

Pansy Baskets

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Finished Quilt: 38-1/4" x 46-1/4" - Finished Block Size: 9" x 9"

Passion for Pansies fabrics by Classic Cottons - Style #3639

Fabric Requirements: Based on 44" wide fabric

1/3 yard yellow swirl print (#8261-9)

1/4 yard light green print (#8266-6)

1/4 yard light purple print (#8266-3)

1/2 yard dark green print (#8263-6)

1 yard dark purple print (#8263-3)

1/3 yard small pansies on green print (#8262-6)

1/3 yard small pansies on purple print (#8262-3)

1/4 yard gold print (#8263-9)

1/2 yard yellow plaid (#8265-9)

3/8 yard large yellow pansy print print (#8259-9)

1/2 yard purple pansy print (#8260-3)

1-1/2 yards fabric for backing (#8259-9 large pansies on cream suggested)

42" x 50" quilt batting

NOTE:

Directions for an optional pieced backing is given on Page 4. Yardage for this pieced backing is not included here and is listed with the directions on Page 4.

Cutting Directions: All measurements based on a 1/4" seam allowance.

From the **yellow swirl** fabric:

Cut one 6-7/8" x 44" strip then recut into one 6-7/8" square and ten 2" squares

From the **light green** fabric:

Cut two 2" x 44" strips then recut into twenty-four 2" squares and four 2" x 6-1/2" pieces

From the **light purple** fabric:

Cut two 2" x 44" strips then recut into twenty-four 2" squares and four 2" x 6-1/2" pieces

From the **dark green** fabric:

Cut one 6-7/8" x 44" strip then recut into one 6-7/8" square and twenty 2" squares

Cut four 1-1/2" x 44" strips

From the **dark purple** fabric:

Cut one 8" x 44" strip then recut into one 6-7/8" square, two 2" x 6-1/2" pieces and thirty-two 2" squares

Cut five 2-1/2" x 44" strips for binding

Cut five 1-1/2" x 44" strips then recut one strip into twelve 1-1/2" squares

From the **small pansies on green** fabric:

Cut one 6-7/8" x 44" strip then recut into one 6-7/8" square

From the **small pansies on purple** fabric:

Cut one 6-7/8" x 44" strip then recut into two 6-7/8" squares

From the **gold** fabric:

Cut four 1-1/2" x 44" strips then recut into sixteen 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" strips

From the **yellow plaid** fabric:

Cut one 15" x 44" strip then recut into one 15" square and two 8" squares

From the **large yellow pansies** fabric:

Cut two 4-1/2" x 44" strips

From the **purple pansy** fabric:

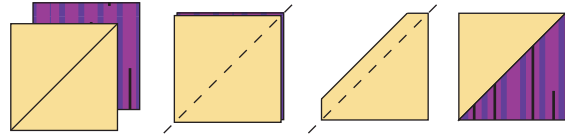
Cut four 3-1/2" x 44" strips

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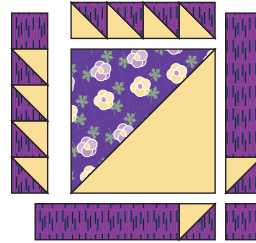
Yellow Block Construction

1. Draw a diagonal line across the wrong side of the ten 2" yellow swirl squares. Lay each marked square right sides together with a dark purple square. Stitch along marked line, trim seam allowance to 1/4" then press seam to darker print. Make a total of ten small half-square triangle sets.



2. Cut one small pansies on purple and the yellow swirl 6-7/8" squares in half diagonally. Discard one of each print triangle. Sew the remaining two triangles together into a large half-square triangle set.

3. Lay out block as shown. Stitch the basket points into rows. Add a small triangle set to bottom of each of the 2" x 6-1/2" dark purple strips. Sew the basket together then add the side/base sections.

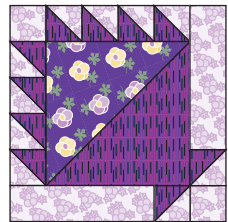


Purple Block Construction

1. Draw a diagonal line across the wrong side of the twenty 2" dark purple squares. Lay each marked square right sides together with a light purple square. Stitch along marked line, trim seam allowance to 1/4" then press seam to darker print. Make a total of twenty small half-square triangle sets.

2. Cut a small pansies on purple and dark purple 6-7/8" squares in half diagonally. Sew the two triangles together to make two large triangle sets.

3. Lay out block as shown. Stitch the basket points into rows. Add a small triangle set to bottom of each of the 2" x 6-1/2" light purple strips. Sew the basket together then add the side/base sections.



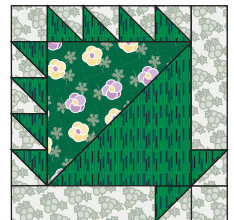
4. Make two purple blocks.

Green Block Construction

1. Draw a diagonal line across the wrong side of the twenty 2" dark green squares. Lay each marked square right sides together with a light green square. Stitch along marked line, trim seam allowance to 1/4" then press seam to darker print. Make a total of twenty small half-square triangle sets.

