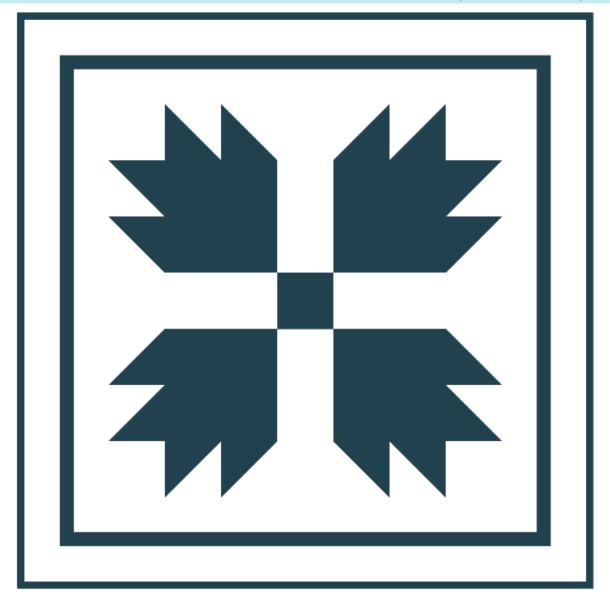
Baby Bear Quilt

Finished Quilt Size: 40 1/2" x 40 1/2"



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Basics Instructions

Read through the instructions before beginning

All seams are sewn with 1/4" seam allowance unless noted

RST means right sides together

HST means half square triangles

WOF means width of fabric

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Materials

Yardage is based on 42" -wide fabric

7/8 yards Solid navy fabric 1 yard Solid white fabric 1/2 yard of binding fabric 1 1/4 yards of backing fabric 46" x 46" piece of batting

Cutting

From the solid navy fabric, cut:

1 strip, 47/8" x 42", crosscut into 8 squares, 47/8" x 47/8", cut each square on one diagonal to yield 2 triangles per square for a total of 16 triangles

1 strip, 8 1/2" x 42", crosscut into 4 squares, 8 1/2" x 8 1/2"

1 strip, 4 1/2" x 42", crosscut into 1 square, 4 1/2" x 4 1/2"

4 strips, 1 1/2" x 42"

From the solid white fabric, cut:

1 strip, 47/8" x 42", crosscut into 8 squares, 47/8" x 47/8", cut each square on one diagonal to yield 2 triangles per square for a total of 16 triangles

2 strip, 4 1/2" x 42", crosscut each strip into 2- 4 1/2" x 12 1/2" pieces and 2- 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" squares for a total of 4- 4 1/2" x 12 1/2" pieces and 4- 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" squares 7 strips, 2 1/2" x 42"

From the binding fabric, cut:

5 strips, 2 1/2" x 42"

Making the Blocks

Use a 1/4" seam allowance. Press all seam allowances in the direction indicated by the arrows.

1. Using one triangle cut from the 4 7/8" squares of white and one triangle cut from the 4 7/8" squares of navy, sew one white triangle to one navy triangle to make a half square triangle (HST). Press. The HST should measure 4 1/2" x 4 1/2", including the seam allowance. Repeat these steps to make a total of 16 HSTs.



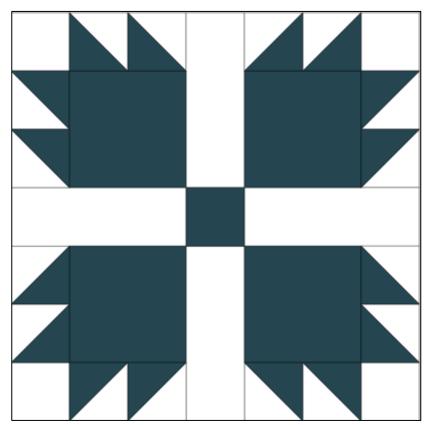
Make 16 HST, measuring 4 1/2" x 4 1/2"

2. Using 4 HSTs made in step 1, 1- 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" square of white, and 1- 8 1/2" x 8 1/2" piece of navy, make one paw as shown below. The paw should measure 12 1/2" x 12 1/2", including the seam allowance. Repeat these steps to make a total of 4 paws.



Make 4 paw, measuring 12 1/2" x 12 1/2"

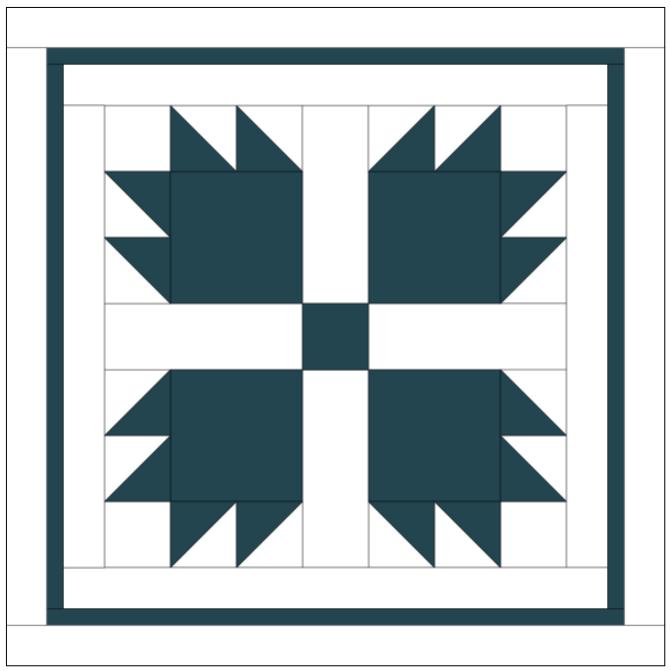
3. Using 4 paws made in step 2, 4- 4 1/2" x 12 1/2" pieces of white, and 1- 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" square of navy, sew them together as shown below. Press. The bear paw block should measure 28 1/2" x 28 1/2", including the seam allowance.



Make 1 Bear Paw block, measuring 28 1/2" x 28 1/2"

Assembling the Quilt Top

- 1. For the first border, join 3- 2 1/2" x 42" strips of white together end to end. Trim two pieces measuring 28 1/2" long. Sew these strips to the sides of the quilt top. Press. Trim the two strips to 33 1/2" long. Sew these strips to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top. Press. The quilt top should now measure 33 1/2" x 33 1/2", including the seam allowances.
- 2. For the second border, join 4- 1 1/2" x 42" strips of navy together end to end. Trim two pieces measuring 33 1/2" long. Sew these strips to the sides of the quilt top. Press. Trim the two strips to 35 1/2" long. Sew these strips to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top. Press. The quilt top should now measure 35 1/2" x 35 1/2", including the seam allowances.
- 3. For the third border, join 4- 2 1/2" x 42" strips of white together end to end. Trim two pieces measuring 35 1/2" long. Sew these strips to the sides of the quilt top. Press. Trim the two strips to 40 1/2" long. Sew these strips to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top. Press. The quilt top should now measure 40 1/2" x 40 1/2", including the seam allowances.



Quilt top, measuring 40 1/2" x 40 1/2"

Finishing the Quilt

- 1. Layer the quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste the layers together.
- 2. Hand or machine quilt as desired.
- 3. Using the 5-2 1/2" strips of binding fabric, make the binding and attach it to the quilt.