

# DIAMOND DELIGHT

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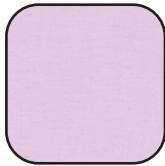

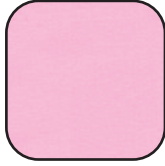
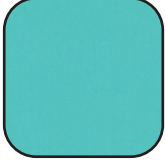
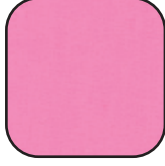
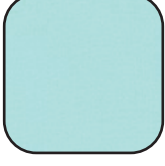
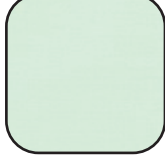
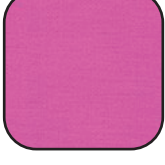
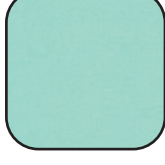
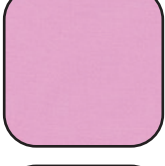

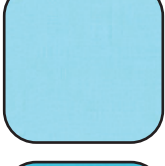

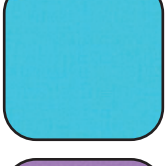

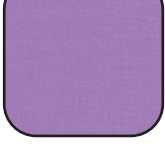
Difficulty Rating: **Intermediate**

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## Fabric and Supplies Needed

*Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.*

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage		Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	K001-1383 VIOLET	1/4 yard			J	K001-844 PRINCESS	1/3 yard
	B	K001-24 PETUNIA	1/3 yard			K	K001-143 PETAL	1/4 yard
	C	K001-45 POOL	1/4 yard			L	K001-1062 CANDY PINK	1/3 yard
	D	K001-1005 AQUA	1/3 yard			M	K001-1852 SEA MIST	1/4 yard
	E	K001-489 GUMDROP	1/4 yard			N	K001-837 ARUBA	1/3 yard
	F	K001-487 CORSAGE	1/3 yard			O	K106-1917 ARTIC ICE	1-1/2 yards
	G	K001-1514 ROBIN EGG	1/4 yard			P	K001-1987 COSMOS	1-2/3 yards
	H	K001-491 JAMAICA	1/3 yard			Binding*	K001-1987 COSMOS	1/2 yard
	I	K001-1392 WISTERIA	1/4 yard				<i>*Also used for Fabric P</i>	
				You will also need: 4 yards for backing				

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## Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## Cutting Instructions

### **From each of Fabrics A, C, E, G, I, K and M, cut:**

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese

one 2-7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eight 2-7/8" squares for the Square-In-A-Square units. Cut each square in half along one diagonal

### **From each of Fabrics B, J and N, cut:**

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

five 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese

Trim the remainder of the strip to 2-7/8" wide, then subcut:

two 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eight 3" squares for the HSTs

one 2-7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

fourteen 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese, for a total of sixteen

### **From each of Fabrics D and F, cut:**

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese

From the remainder of the strip, cut:

two 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles for traditional flying geese units

two 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eight 3" squares for the HSTs

one 2-7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

fourteen 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese, for a total of sixteen

### **From Fabric H and L, cut:**

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese

From the remainder of the strip, cut:

one 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangle for traditional flying geese units

two 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eight 3" squares for the HSTs

one 2-7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

fourteen 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese, for a total of sixteen

**From Fabric O, cut:**

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese

four 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:

fifty-six 3" squares for the HSTs

one 2-7/8" x WOF strip. Subcut:

twelve 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese

thirteen 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

thirteen 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" rectangles for the outer border

two 2-1/2" x 10-1/2" rectangles for the outer border

two 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles for the outer border

twelve 2-1/2" squares for the traditional flying geese

one hundred fourteen 2-1/2" squares for the block corners and borders

**From Fabric P, cut:**

four 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twenty-eight 4-1/2" squares

three 3-3/8" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twenty-eight 3-3/8" squares for the Square-In-A-Square units

ten 2-7/8" x WOF strips. Subcut:

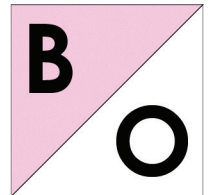
one hundred twenty-eight 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese

**From the Binding Fabric, cut:**

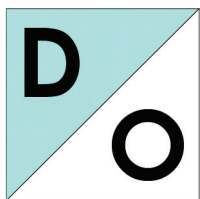
seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

Assemble the Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

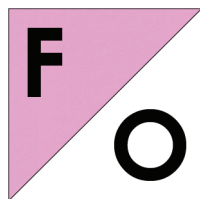
**Step 1:** Pair a 3" Fabric O square with a 3" Fabric B square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to 2-1/2" square. Repeat to make sixteen B/O HSTs.