2. Cut a small pansies on green and dark green 6-7/8" squares in half diagonally. Sew the two triangles together to make two large triangle sets.

3. Lay out block as shown. Stitch the basket points into rows. Add a small triangle set to bottom of each of the 2" x 6-1/2" light green strips. Sew the basket together then add the side/base sections.



4. Make two green blocks.

Quilt Center Construction

1. Cut the yellow plaid 8" squares in half diagonally so each forms two half-square triangles. Cut the 15" yellow plaid square in half diagonally twice forming four quarter-square triangles.

2. Referring to the quilt diagram, lay out the blocks "on-point" in two rows of two blocks with the yellow block in the center. Surround the blocks with gold 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" sashing strips and 1-1/2" dark purple cornerstone squares. Lay out the 8" yellow plaid half-square triangles in each corner and the 15" yellow plaid quarter-square triangles on each edge. Stitch the pieces into diagonal rows then sew the diagonal rows together matching seam allowances.

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Borders:

1. Trim the quilt center to 1/4" past where the seams intersect, to about a 30-1/4" square.
2. Sew a 1-1/2" x 44" dark green strip to right and left sides. Press and trim excess from these and all successive border additions. Add 1-1/2" dark green strips to the top and bottom of quilt center.
3. Stitch a 4-1/2" x 44" large yellow pansy strip to top and bottom of quilt. Press and trim.
4. Add a 1-1/2" dark purple border in the same manner as the first border.
5. Add a 3-1/2" purple pansy border in the same manner as the first border.

Finishing the Quilt:

1. Layer the quilt backing, batting and quilt top. (See Page 4 for optional pieced backing)
2. Baste layers together. Quilt or tie as desired.
3. Prepare binding from five 2-1/2" x 44" strips of dark purple fabric. Sew strips together into one long binding strip. Press strip in half lengthwise.
4. Carefully trim backing and batting even with quilt top.
5. Leaving an 8" tail of binding, sew binding to top of quilt through all layers matching all raw edges. Miter corners. Stop approximately 12" from where you started. Lay both loose ends of binding flat along quilt edge. Where these two loose ends meet, fold them back on themselves and press to form a crease. Using this crease as your stitching line, sew the two open ends of the binding together right sides together. Trim seam to 1/4" and press open. Finish sewing tape to quilt.
6. Turn binding to back of quilt and blind stitch in place. Sign and date your work.

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Optional Pieced Backing

Finished Quilt: 42-3/4" x 50-3/4" - Finished Block Size: 18" x 18"

Fabric Requirements: Based on 44" wide fabric

1/2 yard small pansy on purple print (#8262-3)

1/2 yard purple dot print (#8264-3)

1/2 yard dark purple print (#8263-3)

1/3 yard gold print (#8263-9)

2/3 yard medium green pansy print (#8260-6)

1-1/8 yards border print (large pansies on dark green # 8259-6)

Cutting Directions: All measurements based on a 1/4" seam allowance.

From the **small pansy on purple** fabric:

Cut one 12-7/8" x 44" strip then recut into one 12-7/8" square (cut in half diagonally once)

From the **purple dot** fabric:

Cut one 12-7/8" x 44" strip then recut into one 12-7/8" square (cut in half diagonally once),
from remaining strip cut ten 3-1/2" squares

From the **dark purple** fabric:

Cut three 3-1/2" x 44" strips then recut into sixteen 3-1/2" squares and
two 3-1/2" x 12-1/2" pieces

From the **gold** fabric:

Cut two 3-1/2" x 44" strips and recut into four 3-1/2" x 18-1/2" pieces

From the **medium green pansy** fabric:

Cut one 20" x 44" strip then recut into two 20" squares (each cut in half diagonally once)

From the **border print** fabric:

Cut two 11" x 44" strips

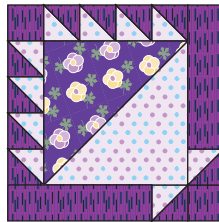
Cut two 7" x 44" strips

Basket Block Construction

1. Draw a diagonal line across the wrong side of the ten 3-1/2" purple dot squares. Lay each marked square right sides together with a dark purple square. Stitch along marked line, trim seam allowance to 1/4" then press seam to darker print. Make a total of ten small half-square triangle sets.

2. Sew one each of the purple dot and small pansies on purple 12-7/8" half-square triangles together into a large half-square triangle set. Discard extra set of triangles.

3. Lay out block as shown. Stitch the basket points into rows. Add a small triangle set to bottom of each of the 3-1/2" x 12-1/2" dark purple strips. Sew the basket together then add the side/base sections.



Finishing the Pieced Backing

1. Add the 3-1/2" dark purple cornerstones and 3-1/2" x 18-1/2" gold sashing strips to the block. Sew a 20" half-square triangle of medium green pansy fabric to each corner. Trim the entire center to 1/4" past the seam points, to about 30-1/4" square.

2. Sew a 7" x 44" border strip to right and left sides, press and trim excess. Add the 11" x 44" border strips to the top and bottom of quilt. Press and trim excess.