

Dresden Table Runner

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45" x 12"

Read all instructions before starting. Seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise stated.

You will need to print out the template that is on the last page of this document. I have included a 1" test square so that you can print out to the right proportion.

Cutting:

Out of background fabric:

3 - 12.5 x 12.5" squares

Out of various prints:

6 - 1 3/4" x 12.5" strips

Dresden Blades:

60 blades from various prints

Binding:

3 - 2.5" x Width of fabric strips



Step 1: Cut out template, and the trace dresden blades onto fabric and carefully cut out. You will cut 20 blades from various fabrics. Fold dresden blade in half right sides together. Sew a 1/4" seam along the top edge.

Step 2: Turn right side out and press. Make 20 blades.



Step 1



Step 1



Step 2

Step 3: Place two blades right sides together, aligning the top edges (it's okay if the bottom edges aren't aligned perfectly). Sew a 1/4" seam along the edge. Press.

Step 4: Sew blades together, until you have sewn all 20 blades. You can also sew them together in sets of 5, and then sew the sets together. Some people prefer to do it this way. Make 3 dresden blocks.



Step 3



Step 3



Step 4

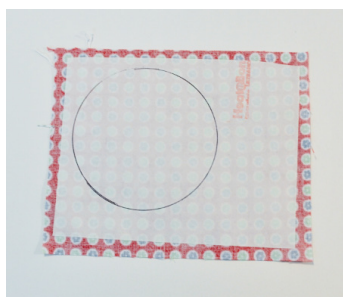
Step 5: Place your dresden plate on top of your 12.5" square background piece. Find the center of the background square, and place your dresden exactly in the center. Pin into place! It helps to pin a lot so it doesn't shift when you sew it on!

Step 6: Once pinned into place, carefully stitch your dresden onto your background fabric. Staying very close to the edge---about 1/8" or less.

Step 7: Now using your circle template (on last page) you will use that to make the center of your dresden. Iron some fusible web onto the fabric, then trace the circle on and then cut out. Place circle in the center of the dresden plate and iron into place. Stitch along the edge of the circle to secure into place.

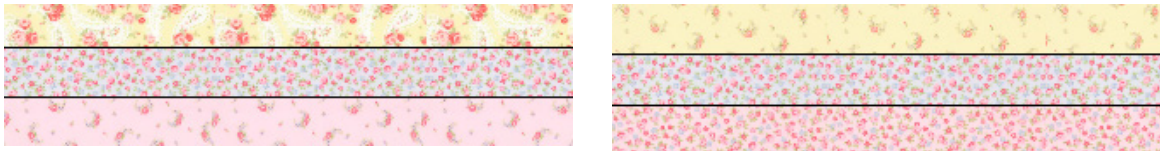


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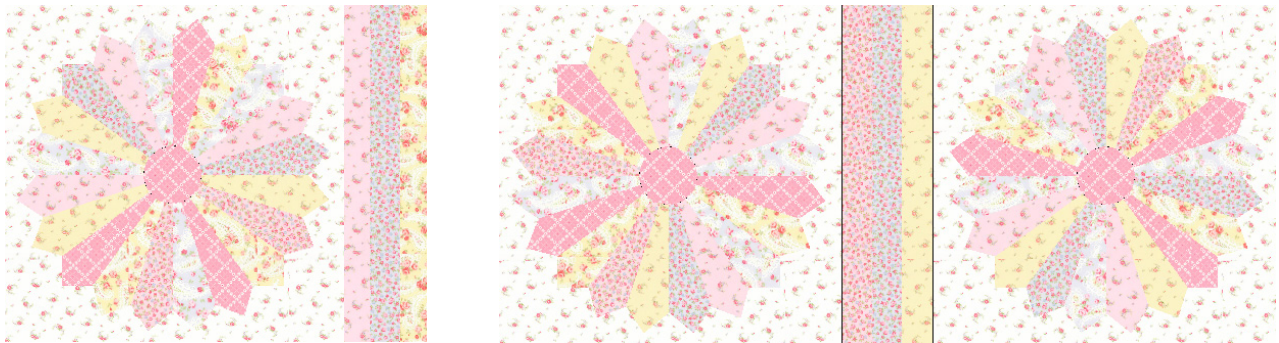


Step 7

Step 8: Take your 1 3/4" x 12.5" strips and sew three strips together and press. Make two sets.



