

HOT PLATE



Supplies:

Fabric

- 12" strips WOF of three colors (*4 colors is optional)
- 12" square muslin
- 12" Insul-Bright (insulated lining)
- 2 1/4" bias cut strips or bias tape
- Glue (spray, iron on, stick, tape, or just pins)

DIRECTIONS

A. Mark muslin (foundation)**

Fold square in half, in half again and in half a third time. Open & mark crisp lines across and diagonally.

B. Cutting

1. Choose one fabric for Back of Hot Plate and CUT one 12" square off of WOF strip.
2. Cut eight 6" square of all color fabrics.
3. Take one of the squares from color chosen for center and Cut it down to 2 1/2" square (only 4 more pieces are needed for center).

C. Assembly

1. Place small square, first color, on middle of prepared Muslin. (A little dab of glue will help.)

2. Fold each square in half top to bottom. Press. Next fold upper left corner down to lower center and upper right corner down to lower center making a Pairie Point Triangle (PPT). Press.

3. Center

Place each PPT (4 of them) chosen for center together head to head at middle of foundation, open side up, lining its center in line with markings on foundation. (A dab of Glue will help.)

4. Second Row:

Place head point of PPT 3/4" away from midpoint keeping center of triangle in line with foundation mark (There are four lines, creating 8 sections, marked on foundation. Start anywhere!) Repeat until all eight are in position. The last triangle needs to be slipped under the first triangle to complete the under/over layout. (A little dab of glue will help.)

5. Third Row:

Place head point of PPT 1/2" away from last row (1 1/4" from midpoint) keeping center of triangle in line with foundation mark. Repeat until all eight are in position. The last triangle needs to be slipped under the first triangle to complete the under/over layout. (A little dab of glue will help.)

6. Fourth Row: OPTIONAL

* the fourth color is added to corners to square off shape.

Cut four 6" squares, fold top corner on top of bottom corner. Press. Then keeping folded edge on top, fold both top right & left corners to meet on lower center corner. Place new folded square, raw edges out, one on each corner.

D. Sew

1. Baste outer edge
2. Layer top, Insul-Bright and Backing.
3. Stitch through center of triangles from one side to other, sew all four lines slowly & carefully.
4. Select shape – round, square* or octagon. **Trim.**

E. Binding

Use standard quilting binding

** A different technique

instead of folding the muslin trace the attached shape.

Or use PC to copy it onto "Tear Away" used for paper piecing.

