

'Sliced' Kaleidoscope Table Runner

Finished Size 16" X 42"



Materials Needed:

- * 3 Pre Cut 10" Kaleidoscope Blocks with corners.
- * 1/3 Yard Accent Fabric (inner border & sashing)
- * 1/4 Yard Focus Fabric (outer border)
- * 1/4 Yard Binding Fabric

***** Please read all directions before beginning, sew using a scant 1/4"**

Cutting your fabric:

Accent Fabric: Cut 2- 3"x WOF strips, subcut these into 8- 3"x8" pieces. Cut 4- 1.5"x WOF strips, subcut these into 2- 1.5"x38.5" pieces and 6- 1.5"x10.5" pieces.

Focus Fabric: Cut 3- 2.5"x WOF strips, subcut into 2- 2.5"x42.5" pieces and 2- 2.5"x 12.5" pieces.

Step 1: Sew your pre cut Kaleidoscope Blocks, if you have never made our Kaleidoscope Blocks, please refer to our website www.labfabrics.com and click the Pattern Downloads page for directions to complete your blocks. Block directions will be towards the bottom of the page. Sew one complete block adding all four corners and trim to 10.5" square (this will be your middle block of the runner). Sew the remaining 2 blocks, **however** once you get your half blocks, stop there, do not sew the halves together or add corners at this point. See Figure 1

Step 2: Sew 2 corners to each half block, you will sew the corners to the **inner** two wedges as shown in Figure 2. Sew one corner on, flip & press, then add second corner, flip and press. Now you will need to trip each edge as shown in Figure 3.

Step 3: Now add a 3"x8" piece of accent fabric to each edge you just trimmed, press open and you will have a block that looks like the block shown in Figure 4.



Step 4: Now to square up the half block. Fold your half block in half aligning fold on cutting mat as shown in Fig. 5, align ruler at 5.5" and trim the outer raw edge again as shown in Fig. 5, open your block and check that it measures 10.5" long. Trim if needed to be 10.5". Now to trim the top edge, press your block to be sure it's nice and flat and align ruler 1/4" from top of block as shown in Figure 6 and trim. You now have your completed half block, repeat for remaining 3 blocks.

Step 5: Sashing & Borders—Sew a 1.5"x10.5" accent strip between each block and end blocks. Then sew all blocks together using picture of the runner at top of this page for reference and you now have your inner runner top. Now add the 1.5"x38.5" inner border accent strips to long edges, then add the 2.5" x12.5" focus fabric strips to ends then add the 2.5"x42.5" to long sides and you are done!!

Step 6: Quilt as desired and bind!!.

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