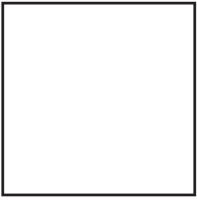
Step 9: Sew your dresden blocks together with your strip sets in between your dresden blocks.



Now you are ready to baste, quilt and bind with your preferred methods.

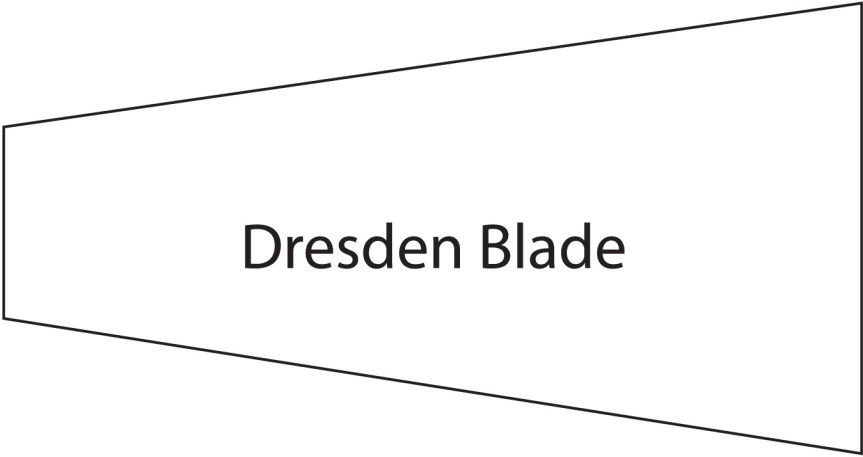
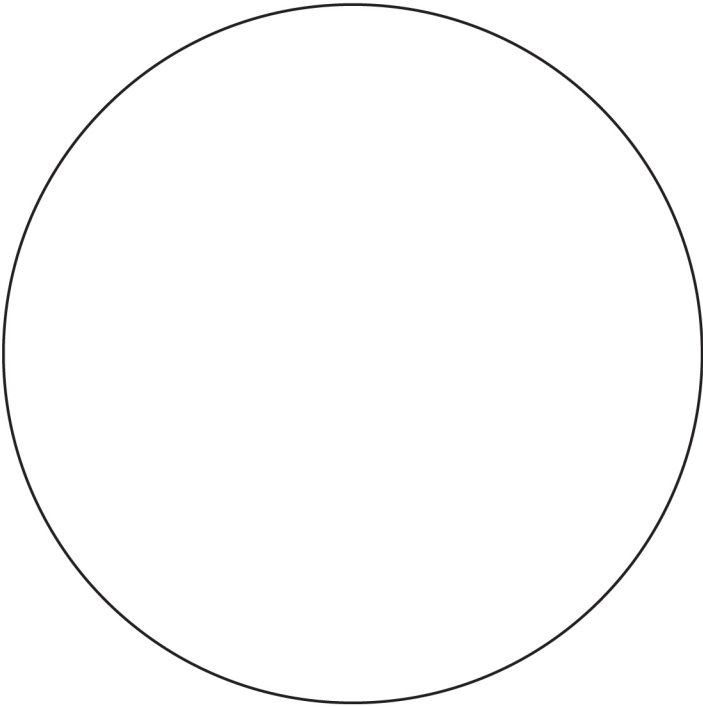


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Test Square

1"



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Dresden Blade

2 3/8"



4.5"