

# Jungle Friends

Quilt Designed by eQuilter



63 1/2" x 71"



*Please read all instructions before beginning. Pre-washing NOT recommended.*

## Yardages and Cutting

*WOF is width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. LOF is length of fabric, parallel to the selvage edges. Remove as little fabric as possible when removing selvages and squaring strip ends.*

### 1 Jungle Friends panel

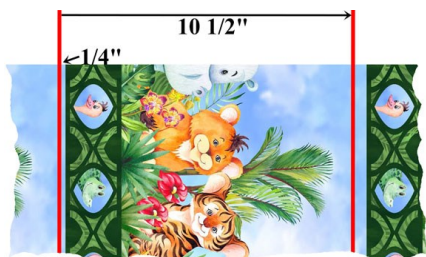
- Trim to 35" x 42 1/2", keeping the green framing even on the 4 corner squares.

### 1 Jungle Friends squares panel

- Fussy-cut (4) 10 1/2" squares.

### 1 1/2 yards border stripe

- Fussy-cut (4) 10 1/2" x LOF strips, cutting 1/4" below the green stripe at the bottom of an animal stripe and then cutting 10 1/2" to the top of the animal stripe as shown.
- Trim to 2 strips each 45 1/2" and 38".



### 1/3 yard blue sky

- 4 strips 2" x WOF; trim to 2 strips each 42 1/2" and 38" for panel framing.

### 7/8 yard green hearts

- 7 strips 3 1/2" x WOF for border.

### 2/3 yard zebra print

- 8 strips 2 1/4" x WOF for binding.

### 5 yards of 44/45" backing fabric

- 2 strips 87" x WOF

### OR

### 2 1/4 yards wide backing fabric

- 1 piece 79" x 87"

### Batting

- 1 piece 79" x 87"

## Completing the Quilt

*Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press seams as directed. Refer to the exploded quilt diagram on the next page throughout the following steps.*

1. Sew 2" x 42 1/2" blue strips to the sides of the large panel. Press seams toward the strips. Stitch 2" x 38" strips to the top and bottom. Press seams toward the strips.
2. Stitch 10 1/2" x 45 1/2" border stripe strips to the sides of the framed panel. Press seams toward the strips.
3. Sew panel squares to ends of the 10 1/2" x 38" border stripe strips to make (2) 10 1/2" x 58" strips. Press seams toward the strips. Stitch the strips to the top and bottom of the large panel section. Press seams toward the strips.
4. Stitch the 3 1/2" x WOF green strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips each 65 1/2" and 64". Sew the longer strips to the sides of the quilt center and the shorter strips to the top and bottom to complete the top. Press seams toward the strips.
5. If using 44/45" backing fabric, remove the selvage edges from the backing pieces. Join the pieces on the long edges with a 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam open. Trim to make the 79" x 87" backing piece.
6. Layer the quilt top with the backing and batting pieces. Quilt as desired. Trim batting and backing even with the top.
7. Join the zebra print binding strips on the short ends with diagonal seams to make a long strip. Press seams open. Press the strip in half along the length with wrong sides together.

8. Bind the quilt edges using your favorite method to complete the quilt.