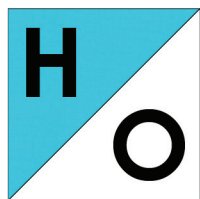
**Step 2:** Repeat Step 1 to make:



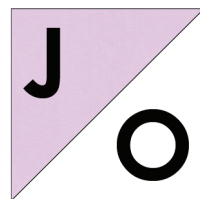
sixteen  
D/O HSTs



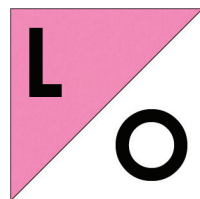
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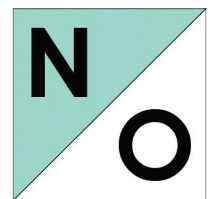
sixteen  
H/O HSTs



sixteen  
J/O HSTs



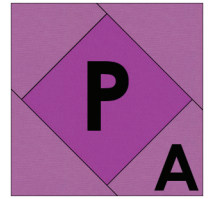
sixteen  
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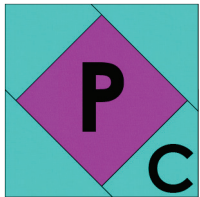
sixteen  
N/O HSTs

## Assemble the Square In A Square Units (SIASs)

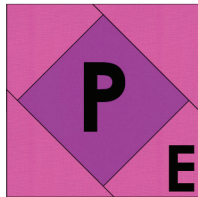
**Step 3:** Sew a 2-7/8" Fabric A triangle to opposite sides of a 3-3/8" Fabric P square. Press seam allowances toward the triangles. Repeat on remaining sides of the Fabric P square. Trim the SIAS block to 4-1/2" square. Make four P/A SIAS units.



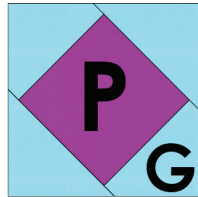
**Step 4:** Repeat Step 3 to make:



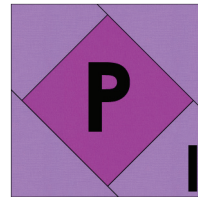
four P/C  
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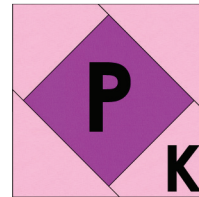
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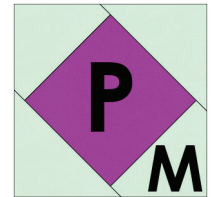
four P/G  
SIAS units



four P/I  
SIAS units



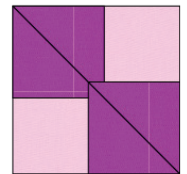
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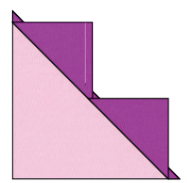
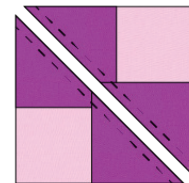
four P/M  
SIAS units

## Assemble the Flying Geese Units

**Step 5:** Pin two 2-7/8" Fabric P squares in opposing corners of a 5-1/4" Fabric B square, RST. The squares will overlap slightly in the center of the large square. Using a ruler, draw a diagonal line through the squares.

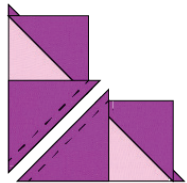


**Step 6:** Sew scant 1/4" seam on each side of the diagonal line. Set the seam by pressing it flat. Cut along the diagonal line, creating two identical units.

