.
4. Sew a 39" border to the top, the other to the bottom of the panel. The quilt top measures 39" x 47".

### Second Inner Border

1. From *each* LOF Green Border strip cut a 47" long and a 39" long border. Sew a 47" border to each side of the quilt.
2. Sew a Slanted Star Block to each end of both 39" border strips. Sew 1 to the top, the other to the bottom of the quilt. Be aware of the border and block orientation. The quilt top measures  $49\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $57\frac{1}{2}$ ".

### Third Inner Border

1. Sew the 6 Black Potion  $2\frac{1}{4}$ " strips together in 1 long strip.
2. From the strip cut 2 borders  $57\frac{1}{2}$ " long and sew 1 to each side of the quilt.
3. From the strip cut 2 more borders 53" long and sew 1 to the top, the other to the bottom of the quilt. The quilt top measures 53" x 61".

### Outer Border

1. Trim the 2 Cream Border strips to 61". Sew 1 to each side of the quilt.
2. Trim 2 Orange Border strips to 53". Sew an F rectangle to each end of both strips. Sew 1 border to the top, the other to the bottom of the quilt. The quilt top measures 69" x  $73\frac{1}{2}$ ".

### Finishing

Finish the quilt by layering the quilt top, batting, and back. Bind with  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Black Potion strips.

Have fun and enjoy the journey of making your quilt!

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Quilt Layout Diagram

