

Allover Stars Stocking

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A Fat Quarter friendly project 😊

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Fabric

Yardage - All Fat Quarters

Red 1 – 1939-R2

Red 2 – 1939-R

Green 1 – 1939-G2

Green 2 – 1939-G

Cuff - 1938-E

Backing - 1938-R

Lining – 1937-G and 1937-R

Cutting

Red 1

Cut (12) 3-1/4" squares

Red 2

Cut (12) 2-1/2" squares

Green 1

Cut (12) 3-1/4" squares

Green 2

Cut (12) 2-1/2" squares

Cuff

Cut (2) 5-1/2" x 16-1/2"

Cut (1) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2"

Backing

Cut (1) 13" x 21"

Lining

Cut from Two Fat Quarters

(2) 13" x 21"

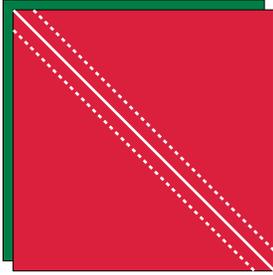
Construction

An accurate 1/4" seam allowance is imperative. Take time to do a seam allowance check before beginning. Cut TWO pieces of fabric exactly 1-1/2" x 4". Stitch them together with a 1/4" seam. Press in either direction. At the midpoint along this unit, measure across. It should be 2-1/2". If not, adjust your seam and repeat until you are correct.

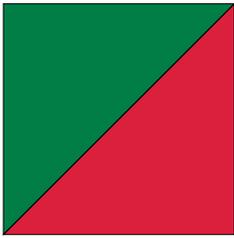
This stocking finishes 8" wide. The piecing, when accurate, will allow you to place the pattern on, nearly exactly. Should your piece be too small because of large seams you may either add a small strip along the edge OR trim the stocking pattern a wee bit to make it fit,

The Stocking shaped pattern is available full size as a separate download named Stocking Template.

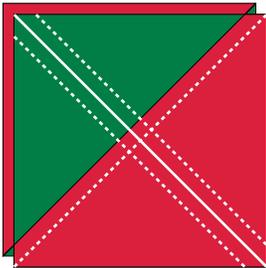
1. Place the 3-1/4" squares of Red 1 right sides together with the 3-1/4" squares of Green 1. On the back, draw a diagonal line. Stitch accurately 1/4" on each side of the drawn line. Make 12.



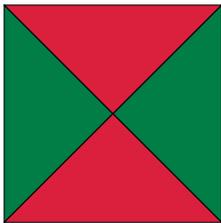
2. Cut the Step 1 units along the drawn line. Press toward the Green 1. They should measure 2-7/8" square from raw edge to raw edge. There will be 24 of them.



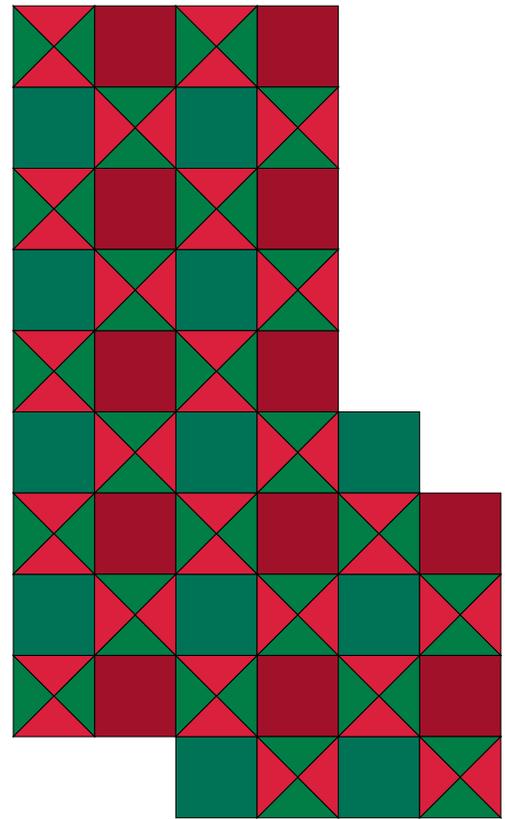
3. Place two of the Step 2 units right sides together with the opposite colors touching. Draw a diagonal line on the back that is perpendicular to the first stitching. Stitch accurately 1/4" on each side of this line.



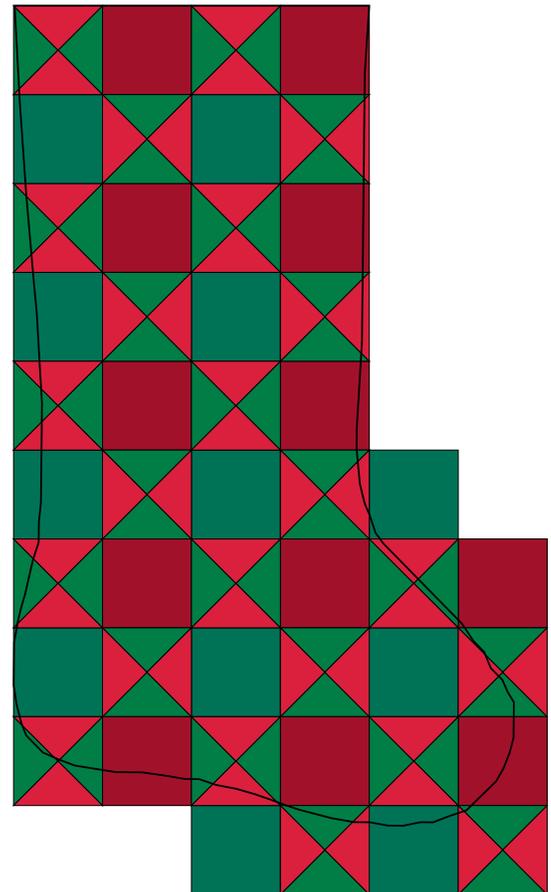
4. Cut the Step 3 units apart on the drawn line and press. There will be 24 of them, measuring 2-1/2" square from raw edge to raw edge.