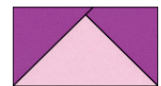


**Step 7:** Press the fabric toward smaller triangles. Repeat with the second unit.

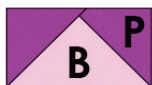
**Step 8:** Place one 2-7/8" Fabric P square at the corner of sewn block unit. Draw diagonal line in pencil. Sew a scant 1/4" seam on each side of diagonal line. Set seam (press). Cut along diagonal line, creating two identical units.



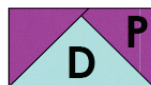
**Step 9:** Press the seam toward smaller triangle. Trim off small dog ears left by the seam allowance. Trim to 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" if necessary. Repeat to make four flying geese blocks.



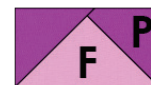
**Step 10:** Repeat with all remaining 5-1/4" squares and 2-7/8" Fabric P, B, D, F, H, J, L, N and O squares to make a total of:



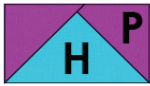
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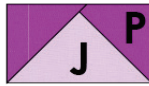
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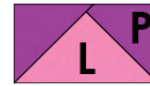
sixteen F/P flying geese  
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sixteen H/P flying geese  
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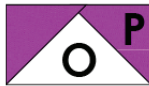
sixteen J/P flying geese  
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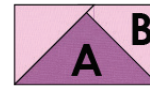
sixteen L/P flying geese  
(note: one will not be used)



sixteen N/P flying geese  
(note: three will not be used)



sixteen O/P flying geese  
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sixteen A/B flying geese



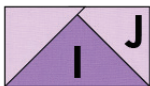
sixteen C/D flying geese



sixteen E/F flying geese



sixteen G/H flying geese



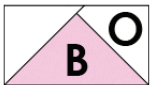
sixteen I/J flying geese



sixteen K/L flying geese



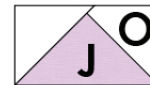
sixteen M/N flying geese



four B/O flying geese  
(note: one will not be used)



four N/O flying geese  
(note: one will not be used)

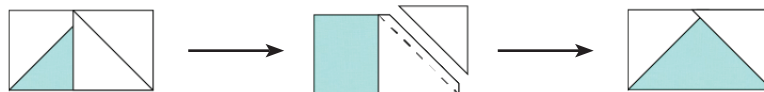


four J/O flying geese  
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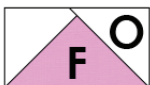
**Step 11:** Place a 2-1/2" Fabric O square RST at one end of a 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric D rectangle. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of the square, as shown. Sew on the marked line and trim away the excess fabric, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press toward the triangle.



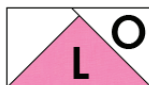
**Step 12:** Repeat Step 11 at the remaining end of the rectangle. The resulting flying geese block should measure 2-1/2" x 4-1/2". Make two D/O flying geese.



**Step 13:** Repeat Steps 11 and 12 to make:



two F/O flying geese

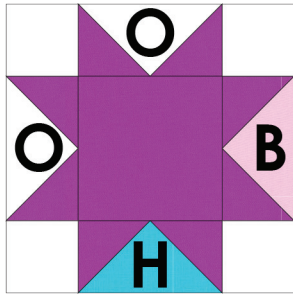


one L/O flying geese



one H/O flying geese

## Assemble the A Blocks



**Step 14:** Gather:  
 four 2-1/2" Fabric O squares  
 one 4-1/2" Fabric P square  
 two O/P flying geese units  
 one B/P flying geese unit  
 one H/P flying geese unit

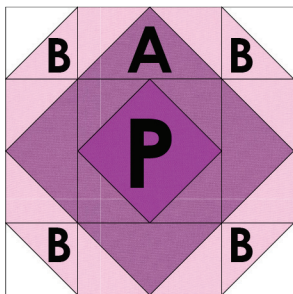
Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

**Step 15:** Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams toward the squares.

**Step 16:** Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the A Block. The Block should measure 8-1/2" square.

Repeat Steps 14-16 to make twenty-eight A Blocks, referring to the Quilt Assembly Diagram for fabric placement and orientation.

