

Victorian Floral Kitty

Quilt Designed by eQuilter



60" x 60"

Skill Level: Intermediate**Finished Quilt Size:** 60" x 60"

*Please read all instructions before beginning. Pre-washing recommended for hand dye only.
Pre-washing NOT recommended for other fabrics.*

Yardages and Cutting

WOF is width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. Remove as little fabric as possible when trimming selvages and squaring strip ends.

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- Trim to 41 1/2" wide x 41 1/2" tall.

3/4 yard auburn ombre print

- 2 strips 10 3/4" x WOF; cut into (5) 10 3/4" squares.

1 3/4 yards black solid

- 2 strips 10 3/4" x WOF; cut into (5) 10 3/4" squares and (4) 5" squares.
- 6 strips 3 1/2" x WOF for outer border.
- 5 strips 2 1/2" x WOF for panel framing.

5/8 yard tan print

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

4 1/4 yards of 44/45" backing fabric

- 2 pieces 75" x WOF

OR

2 1/4 yards wide backing fabric

- 1 piece 75" x 75"

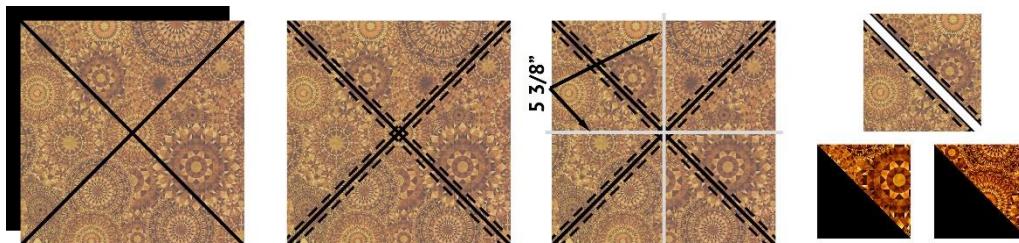
Batting

- 1 piece 75" x 75"

Piecing the Units

Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press all seams as directed.

1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the auburn squares. Repeat to draw a line on the remaining diagonal.
2. Place a marked square right sides together with a black 10 3/4" square. Sew 1/4" out on each side of the marked lines.
3. Measure and mark 5 3/8" over on each side of the top left and bottom right corners. Cut the square in half horizontally and vertically to make (4) 5 3/8" squares. Cut each smaller square in half on the marked line. Press the stitched triangles open with seam allowance to the black side to make (2) 5" x 5" triangle units. Repeat with the 3 remaining smaller squares to make 8 triangle units.
4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 to make a total of 40 triangle units.



Triangle Units — Make 40

Completing the Quilt

1. Stitch the 2 1/2" x WOF black strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips each 45 1/2" and 41 1/2". Sew the 2 1/2" x 41 1/2" black strips to the sides of the panel. Press seams toward the strips. Stitch the 2 1/2" x 45 1/2" top and bottom to complete the 45 1/2" x 45 1/2" framed panel. Press seams toward the strips.

2. Stitch 10 triangle units together to make a 5" x 45 1/2" side strip, turning the units and placing the lighter auburn units at one end of the strips and darker auburn units at the other end, as shown. Press seams to one side. Repeat to make a second side strip. Sew to the sides of the framed panel. Press seams toward the framed panel.

3. In the same manner, sew 10 triangle units together to make a strip, with the darker units at one end, and lighter strips at the other end. Press seams to one side. Add 5" black squares to the ends to make the 5" x 54 1/2" top strip. Press seams toward the squares. Repeat to make the bottom strip. Stitch the strips to the top and bottom of the panel section to complete the 54 1/2" x 54 1/2" quilt center. Press seams toward the panel section.

4. Sew the 3 1/2" x WOF black strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips each 60 1/2" and 54 1/2". Stitch the shorter strips to the sides of the quilt center and the longer 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 75" x 75" backing piece.

6. Layer the top with the backing and batting pieces. Quilt as desired. Trim batting and backing even with the top.

7. Join the tan binding strips on the short ends with diagonal seams to make a long strip. Press seams in one direction. Press the strip in half along the length with wrong sides together. Bind the quilt edges using your favorite method to complete the quilt.

