



EZ Quilting item 882670139A • Companion Angle
EZ Quilting item 8823750A - Straight Ruler

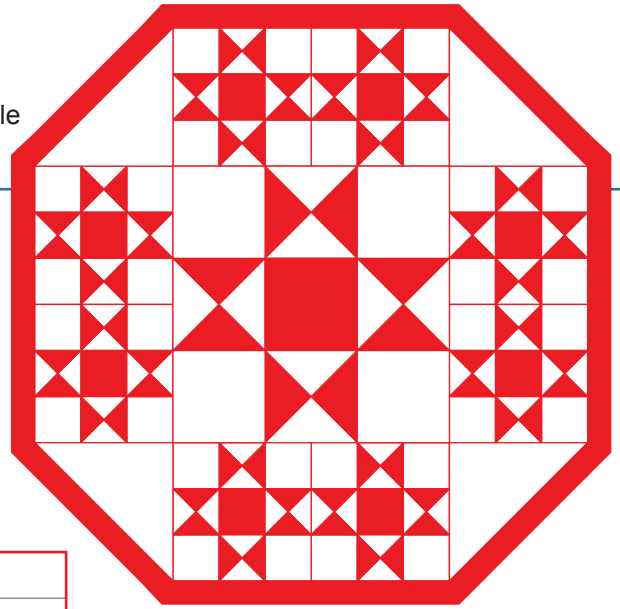
Stars All Around Table Topper or Tree Skirt

52" Diameter

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Directions are written specifically for use with

COMPANION ANGLE



Completed Table Topper

Supplies Needed:

- 2 yds Red fabric
- 1 3/4 yds White fabric
- 54" Square Batting
- 2 7/8 yds Backing

Cutting Directions				
From	Cut		To Yield	
Red Fabric	1	8 1/2" strip	1	8 1/2" square (large star)
	2	4 1/2" strips	8	Companion Angle triangles* (large star)
	1	4 1/2" strip	8	4 1/2" squares (small stars)
	6	2 1/2" strips	64	Companion Angle triangles* (small stars)
	12	2 1/2" strips	4	17 1/2" strips for borders
			4	30 1/2" strips for borders
		6	2 1/2" strips for binding	
White Fabric	1	8 1/2" strip	4	8 1/2" squares (large star)
	1	4 1/2" strip	8	Companion Angle triangles* (large star)
	1	12 7/8" strip	2	12 7/8" squares (cut once diagonally)
	5	2 1/2" strips	64	Companion Angle triangles* (small stars)
	4	4 1/2" strips	32	4 1/2" squares (small stars)

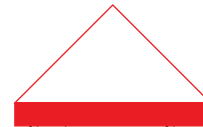
*Layer right sides together to cut the Companion Angle triangles.

Quilt Assembly

1) After cutting all Companion Angle triangles (cut from 2 1/2" strips and 4 1/2" strips), chain sew all of the triangle pairs together along the diagonal cut, with the red fabric on top. Sew with exact 1/4" seams.



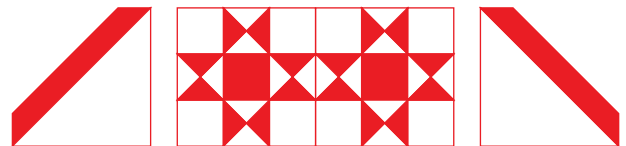
4) Stitch 17 1/2" strips triangles cut from 12 7/8" squares. Center the triangle on the strip. Repeat on all triangles.



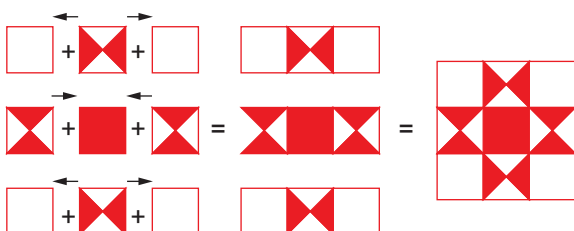
2) Join the triangle pairs to make a square. Make 4 large squares (8 1/2") and 32 small squares (4 1/2").



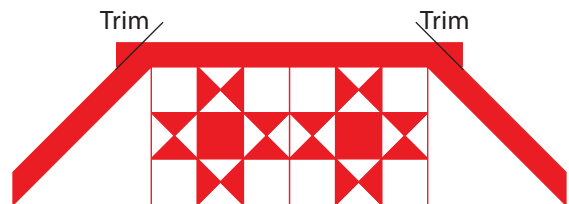
5) Stitch triangle units to opposite sides of two 2-block units, trimming off the excess fabric as shown.



