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1600 Jelly Roll Quilt  $48'' \times 64''$ 

Fabric requirements: One 2-1/2" strip pack

Binding: 1/2 yard

Backing for 48" x 64" quilt or 3 yards of 42" fabric



### Let's get started!

- Cut the first strip in half. Use one for the beginning and the other for the end.
- Sew all 2 1/2" strips together in the fashion you've chosen from below into one long strip that is 1600" long  $\times$  2-1/2" wide.
- Press all the seams in one direction.
- Find the beginning and end of the 1600" strip, and placing right sides together start sewing the long side using a 1/4" seam. This is the longest seam. When you reach the end chances are it will be twisted; just cut apart and finish out the seam.
- Find the beginning and the end of the 800" strip and sew them together as above.
- Repeat the same process a total of five times.
- Press all seams in one direction and trim sides evenly.
- Borders are optional.
- Layer with batting and backing and quilt as desired.
- Binding is cut on the straight of grain, either 2 1/4" or 2 1/2".
- Enjoy!

#### CHOICES

There are several variations of this quilt depending on how you sew the ends of your strips together.

- The first way is the straight seam. Lay two right sides together and sew a 1/4" seam.
- The second way is to cut a few 2-1/2" squares from various strips and sew a square randomly between two strips to add variety.
- The third method is to sew 45° angle seams for all the strips, like you would for binding. This is the technique that our sample used.

We also recommend cutting 5-6 strips in half to give variation to where the seam placement is and randomly sew these in.

# Want to make a bigger version of this quilt?

You can make a twin-sized 3240 quilt, a double-sized 4080 quilt, a queen-sized 4320 quilt, or a king-sized 5040 quilt.

### Fabric Requirements

|        | Тор                              | Backing   | Binding | Finished size |
|--------|----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|
| Twin   | 3 sets of 27 (81) 2-1/2" strips  | 6 yds     | 3/4 yd  | 67" × 96"     |
| Double | 3 sets of 34 (102) 2-1/2" strips | 8 yds     | 7/8 yd  | 85" × 96"     |
| Queen  | 3 sets of 36 (108) 2-1/2" strips | 8-1/3 yds | 1 yd    | 90" × 96"     |
| King   | 3 sets of 42 (126) 2-1/2" strips | 9-5/8 yds | 1 yd    | 105" × 96"    |

You will probably want the 3 sets to be quite similar, if not identical.

You will be making your quilt top in three sections, each of which is 32'' high x the finished width, and is made out of one of the three sets of strips.

- Sew one of your 3 sets of strips by one of the methods above into a long strip that is 1080", 1360", 1440", or 1680" long. Follow the directions for the 1600 quilt, but stop when your piece is the finished width  $\times$  32-1/2", i.e. 16 strips high. Repeat for each of the 3 sets of strips.
- Sew the three sections together. Your quilt top is done.
- Finish your quilt as for the 1600 quilt.
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