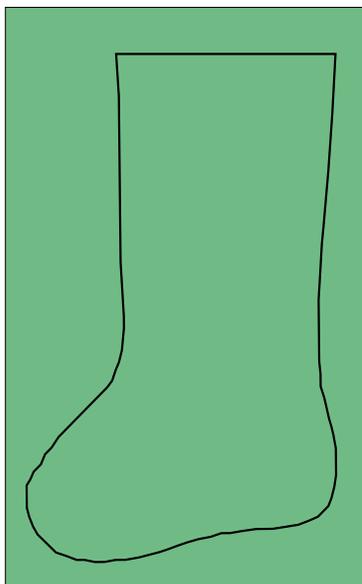
5. Use the Step 4 units and the (12) 2-1/2" squares of Red 2 and (12) 2-1/2" squares of Green 2 to lay out the Stocking Front patchwork. Stitch it together, taking care to maintain accuracy. Alternate the seams. Press carefully – very flat. The narrow part should be 8-1/2" wide, raw edge to raw edge. The vertical measurement is 20-1/2" raw edge to raw edge. (see diagram at top of next column)



6. Position the Stocking pattern on the patchwork and cut the shape.



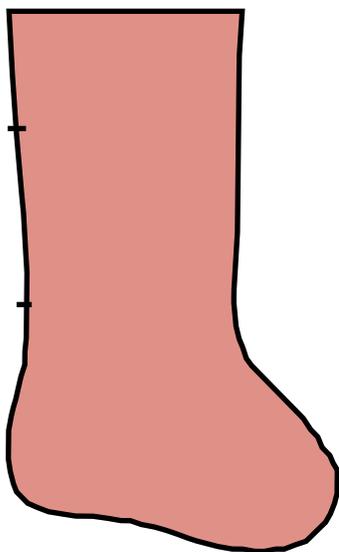
7. Place the Stocking pattern upside down on the right side of the 13" x 21" Backing. Cut a Stocking back in mirror image to the front.



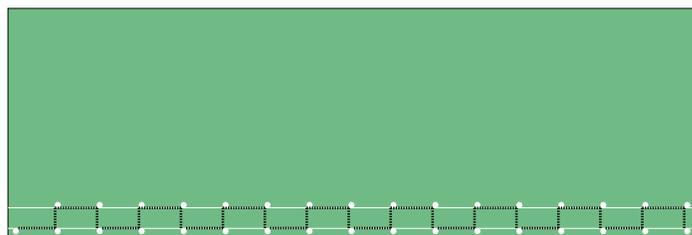
8. In the same manner cut (2) mirror image Stocking patterns from the (2) 13" x 21" Lining pieces.

9. Right sides together, stitch the Stocking front and back together, leaving open at the upper edge. Clip the seams to the stitching line carefully in the curved areas. Turn right side out and finger press.

10. Right sides together, stitch the Lining front and back together, except . . . along the long 'back' seam, stitch about 4" from the top. Leave 6" 'open' for turning later. Continue stitching around the heel, toe and back to the top. Leave this piece inside out.



11. Place the (2) Cuff pieces which measure 5-1/2" x 16-1/2" right sides together. Draw a pencil line 1/4" above the lower edge, and another line 3/4" above the lower edge. These two lines will be 1/2" apart. (see diagram at top of next column)



12. Beginning at the left side of the lower line, measure in 1/4" and make a dot. Make additional dots every 1". The final dot should be 1/4" from the other side.

13. Beginning at the left side of the upper line, measure 1-1/4" and make a dot. Make additional dots every 1". The final dot should be 1/4" from the other side.

14. Connect the dots, forming a Greek Key pattern.

15. Keeping the two pieces precisely together, shorten your stitch length and stitch the Greek Key from dot to dot, beginning at a dot (NOT the raw edge 1/4" away) and ending at the final lower dot.

16. Cut the shape, leaving a narrow 1/8" seam allowance. Clip a bit closer to the seam on the upper dots.

17. Carefully turn right side out and taking care to not poke through the stitching, make the Greek Key edge looks right. Press carefully.

18. Keeping the Greek Key out of the way, open it and place the side seams together, right sides together. A 1/4" seam along the side will close the cuff, and just skim past the points. Finger press this seam open. Turn right side out. It will be a 16" tube with a facing and Greek Key along the finished edge. The upper edge will be open.

19. Slide the Step 18 cuff over the outside of the right side out stocking. Pin in place with the upper raw edges even.

20. Make a loop to hang the stocking from the 1-1/2" x 5-1/2" Cuff fabric. Fold both long edges toward the center, then fold that in half and stitch along the edge. Make certain it is right side out when stitched.

21. Fold the Step 20 loop in half. Match the raw edges to the raw edges of the top of the Stocking and pin in place.

22. Gently stuff the Step 19 Stocking inside the wrong side out Lining. Match the upper raw edges, taking care to have the toe heading the same direction on both pieces. Pin. Stitch around the upper edge.

23. Carefully pull the Stocking through the 6" opening you left in the Lining. Close the Lining opening by folding the seams to the inside, matching the folds, and stitching very close to the folded seams.

24. Stuff the Lining into the stocking. Shape the Cuff so it folds over the top of the Stocking, exposing the loop.



25. Embellish the Stocking, Cuff, or both.

Enjoy.

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