3) Assemble star blocks by rows. Press in direction of the arrows. Join the rows to form star blocks. Press again. Make 8 small star blocks (12 1/2") and 1 large star block 24 1/2".

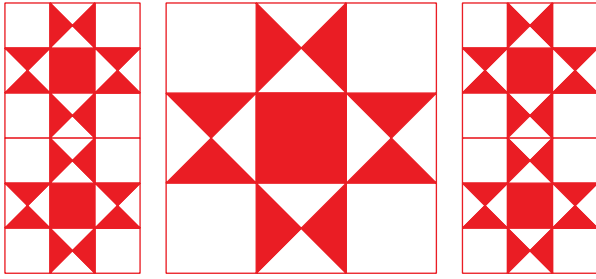


6) Stitch 30 1/2" strip to top of the units. Trim off excess fabric as shown.

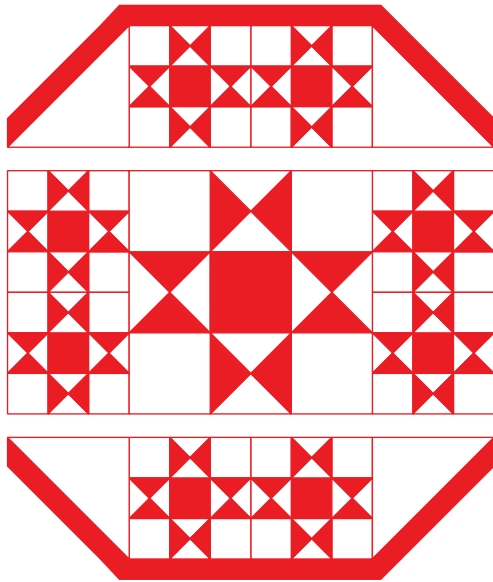


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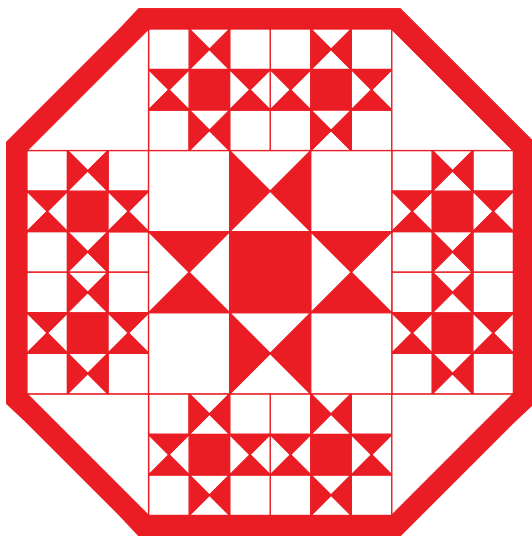
7) Stitch remaining 2-block units to opposite sides of large star.



8) Stitch 3 rows of blocks together.



9) Stitch remaining $30\frac{1}{2}$ " strips to opposite sides of tree skirt. Trim strip at each end to 45° angle using Companion Angle or straight ruler, as you did in step 4.

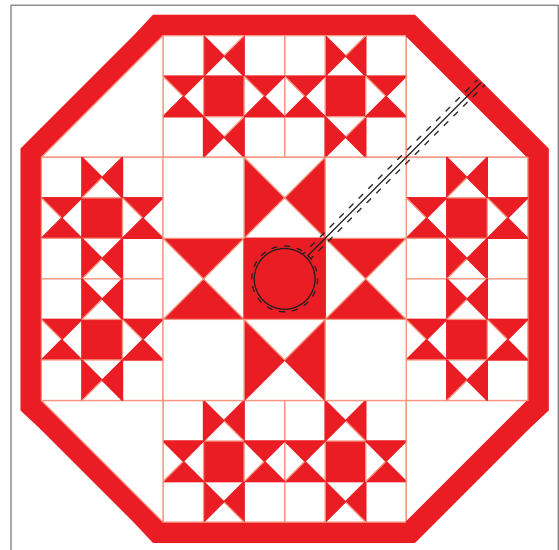


10) Table Topper Finishing: Layer backing, batting and top. Quilt as desired. Trim excess backing and batting. Bind with the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " red strips.

11) Tree Skirt Finishing: On the right side of the top, draw a $6\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter circle in the center of the large square. Draw a diagonal line from the edge of the circle to the center of the corner triangle.

12) Layer backing, batting and top. Quilt as desired.

13) Trim batting and backing. Baste $\frac{1}{4}$ " on each side of the diagonal line and on the outside of the drawn circle (shown in black dashed lines.) Cut on drawn lines. Bind all raw edges with the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " red strips.



Completed Tree Skirt showing circle cut out. Red solid line indicates opening after binding is applied.

