

French General French General Pom Pom de Paris Size: 86"x86"

Quilters Basics

Read instructions before beginning a project. All instructions include a ¼" seam allowance. Press as you go. Press seams in one direction 22" measurement is approximate.

Construction

Paper Piecing

The following directions apply for all of the various fabrics in this project. Half square triangles are used to make the blocks for this quilt. For ease of piecing, we suggest using Triangles on a Roll (3" finished) to make the half square triangle units. Make 32 half square triangle units from each of the 6 pink and 6 yellow prints – for a total of 384 triangle units. Note: there will be a few extra triangles to mix and match within the blocks.

- 1. Pin a Print–10"x 22" strip and a Background 10"x 22" strip right sides together. Then pin a four column strip of triangle paper to the matched pair. Stitch on dotted lines and cut on solid lines to make 16 half square triangle units. Repeat with second strip of matching print for a total of 32 half square triangle units per print.
- Repeat with each of the 11 remaining prints to make 384 half square triangles. For easy piecing label and sort triangle units as they are sewn.



Stitch on dotted line and cut on solid lines to make 32 half square triangle units from each of the 12 prints.

Half square triangles. Make 32 from each of the 12 prints – 384 total. $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " with seams.

Assemble Blocks

All blocks are pieced on the diagonal. Each block requires 20 pink and 20 yellow half square triangle units. Press all seams away from background triangle.

CUTTING

Note: 22" is approximate Fabric 1 First cut $7 - 2\frac{1}{2}$ "xWOF strips for inner border Then cut 12 - 10"xWOF strips Subcut 24 - 10"x22" strips for paper piecing

Fabric 2

First cut 7 – 1"xWOF strips for accent border Then cut 1 – 10"xWOF strip Subcut 2 – 10"x22" strips for paper piecing

Fabrics 3-11 from each fabric Cut 1 – 10"xWOF strip Subcut 2 – 10"x22" strips for paper piecing

Fabric 12

- First cut 1 10"xWOF strip Subcut 2 - 10"x22" strips for paper piecing Then cut $2 - 9\frac{1}{2}$ "x LENGTH of fabric strips for outer border
- From the remaining fabric (approx. 23"x 98") Cut 9 – 9½"x WOF (23") strips for top and bottom borders

Fabric 13

First cut 2 – 5¼"x WOF strips Subcut 10–5¼"x5¼" squares cut twice diagonally
Then cut 1 – 10"xWOF strip Subcut 2 – 10"x22" strips for paper piecing

Fabric 14

First cut 5 – 5¼"x WOF strips
Subcut 35–5¼"x5¼" squares cut twice diagonally
Then cut 9 – 2½"xWOF strips for binding

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Block 1 – Corner Blocks – Make 4

In addition to the 20 pink and 20 yellow triangle units each Block 1 requires 5 – Fabric 13 and 15– Fabric 14 triangles. Refer to diagrams for color placement. *Note placement of red "border" triangles as each corner block is different. The double yellow triangles form the 4 outside corners of the quilt top center.*







Assemble Quilt

- 1. Stitch pieced blocks into 3 rows of 3 blocks noting the direction of the pinks and yellows. Refer to diagram for block placement. Press seams in direction of arrows.
- 2. Join the 3 rows.

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Borders

Pink Accent Border

- 1. Using a bias seam, join the 7 1"x WOF strips end to end. Press seams open.
- 2. Measure the quilt top from top to bottom through the center. Cut 2 side accent borders to that measurement (approx. 63¹/₂") and add to opposite sides of the quilt top. Press seams toward triangles.
- 3. Measure quilt top through the center from side to side, including the accent borders. Cut a top and bottom accent border to that measurement (approx. 64¹/₂"). Press seams toward triangles.

Cream Inner Border

- 1. Using a bias seam, join the 7 Fabric $1 2\frac{1}{2}$ "x WOF strips end to end. Press seams open.
- 2. Measure the quilt top from top to bottom through the center. Cut 2 side inner borders to that measurement (approx. 64¹/₂") and add to opposite sides of the quilt top. Press seams toward inner border.
- 3. Measure quilt top through the center from side to side, including the inner borders. Cut a top and bottom inner border to that measurement (approx. 68½"). Press seams toward inner border.

Outer Border

- 1. Using a bias seam, join the 9 Fabric 12 9¹/₂"x 22" approx. strips end to end. Press seams open.
- Measure quilt top through the center from side to side, including the inner borders. Cut a top and bottom outer border to that measurement (approx. 68¹/₂"). Press seams toward outer border.
- 3. Measure the quilt top from top to bottom through the center, including the inner borders. Cut 2 side outer borders from the 2 9½"x Length of Fabric strips to that measurement (approx. 86½") and add to opposite sides of the quilt top. Press seams toward outer border.

Finishing

Using a bias seam, join the 9- 2¹/₂"xWOF strips end to end. Press seams open. Fold prepared strip in half wrong sides together and press to make the binding.

Layer, quilt and bind.

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Also needed: 3" finished Half Square Triangles on a Roll