## The Floral States of America

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Patriotic Blooms Quilt designed by: Andover Fabrics • Quilt Size: 51' x 34"
Skill Level: Intermediate

# Patriotic Blooms 

Featuring Andover Fabrics new Collection: The Floral States of America Quilt designed by Andover Fabrics

Quilt finished 51" x 34"

## Quilt Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus $1 / 4$ " seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42 " wide).

Fabric A Fussy cut (1) $431 / 2 " \times 26^{1 / 2 "}$ rectangle, centered on the panel.

Fabric B Cut (2) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 26^{1 / 2 "}$ WOF strips. Cut (3) 2 " x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $2 " \times 46^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.

Fabric C Cut (2) $31 / 2$ " $\times 38^{\prime \prime}$ WOF strips.
Cut (3) $31 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $3^{1 / 2 "} \times 55^{\prime \prime}$ strips.

Binding
Cut (5) $21 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips for the binding.

Backing Cut (1) 59 " x WOF strip and trim to make (1) 59 " x 42 " backing.

## Making the Quilt

The arrows in the diagrams represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components.

## 1. Block Assembly

Sew (1) 2 " $\times 261 / 2$ " Fabric B strip to each side of the $43^{1 / 2 "} \times 26^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric A rectangle. Sew (1) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 46^{1 / 2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A rectangle to make the Center Block (Diagram 1). Trim the block to measure $451 / 2 " \times 281 / 2 "$.

## Quilt Fabric Requirements

Yardage Fabric
Fabric A center panel 1 panel 960-B
Fabric B border $3 / 8$ yard 1008-VA*
Fabric C border $5 / 8$ yard $962-B$
Binding
Backing
$1 / 2$ yard $1008-$ VA $^{*}$
$13 / 4$ yards $961-\mathrm{B}$

* Choose your state flower and represent your state in this fun quilt!

Virginia state flower shown in image and fabric requirements above.


## Quilt Top Assembly

(Refer to the Quilt Layout when assembling the quilt top.)
2. Center (1) $31 / 2 " \times 38$ " Fabric C strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a $1 / 4$ " from the top edge of the block and stop a $1 / 4$ " from the bottom edge. DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS. Repeat with the opposite side.
3. Repeat Step 2 to sew (1) $31 / 2$ " $\times 55$ " Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start $1 / 4$ " away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Center Block on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Diagram 2).
4. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Diagram 2), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.


## Finishing the Quilt

5. Layer and quilt as desired.
6. Sew the (5) binding strips together, end to end with a 45 -degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in halflengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
7. Bind as desired.


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963-AL


971-FL


975-IL

979-KY


983-MA
(4)

987-MO


991-NH
 995-NC


999-OR


## 

1011-WI
is $\frac{3}{3}$ Violet
5/8 yd 962-L


964-AK


968-CO


972-GA


976-IN


980-LA


984-MI


988-MT


992-NJ


996-ND


1000-PA


1004-TN


1008-VA
$7 / 8$ yd


1012-WY

(includes backing)
 962-T

965-AZ
 969-CT
 973-HI


977-IA


981-ME

$985-\mathrm{MN}$


989-NE


993-NM

$997-\mathrm{OH}$


1001-RI


1005-TX


1009-WA

966-AR

970-DE
 974-ID


978-KS


982-MD
 986-MS


990-NV
2y
994-NY


998-OK
 1002-SC
 1006-UT
 1010-WV

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