

Cornflower Fields

Corrections

The cutting dimensions for the M patches in Cornflower Fields, page 53 in the March/April '10 issue (No. 132) are incorrect: the M patches should be cut $6\frac{1}{2}'' \times 42\frac{1}{2}''$. If already cut, piece an extra patch $6\frac{1}{2}'' \times 4''$ to each M to ensure adequate length for mitering. The L patches may be cut $6\frac{1}{2}'' \times 33''$, if desired, to ensure adequate length for mitering.

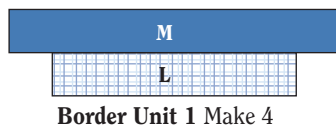
In the original pattern, K's are cut as rectangles and then shown as triangles. A step was left out. Here are updated instructions for Step 2.

We regret the errors.

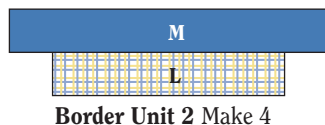


2 Adding the Borders

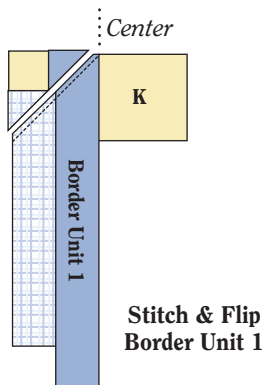
Matching the centers, join a blue plaid L to an M as shown to make a border unit 1. Make 4 border unit 1's.



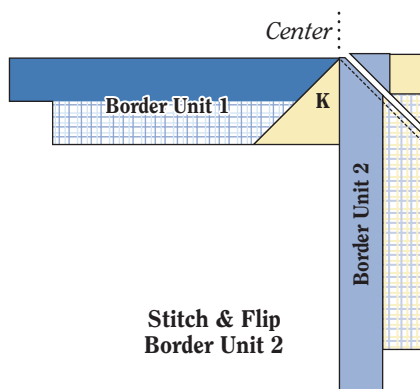
Matching the centers, join a yellow/blue plaid L to an M as shown to make a border unit 2. Make 4 border unit 2's.



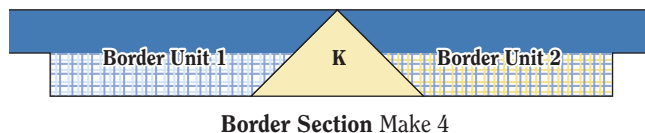
Join a border unit 1 to K using the "Stitch and Flip" technique. Referring to the diagram, align border unit 1 on the left side of K with right sides together. Mark a 45° diagonal line on border unit 1 as shown. Pin in place. Sew on the marked line. Trim the seam allowance to $\frac{1}{4}''$, flip border unit 1 open and press.



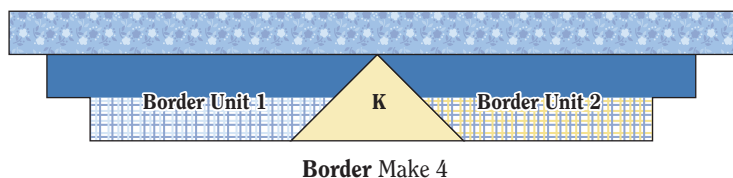
Add the border unit 2 on the right side of border unit 1/K in the same way.



Repeat to make 4 border sections.



Matching the centers, add a light blue floral strip to complete the border strip as shown. Repeat to make 4 border strips.



Refer to the photographed quilt for the border orientation; matching the centers, sew the strips to the quilt, starting and stopping $\frac{1}{4}''$ from the edges of the quilt and backstitching. Miter the corners. Trim the seam allowances to $\frac{1}{4}''$ and press them open.