

woollypetals Wash Your Paws Quilt Pattern



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Quilt Size 63" Square

Please read all instructions prior to sewing.

*Size can be adjusted by making the borders larger or smaller.

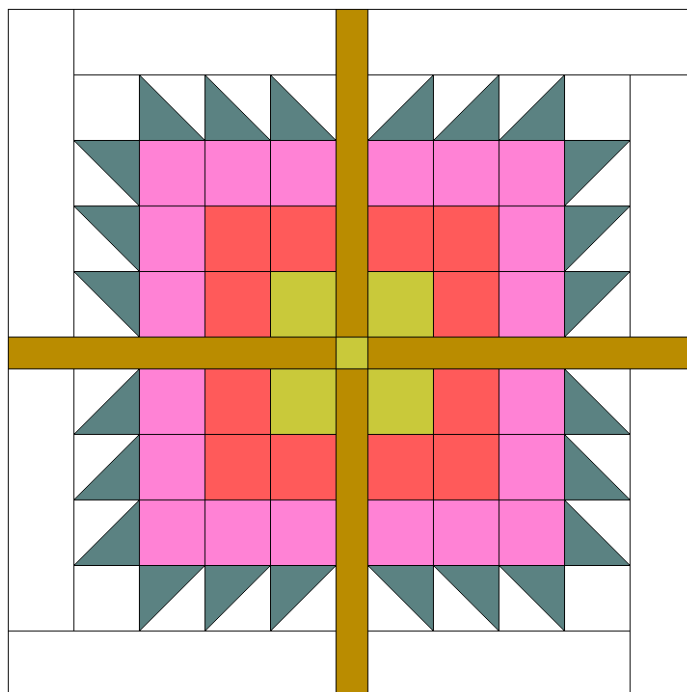
Note: increasing or decreasing size will change the amount of background fabric required.

This pattern is traditionally pieced and uses the Half Square Triangle method. I will refer to Half Square Triangles as HST or HSTs in the pattern from now on.

HST = Half Square Triangle

WOF = Width of Fabric

Bonus Addition: See last page to make the background scrappy and add an extra border.



Fabric Requirements:

Fabric	Fabric Color	Yardage
Fabric 1	Yellow	1/4 yd or fat quarter
Fabric 2	Coral	1/2 yd
Fabric 3	Purple	3/4 yd
Fabric 4	Blue	3/4 yd
Fabric 5	Brown	1/2 yd nondirectional fabric 1 yd directional fabric
Background	White	2 yds

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Cutting Instructions:

WOF = width of fabric

Fabric 1: ¼ yd cuts:**4 – 6.5" squares****1 – 3.5" square**

Cut 1 fabric strip 6.5" tall X WOF

Cut strip into 4 - 6.5" squares

Cut 1 - 3.5" square from remaining fabric

Alternate fat quarter cuts:

Cut 2 fabric strips 6.5" tall X 21" wide

Cut 1st strip into 3 - 6.5" squares

Cut 2nd strip into 1 - 6.5" square

Cut 1 - 3.5" square from remaining fabric

Fabric 2:**12 – 6.5" squares**

Cut 2 fabric strips 6.5" tall X WOF

Cut strips into 12 – 6.5" squares

Fabric 3:**20 – 6.5" squares**

Cut 3 strips 6.5" tall X WOF

Cut strips into 20 - 6.5" squares

Bonus Addition: Check the last page for alternate background cutting.

Fabric 4:**12 – 7.5" squares**

Cut 3 fabric strips 7.5" tall X WOF

Cut strips into 12 – 7.5" squares

Fabric 5:**4 – 3.5" wide X 30.5" long strips****Nondirectional Fabric**

Cut fabric into 4 - 3.5" tall strips X WOF

Cut each strip to 30.5" wide

***Directional Fabric**

Cut using cutting diagram on page 7

Background Fabric:**4 – 6.5" squares****12 – 7.5" squares****4 – 6.5" wide X 24.5" long borders****4 – 6.5" wide X 30.5" long borders**

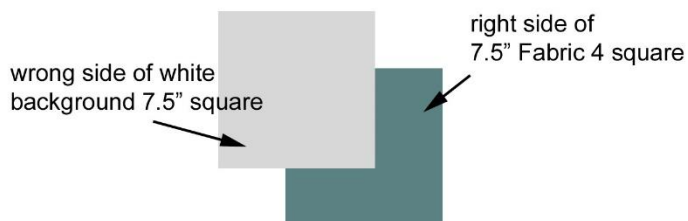
Cut using cutting diagrams on page 7

*Cutting diagrams show how to cut background fabric directionally. The diagram may have some waste, but cutting this way requires less fabric.