## Assemble the B Blocks



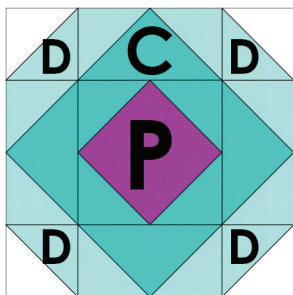
**Step 17:** Gather:  
 one P/A SIAS unit  
 four B/O HSTs  
 four A/B flying geese units

Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

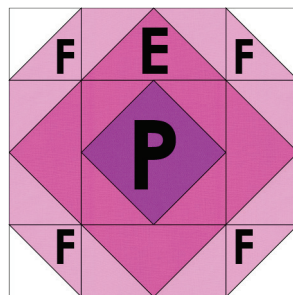
**Step 18:** Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams toward the flying geese.

**Step 19:** Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the B Block. The Block should measure 8-1/2" square. Make four A/B Blocks total.

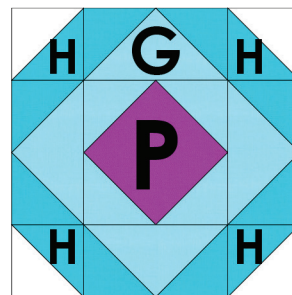
Repeat Steps 17-19 to make:



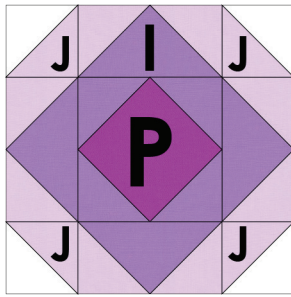
four C/D Blocks



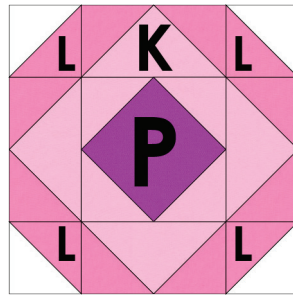
four E/F Blocks



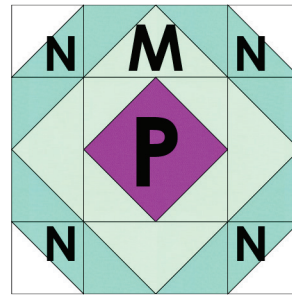
four G/H Blocks



four I/J Blocks



four K/L Blocks



four M/N Blocks

## Assemble the Borders

### Step 20: Gather:

- four 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" Fabric O rectangles
- one B/O flying geese unit
- one D/O flying geese unit
- one F/O flying geese unit

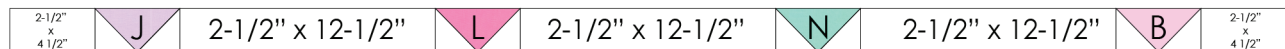
Sew together, as shown, to form the top border. Press the seams toward the Fabric O rectangles.



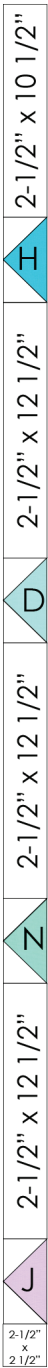
### Step 21: Gather:

- three 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" Fabric O rectangles
- two 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric O rectangles
- one J/O flying geese unit
- one L/O flying geese unit
- one N/O flying geese unit
- one B/O flying geese unit

Sew together, as shown, to form the bottom border. Press the seams toward the Fabric O rectangles.







**Step 22:** Gather:

- three 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" Fabric O rectangles
- one 2-1/2" Fabric O square
- one 2-1/2" x 10-1/2" Fabric O rectangle
- one H/O flying geese unit
- one D/O flying geese unit
- one N/O flying geese unit
- one J/O flying geese unit

Sew together, as shown, to form the left border. Press the seams toward the Fabric O rectangles.

