



# WINTERTIME MAGIC ROW BY ROW: FINISHING THE MINI QUILT

FINAL QUILT SIZE: 28 1/2" X 30 1/4"

## MATERIALS LIST

**CHECKERBOARD:** 1/4 yd. GREY/NEUTRAL ACCENT FABRIC and 1/4 yd. IVORY SOLID/ LOW VOLUME

**FILLERS:** Use 1/8 yd. same fabric as the background fabric-or- various low volume scraps

**SASHING:** 3/8 yd. ivory background fabric

**BORDERS:** 3/8 yd. small cream print

**BINDING:** 3/8 yd. small red print

**BACKING:** 1 yard

## INTRODUCTION INFORMATION

Below you will find the cutting info for all 3 variations possible. First, before you start cutting your background pieces you will want to decide which option you are making as the "filler" pieces will be different for each. NOTE the versions are identical other than the feature holly/bow row. Secondly, you will want to lay your blocks out and decide on your background fillers before cutting. You can of course use all one low volume ivory print for all of your background filler pieces. However, you can also take it as an opportunity to use up many scraps and smaller pieces. That is what we did in our version for some extra added sparkle. We also used the same philosophy & chose a variety of ivory prints for the checkerboards as well.

## CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

**CHECKERBOARD ACCENT FABRIC:** Cut (4) 1 1/4" grey/neutral strips from a single fabric.

**CHECKERBOARD IVORY SOLID/LOW VOLUME:** Cut (4) 1 1/4" ivory strips from (1) or more fabrics.

**SASHING STRIPS:** Cut (6) 1 1/2" strips. Cut each to 1 1/2" x 24 1/2" sashing strips [i].

**FILLER PIECES:** Follow the version you are making.

**MIXED:** (4) 1 1/2" x 4" [a], (1) 1 1/2" x 5 3/4" [b], (4) 1 1/4" x 5 3/4" [c], (2) 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" [d], (2) 1 3/4" x 5 1/2" [e].

**ALL HOLLY:** (4) 1 1/2" x 4" [a], (1) 1 1/2" x 5 3/4" [b], (4) 1 1/4" x 5 3/4" [c], (4) 1 1/4" x 5 1/2" [f].

**ALL BOWS:** (4) 1 1/2" x 4" [a], (1) 1 1/2" x 5 3/4" [b], (4) 1 1/4" x 5 3/4" [c], (2) 2" x 5 1/2" [g], (2) 1 3/4" x 5 1/2" [h].

**BORDER FABRIC:** Cut (4) 2 1/2" strips. Cut (2) 2 1/2" x 26 1/4" L/R and (2) 2 1/2" x 28 1/2" T/B borders.

**BINDING FABRIC:** Cut (4) 2 1/4" binding strips.

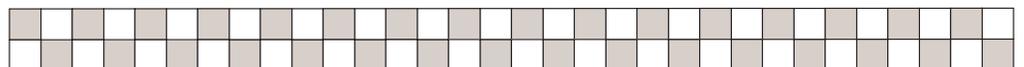
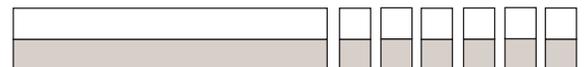
## PIECING INSTRUCTIONS

**Step 1:** Using the checkerboard strips cut above, make strip sets using one of each of your fabrics, one color and one background. Press toward the color each time. Make (4) sets.

**Step 2:** Cut each strip set apart into (32) 1 1/4" x 2" sections as shown for a total of (128) sections. Join them into (4) 32-section checkerboards as shown on the diagrams.

Press open as you go or all in one direction if preferred.

Checkerboard Rows will  
measure 2" x 24 1/2".



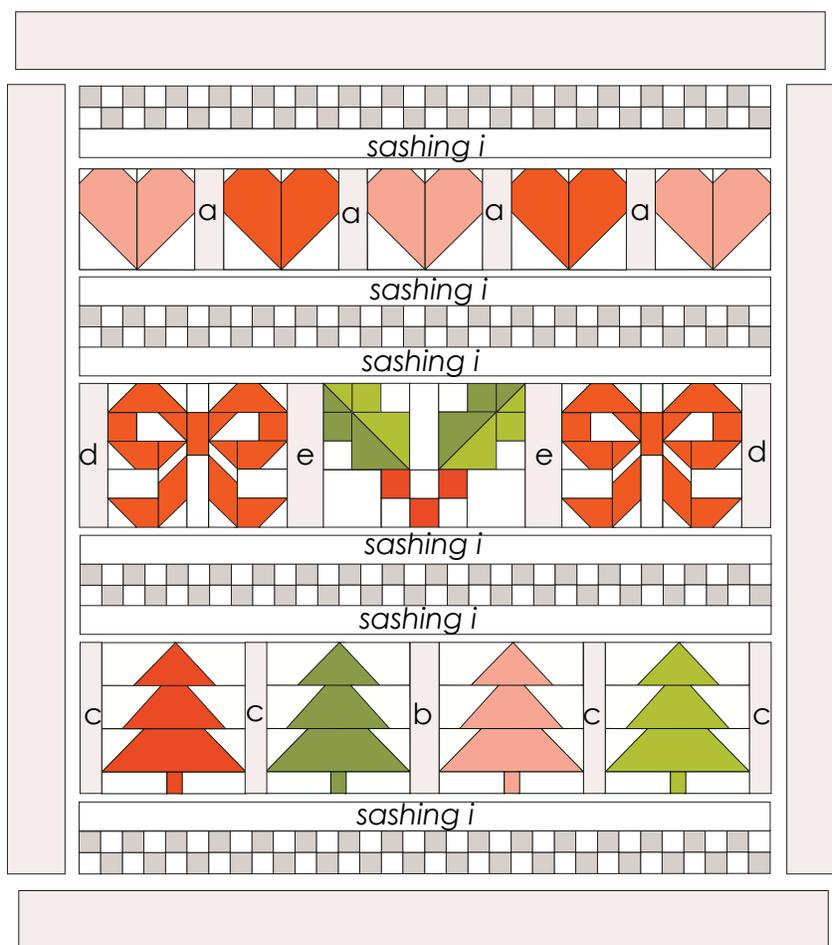
## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

**Step 3:** Assemble each row using the background filler pieces noted below. Always press toward fillers and away from the blocks. Each row should measure 24 ½" long.

**Step 4:** If you are making one of the alternate "feature" rows instead of the MIXED ROW, refer to diagrams and notes below. Join all the rows together. Press toward sashing each time.

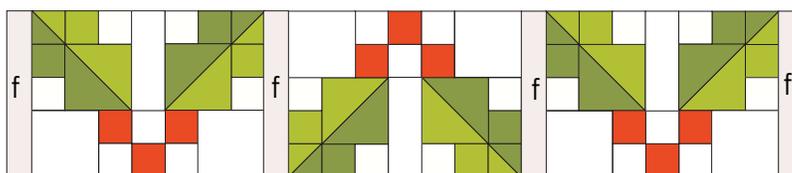
**Step 5:** Add L/R borders. Press out. Add T/B borders. Press out.

**Step 6:** Quilt as desired and bind with (4) binding strips.



## ALTERNATE ROW DIAGRAMS

**Step 4a:** If using ALL HOLLY feature row, Follow HOLLY diagram at right.



**Step 4b:** If using ALL BOW feature row, Follow BOW ROW diagram at right. Measure your row and trim both [h] fillers as needed for 24 ½" final length.