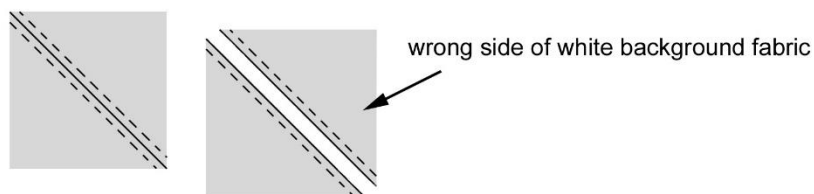
Sewing Instructions for HSTs:

Sew 24 HSTs using 12 – 7.5" background squares and 12 – 7.5" Fabric 4 (blue) squares.

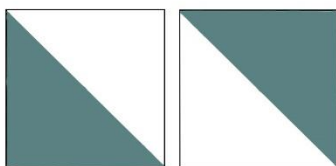
1. Lay 1 (fabric 4) 7.5" square + 1 (white background fabric) 7.5" square right sides together.



2. Mark a line corner to corner on the wrong side of the background square.
Sew 1/4" away from middle line on either side.
Cut on marked line to separate the sewn sides.



3. Press HSTs open and Trim each to 6.5" square.
You now have two HST's half background fabric(white) half Fabric 4 (blue).



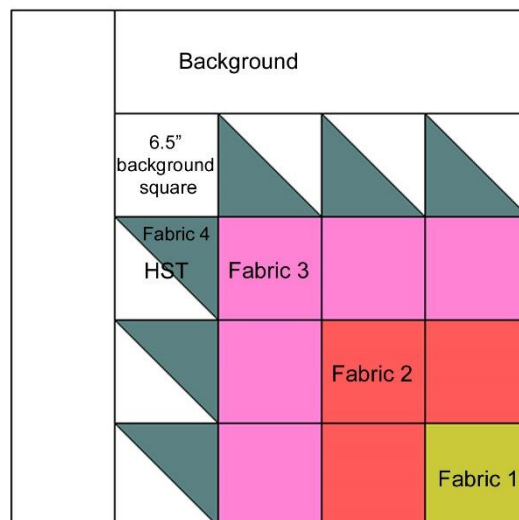
Lay out Quilt:

This quilt is made up of 4 Bear Paws.

Layout 1 Paw at a time and sew it together.

*Remember if you have directional fabric you will need to rotate the block 90° each time so your fabric is facing the correct direction.

Optional: Layout whole quilt at one time, but sew in single Paw sections.



Sewing Instructions for 1 Paw:

Set aside the borders: 24.5" X 6.5" and 30.5" X 6.5" background fabric pieces.

Sew each row of squares together, following the diagram for placement.

Sew the rows of squares together, following the diagram for placement.

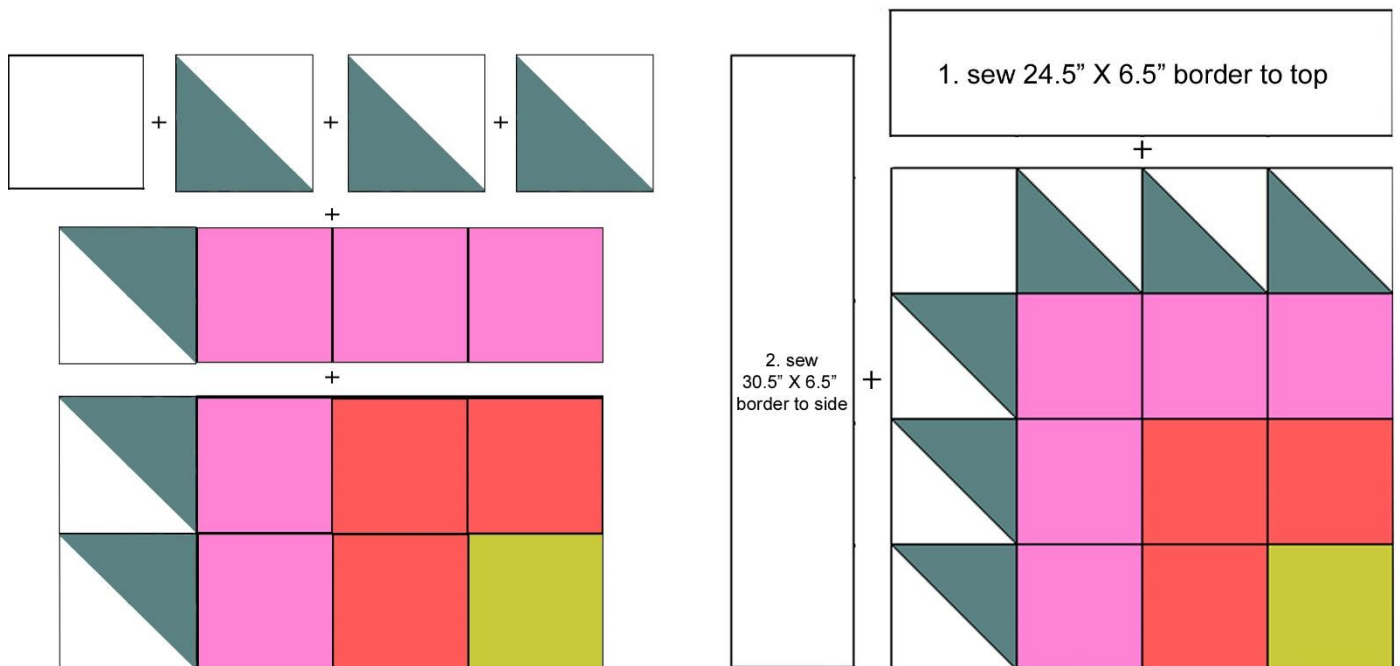
Now you have 1 Paw section that is a 4 X4 of squares.