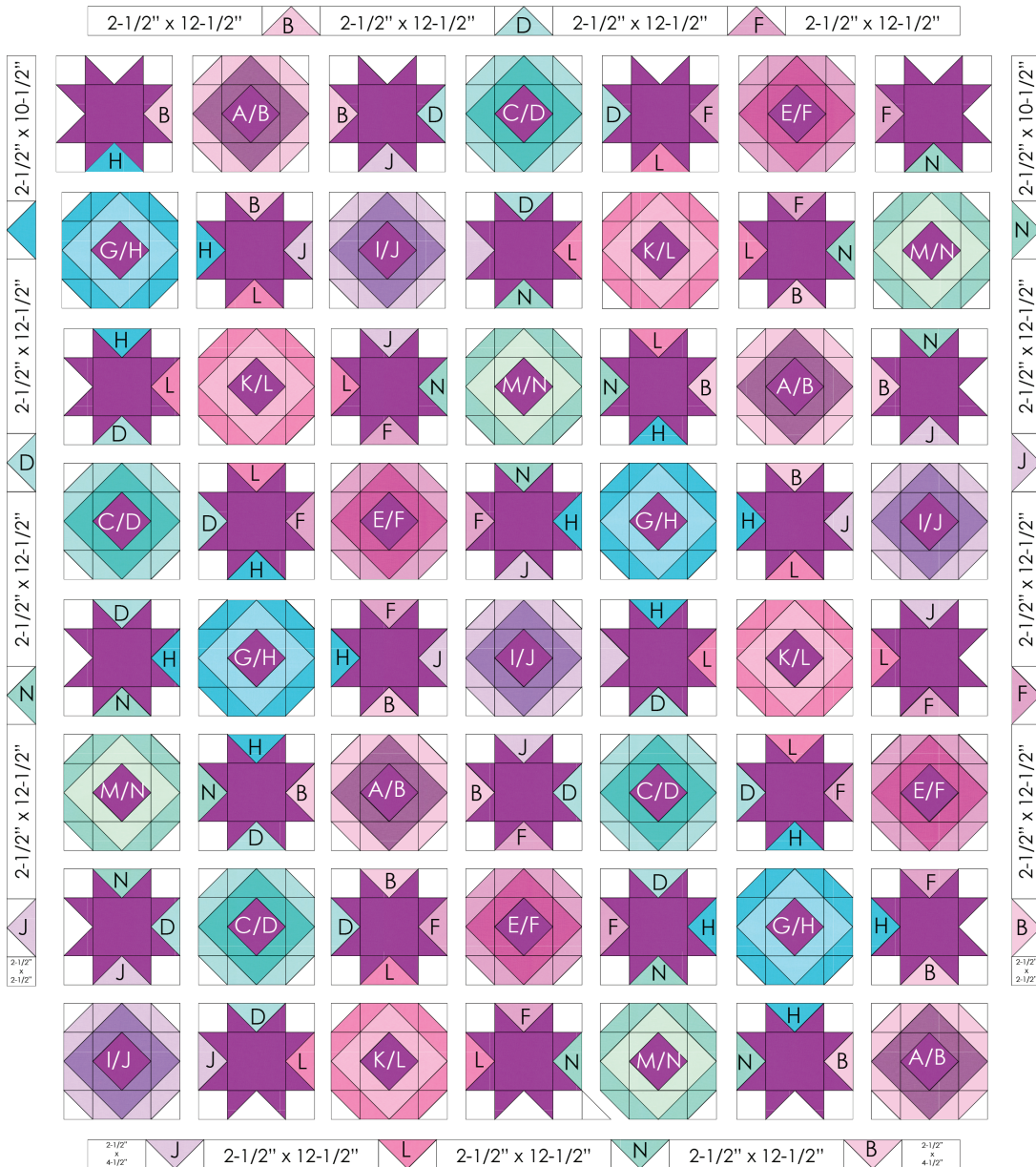
**Step 23:** Gather:

- three 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" Fabric O rectangles
- one 2-1/2" Fabric O square
- one 2-1/2" x 10-1/2" Fabric O rectangle
- one N/O flying geese unit
- one J/O flying geese unit
- one F/O flying geese unit
- one B/O flying geese unit

Sew together, as shown, to form the right border. Press the seams toward the Fabric O rectangles.



## Assemble the Quilt



**Step 24:** Arrange the A and B Blocks into eight rows of seven blocks. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.

**Step 25:** Sew the blocks together to form rows. Press the rows to the left in the odd numbered rows and to the right in the even numbered rows.

**Step 26:** Sew the rows together to form the quilt center. Press the row seams open.

**Step 27:** Sew the side outer borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom outer borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

Your quilt top is finished! Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!

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