## DRAGONFLY EMBRACE

Finished Quilt: 87" x 87"

Quilt design by Wendy Sheppard, featuring Dragonfly Dream, a Hoffman Spectrum Digital Print collection.

Hear the fluttering of dragonflies and feel the soft, garden breeze with this sweet quilt.


## R7690 72G-Magenta Gold

## 885 113-Frost

885 532-Aurora 1895 105-Celadon

1895 276-Sea Urchin 1895 424-Salvia
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## Dragonfly Embrace Quilt

Finished quilt size: $87^{\prime \prime} \times 87^{\prime \prime}$
Finished block size: 9" x 9"
Binding: 3/4y of R7600-72 Magenta Gold
Designer's Note: curve piecing skill is required
Fabric and Cutting:

| 885-Aurora | $3 y$ "Aurora" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (15) blocks: (30) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (8) blocks: (8) B pieces using template. <br> b. inner border <br> (8) $4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF. Piece strips and sub-cut (2) 4 " $\times 721 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ and (2) $4 " \times$ 79 1/2" strips. |
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| 1895-Sea Urchin | ly <br> "Sea Urchin" <br> in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (2) blocks: (4) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (5) blocks: (5) B pieces using template. |
| 1895-Celadon | $13 / 8 y$ "Celadon" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (6) blocks: (12) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (5) blocks: (5) B pieces using template. |
|  | $23 / 8 y$ "Frost" in instruction | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (11) blocks: (22) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (7) blocks: (7) B pieces using template. |
| 1895 | 7/8y "Salvia" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (3) blocks: (6) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (4) blocks: (4) B pieces using template. |
| R7600-Magenta Gold | $13 / 8 y$ "Magenta Gold" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (4) blocks: (8) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (5) blocks: (5) B pieces using template. |
| R4629-Dragonfly | $15 / 8 y$ <br> "Dragonfly" <br> in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (5) blocks: (10) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (7) blocks: (7) B pieces using template. |
|  | $23 / 4 y$ "Petal" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (5) blocks: (10) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (8) blocks: (8) B pieces using template. <br> b. outer border <br> (9) 4 1/2" $\times$ WOF. Piece strips and sub-cut (2) 4 1/2" $\times 79$ 1/2" and (2) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 871 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips. |


| R4631-Magenta | $11 / 4 y$ "Magenta floral" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (5) blocks: (10) A pieces using template <br> Center for (6) blocks: (6) B pieces using template. |
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|  | 7/8y "Blossom" in instructions | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces for (4) blocks: (8) A pieces using template. Center for (4) blocks: (4) B pieces using template. |
| R4632-Jewel |  | Cut for <br> a. Orange Peel blocks <br> Background pieces For (4) blocks: (8) A pieces using template. <br> Center for (4) blocks: (4) B pieces using template. |

## Constructing Orange Peel blocks

1. Mark center on curved edge of Fabric 2 A piece, and center on curved edge of Fabric 1 B piece. Match up center of (1) edge of B piece against center of A piece. Pin where both centers meet. Then, ease and pin the rest of edge together, and sew carefully using a slow machine speed with needle-down function (if available). Repeat with another Fabric 2 A piece to complete (1) Orange Peel block.
Note: There are many visual tutorials available online for curve piecing. Quilters may want to consult those resources to brush up on the technique.

2. Make a total number of blocks for the following Fabric $\mathbf{1 / F a b r i c} 2$ combinations:

1 block: Aurora/Magenta Gold, Celadon/Dragonfly
2 blocks: Aurora/Sea Urchin, Magenta Gold/Frost, Dragonfly/Aurora
3 blocks: Magenta Gold/Aurora, Frost/Salvia, Petal/Magenta Gold
4 blocks: Frost/Dragonfly, Salvia/Frost, Jewel/Blossom, Blossom/Jewel
5 blocks: Aurora/Petal, Sea Urchin/Aurora, Petal/Aurora, Celadon/Magenta floral, Dragonfly/Frost
6 blocks: Magenta floral/Celadon

## Quilt center assembly

1. Refer to quilt image for placement guide, arrange and sew together (8) pieced blocks to make a pieced row. Make a total of (8) pieced rows. Row 1 is shown below.

2. Sew together pieced rows to complete quilt center.


Quilt top assembly

1. Inner border. Sew (2) 4" $\times 72$ 1/2" Aurora strips to the opposite sides of quilt center, followed by (2) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 791 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Aurora strips to the remaining opposite sides of quilt center.
2. Outer border. Sew (2) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 79$ 1/2" Petal strips to the opposite sides of quilt center, followed by (2) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 871 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Petal strips to the remaining opposite sides of quilt center to complete quilt top.