Add the borders to Paw:

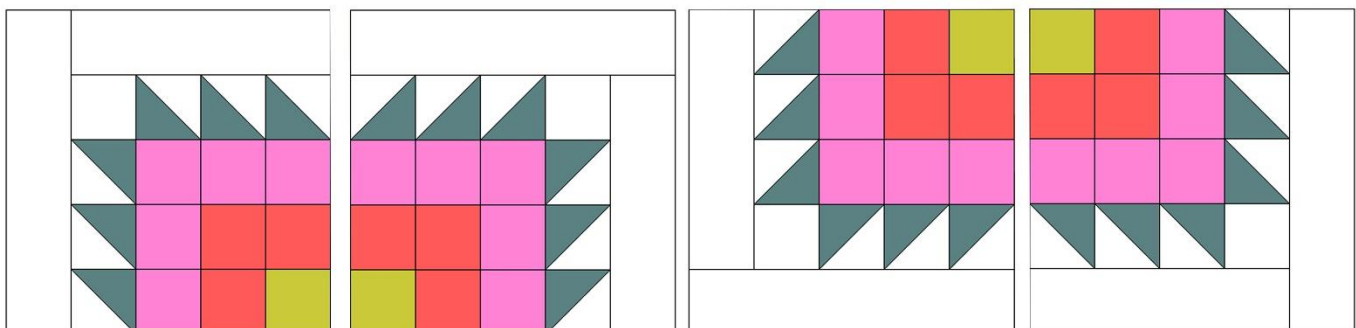
Sew the 24.5" X 6.5" border to the top of the Paw section.

Sew the 30.5" X 6.5" border to left side of the Paw section.

Repeat process 3 times to complete 4 Paws total.



Directional Paw Diagrams:



Completing Top:

Use the 4 (Fabric 5) 3.5" X 30.5" sashing pieces + 1 (Fabric 1) 3.5" square.

