Overture

featuring VIRTUOSA COLLECTION by BARI J.

FREE PATTERN
FINISHED SIZE | 42” × 65”

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

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<th>Fabric</th>
<th>Item Code</th>
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<td>G</td>
<td>FE-525</td>
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BACKING FABRIC
VRT-11802  2 ¾ yds. (suggested)

CUTTING DIRECTIONS

¼” seam allowances are included.
WOF means width of fabric.

Fabric A:
Nine (9) Stripes of 1⅜” x WOF
Ten (10) Template 1

Fabric B:
Five (5) Stripes of 1⅜” x WOF
Nine (9) Template 1

Fabric C:
Five (5) Stripes of 1” x WOF

Fabric D:
Five (5) Stripes of 1” x WOF.

Fabric E:
Five (5) Stripes of 1⅜” x WOF.

Fabric F:
Five (5) Stripes of 1” x WOF

Fabric G:
Four (4) Stripes of 1” x WOF

CONSTRUCTION

Sew all rights sides together with ¼” seam allowance.

Construct of each hexie

- We have 4 different hexies combinations.

Hexie 1 - Fabric B A G. We need 4 hexies
Hexie 2 - Fabric A B C. We need 5 hexies
Hexie 3 - Fabric A E D. We need 5 hexies
Hexie 4 - Fabric B A F. We need 5 hexies

Diagram 1
• Take a 1.5” stripe and sew it on top of the hexie, then trim the excess considering the direction of the side of the hexie as shown on diagram below.

• Take the left over 1.5” stripe that you used before and sew it at the bottom of the hexie, and trim as shown on diagram below.

• Take the left over of the 1.5” stripe that you used before and sew it to the top sides of the hexie, and trim as shown on diagram below.

• Take the left over of the 1.5” stripe that you used before and sew it to the bottom sides of the hexie, and trim as shown on diagram below.
• Take a 1" stripe and sew it on top of the hexie, then trim the excess following the side direction of the hexie as shown on diagram below.

![Diagram 6](image1)

• Take the left over 1" stripe that you used before and sew it at the bottom of the hexie, and trim as shown on diagram below.

![Diagram 7](image2)

• Take the left over of the 1" stripe that you used before and sew it to the top sides of the hexie, and trim as shown on diagram below.

![Diagram 8](image3)

• Take the left over of the 1" stripe that you used before and sew it to the bottom sides of the hexie, and trim as shown on diagram below.

![Diagram 9](image4)
ASSEMBLING THE TOP

Sew all rights sides together with ¼" seam allowance. Press open.

- After building your hexies you can start assembling the piece.
- Place right sides together. Sew the seam, beginning and ending at the dot (backstitch to secure the stitching at each end).
- Do not sew past the dot in either direction. It’s better to stop just right at the dot than to sew past it.
- Sew the hexies together by aligning the raw edges.
- Sew together in pairs of two, then press the seams open. Then sew pairs together, continuing until the desired number of hexies are sewn together.

Once you have all your sections sewn put them together as diagram below.
**CENTER PIECE ASSEMBLY**

_Sew rights sides together:_

- Once you finished assembling the center piece, quilt the top as you desire and use the piece of fabric D, (1 1/8 ‘x 42’)
- Put fabric D with the center piece right side together, sew around it following the center piece edges and leave 3’ open to turn it inside out, then sew by hand.

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![Diagram of center piece assembly](image)

1. **Fabric D and center piece right sides together**
2. **Sew around it with 1/4” seam allowance**
3. **Leave 3” opening**
4. **Sew at 1/4”**
5. **Trim excess and turn it inside out and sew the 3” you left open by hand**

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NOTE: While all possible care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of this pattern, We are not responsible for printing errors or the way in which individual work varies. Please read instructions carefully before starting the construction of this quilt. If desired, wash and iron your fabrics before starting to cut.

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TEMPLATE 1