

Repeat Revolution

Week Four: Row Assembly

Cutting:

Background: Cut 6 ea. 5" Width of Fabric Strips (might need 7 depending on width of fabric) From these strips, cut 66 Triangles the same as from your stack.

8 ea. 2" X width of fabric for Background Border

Top Row and Bottom Row:

Stitch together three Background triangles to form half of a hexagon. Make 10 Half Hexes.

Lay out Half Hexes as shown in diagram at right, adding in the Star/Accent triangles (leftover from rows) as shown.

Stitch the Star/Accent triangle to its adjacent Half Hex.

Stitch these units together to form top and bottom rows.

NOTE: Extra "Tails" will eventually be trimmed, but leave for now.

Long Rows:

Stitch two Background triangles together to form a diamond. Make 6 Diamonds.

Layout Diamonds to form both ends of long rows. Again, fill in with appropriate Star/Accent triangles.

Stitch the triangles to the Diamonds and add unit to row.

Again there will be a bit of excess that will be trimmed later.

Short Rows:

Stitch together 6 Background Triangles to make a full hexagon.

Layout the background Hexes with extra Star/Accent triangles to complete both ends of the short rows.

Stitch the triangle to the background Hex and stitch the resulting unit to the row (one on each end) to complete short rows.

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Assemble the Rows:

Layout all the rows in proper order following the diagram at right. Stitch together, matching points as necessary.

Trim excess 1/4" beyond star points in preparation for background border strips.

Background Border:

Stitch together then trim to size the 2" Background Border strips to add to quilt adding top and bottom border first than the sides.

NEXT WEEK: More Borders!