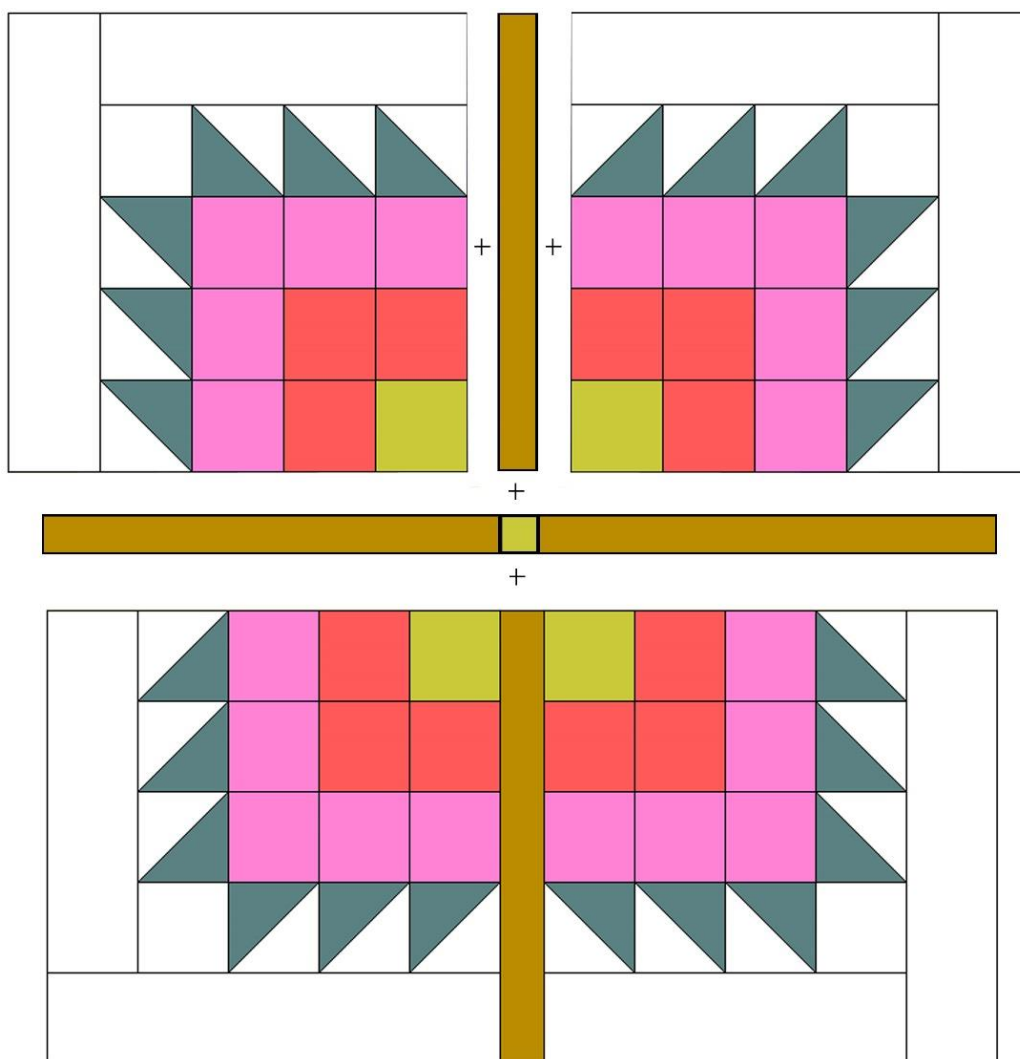
Sew one (Fabric 5) long sashing piece to each side of the (Fabric 1) 3.5" square to make a 63.5" long piece of sashing.

Sew one Paw to each side of each of the leftover 3.5" X 30.5" (Fabric 5) pieces.

*Pay attention to direction of Paws before sewing to sashing.

Sew top Paw set (Paw + sashing + Paw) to the top of the 63.5" long sashing you made first.

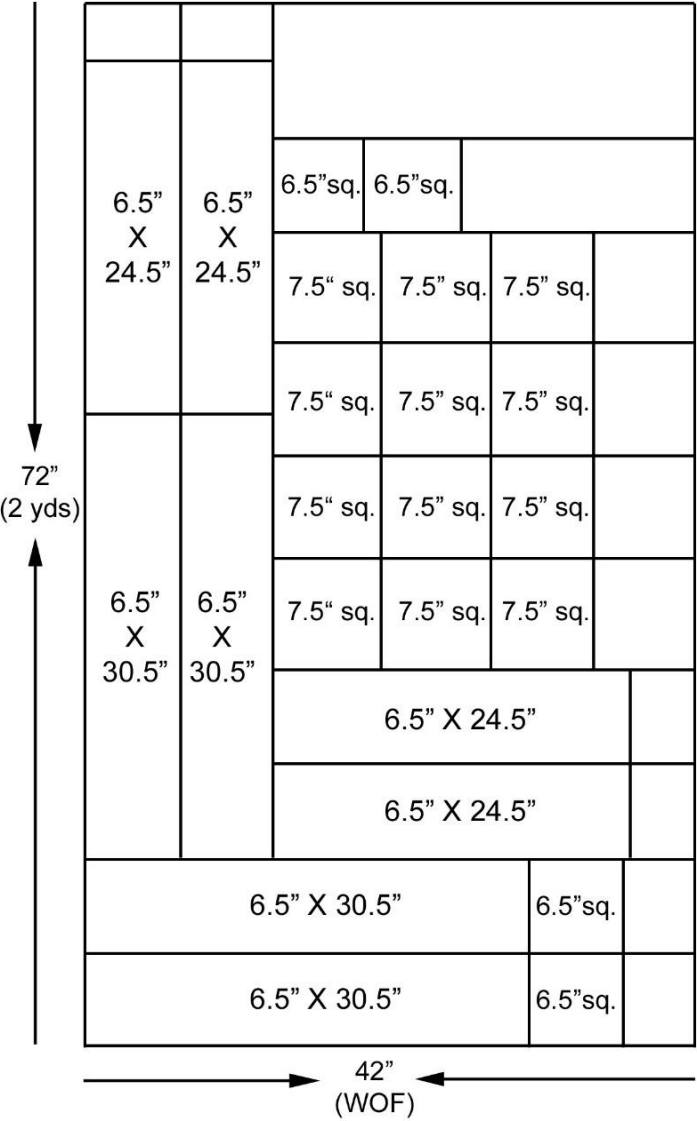
Sew bottom Paw set (Paw + sashing + Paw) to the bottom of above.



