

JILL

Ideal project for beginners
Finished size: 135cm x 185cm or 53" x 73"



STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS INCLUDED

Jack and Jill Series

Designed by

Sew Easy

STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS

Please read all instructions prior to commencing quilt

In your kit you will find 43-inch-wide 100% cotton fabric as follows:
4.2 metres multi spot; 95cm of white spot on white; 90cm of pink spot on pink;
35cm each of white spot on yellow and green spot on green; 30cm of white spot on pink.

CUTTING

Note: Cut all strips across the width of the fabric (selvedge to selvedge).

From the white spot on yellow fabric, cut 10 x 6½- inch squares for Blocks

From the green spot on green fabric, cut 10 x 6½- inch squares for Blocks

From the pink spot on pink fabric, cut:

- 10 x 6½- inch squares for Blocks
- 4 x 4½- inch squares for Second Border
- 7 x 2½- Inch-wide strips for Binding

From the white spot on white fabric, cut:

- 10 x 6½- inch squares for Blocks
- 5 x 4½- inch-wide strips for Second Border

From the white spot on pink fabric, cut 4 x 2½- inch wide strips for First Border

From the multi spot fabric, cut:

- 3 x 6- inch-wide strips (sides) for Third Border
- 3 x 7- inch strips for (top and bottom) for Third Border

ASSEMBLY

Note: ¼-inch seam allowances are used throughout these instructions unless otherwise stated.
Press after each step.

1. Quilt Centre

Join the 6½-inch squares together in eight rows of five squares following the photo on the front cover. When first row of five squares is complete, press the seams to the left. With the second row, press the seams to the right. Continue in this way pressing seams in each row in alternate directions (see diagram 1). Join the rows making sure to keep seams alternating and locking neatly in place as you stitch. When complete, the centre of the quilt top should measure W30.5 x L48.5 x inches.

2. First Border

Remove selvages from 2½-inch-wide strips of white spot on pink fabric and join end to end to make one long strip. Measure the length through the centre of the quilt from top to bottom. Cut two strips to this length and sew one to each side of the quilt. Measure the width of the quilt through the centre including the First Borders. Cut two strips to this length and sew to top and bottom of the quilt.



3. Second Border

a) Remove the selvages from the 4½-inch-wide strips of white spot fabric and join end to end to make one long strip. Measure both the length and the width of the quilt top through the centre of the quilt and cut four strips to these measurements. Sew one long strip to each side of the quilt.

b) Sew a 4½-inch pink spot on pink square to each end of both the Top and Bottom Second Borders. Attach these borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.

(see diagram 2).

4. Third Border

a) Remove the selvages from the 6-inch-wide strips of multi spot fabric and join end to end to make one long strip. Measure the length through the centre of the quilt top. Cut two strips to this length and sew one to each side of the quilt.

b) Remove the selvages from the 7-inch-wide strips of multi spot fabric and join end to end to make one long strip. Measure the width of the quilt through the centre including the multi spot Third borders. Cut two 7-inch-wide strips to this measurement and sew to the top and bottom of the quilt.

5. Backing

Cut the backing fabric into two lengths each measuring 1.6m. Remove the selvages. Join the fabric lengthwise with right sides together. Pin and stitch with ½" seams. Press seams open.

6. Quilting

To complete the quilt you will need to purchase wadding separately. We recommend Sew Easy Batting. Sandwich the quilt top, wadding and backing with right sides of fabric facing out and quilt by hand, machine-stitch or we recommend a professional machine quilting service.

If stitching the quilt yourself, pin all three layers together using safety pins-backing (bottom layer), wadding (middle layer), quilt (top layer) to keep quilt firm when sewing.

7. Binding

Remove the selvages from the 2½-inch-wide pink spot on pink Binding Strips. Join strips end to end using a diagonal seam to create one continuous strip. Fold in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press. Beginning about half way along one side of the quilt, with right sides facing, align two raw edges of the Binding with the raw edge of the quilt top. Pin then stitch Binding in place using a ¼-inch seam, mitring the corners as you go. Trim excess backing and wadding to ½ inch from stitching line. Turn folded edge of Binding to the back of the quilt and hand stitch securely using the machine-stitching as a guide.

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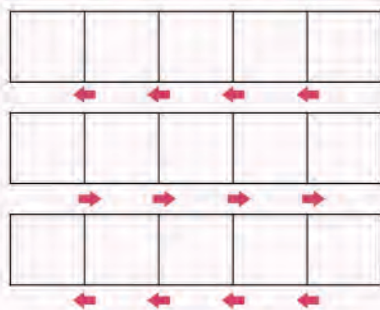


Diagram 1

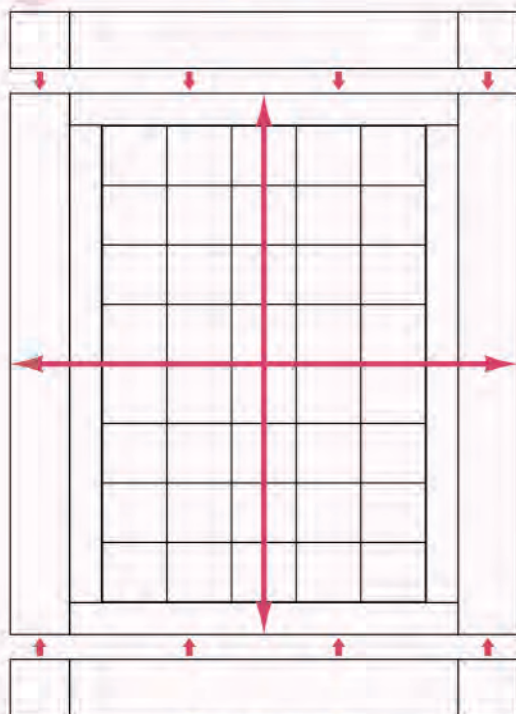


Diagram 2