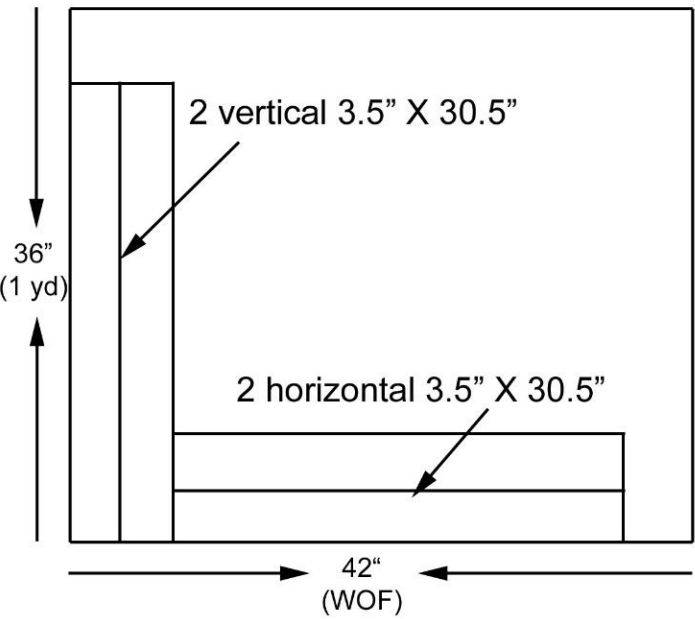
Your quilt top is done. Enjoy!

Fabric Cutting Diagrams:

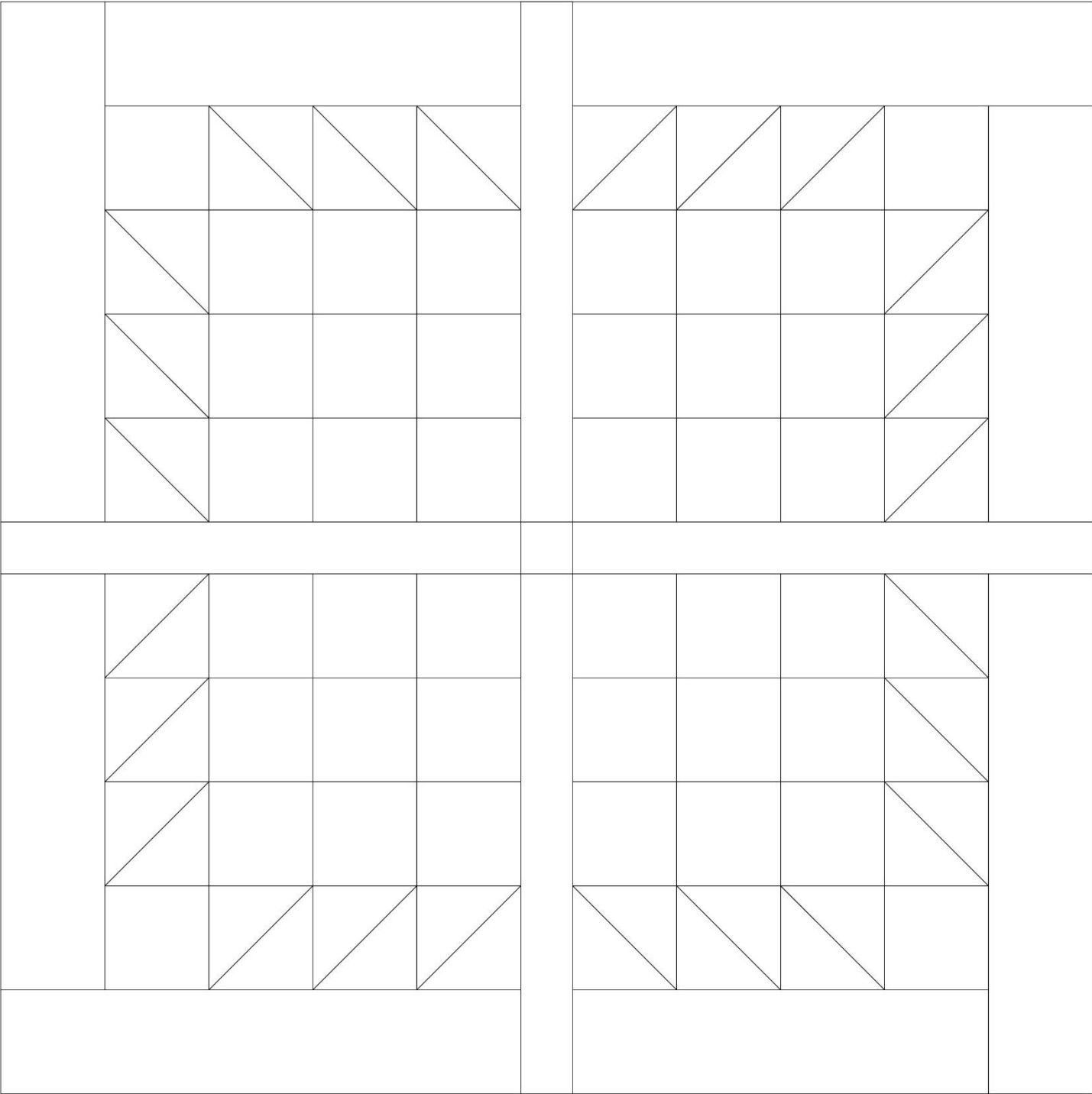
Background Fabric Cutting Diagram



Directional Fabric 5 Cutting Diagram



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Wash Your Paws Bonus Addition: Scrappy Background with Extra Border

Quilt Size with Extra Border 75" x 75" square

Alternate Fabric Requirements:

(in place of original requirements)

Background:

(8-10) ½ yards

Fabric 5:

½ yd non directional fabric

1 1/16th yd directional fabric

Alternate Background Cutting:

In place of original cutting instructions. Cut all other fabrics per page 3.

Background:

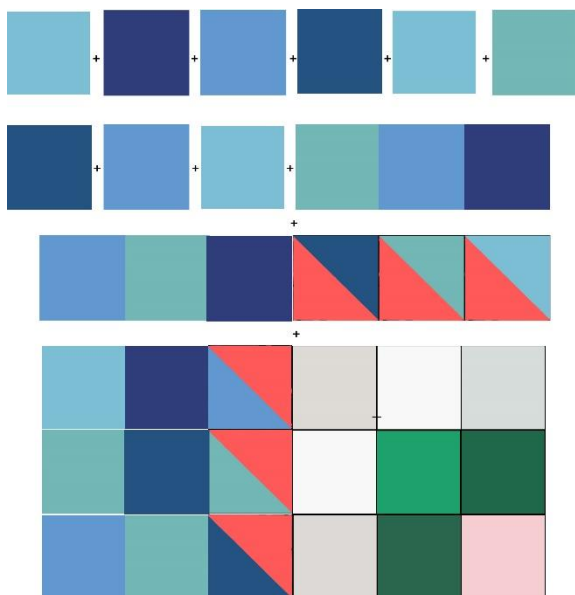
*12 – 7.5" squares (1-2 per fabric to total 12)

*84 – 6.5" squares (9-11 per fabric to total 84)

Fabric 5:

4 – 3.5" wide x 36.5" tall (use same cutting diagram with new sizes)

*when cutting only squares from a fabric forgo cutting diagram and cut (1) 7.5"t strip x WOF, sub-cut your 7.5 squares required, then reduce strip to 6.5"t and cut into 6.5" squares. Cut additional 6.5"t strip x WOF for additional 6.5" squares to meet cutting quota.



Sewing Instructions:

Sew 4 individual paws as shown on the diagram to the left.

Sew the 4 paws together with the longer sashing cut with the alternate instructions per sewing instructions on page 6.

