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GO! butterfly quilt

designed by Keri Beyer

Butterfly quilt options: Use a pre-made comforter or, for a more in-depth sewing project, make a 9-patch quilt.

Butterfly Directions

Use the AccuQuilt® Studio™ Butterfly #1 (50621) as the template for butterfly—see template on next page. Increase the size of the butterfly to fit the size of your quilt (e.g., twin, full, etc.).



1. Trace butterfly template onto fabric. (For best results, place on actual bed to ensure butterfly is in correct location.)
2. Outline outer edges and “body” of butterfly with a solid color. Black velvet was used in photo and pre-fused before cutting. Use all three sizes of circle die, primarily the 2" and 3" sizes. Use as many of the AccuQuilt GO! dies as you wish—the more the better in terms of getting a fun, layered look—with as many complementary fabrics (six fabric designs were used in this piece).

3. Randomly cut fabric with AccuQuilt GO! Fabric Cutter.

NOTE: Add fusible adhesive to back of fabric before cutting. This stabilizes pieces before sewing or, if permanent adhesive is used, no need to sew! If using velvet, make sure to cover TOP of velvet with towel to press. Touching iron directly to top of velvet will burn it.

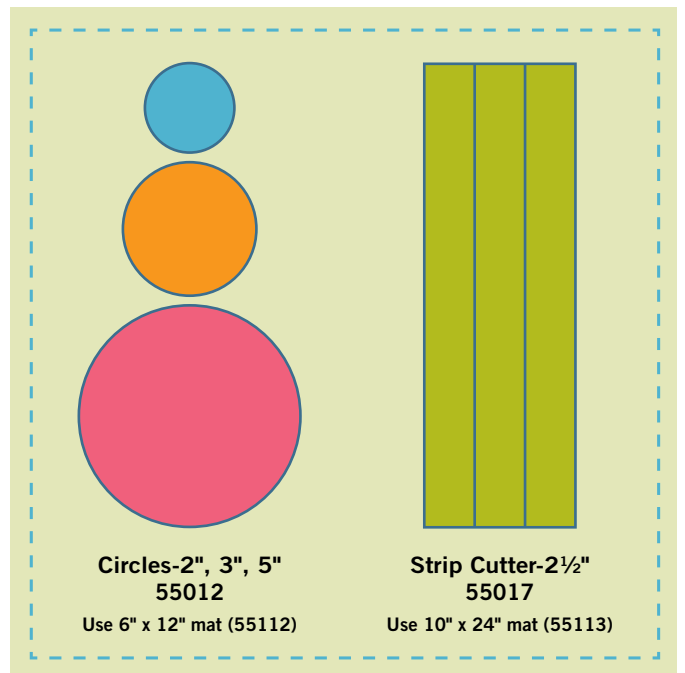
4. Place cutouts in random order on butterfly.
5. Press pieces together being careful not to touch iron to TOP of velvet.
6. Crazy-stitch in place or no need to sew if permanent adhesive was used.

Scallop-Border Directions

1. Use AccuQuilt GO! Strip Cutter-2½" (55017) and cut complementary fabric strips.
2. Press ¼" hem on each side of strip.
3. Apply fusible adhesive to back of solid color velvet and cut 3" circles. Cut in half with scissors.
4. Place quilt on bed. Measure from floor to where you want border placed.
5. Lay hemmed strips on top of scallops.
6. Press in place.
7. Finish by sewing strips in place.

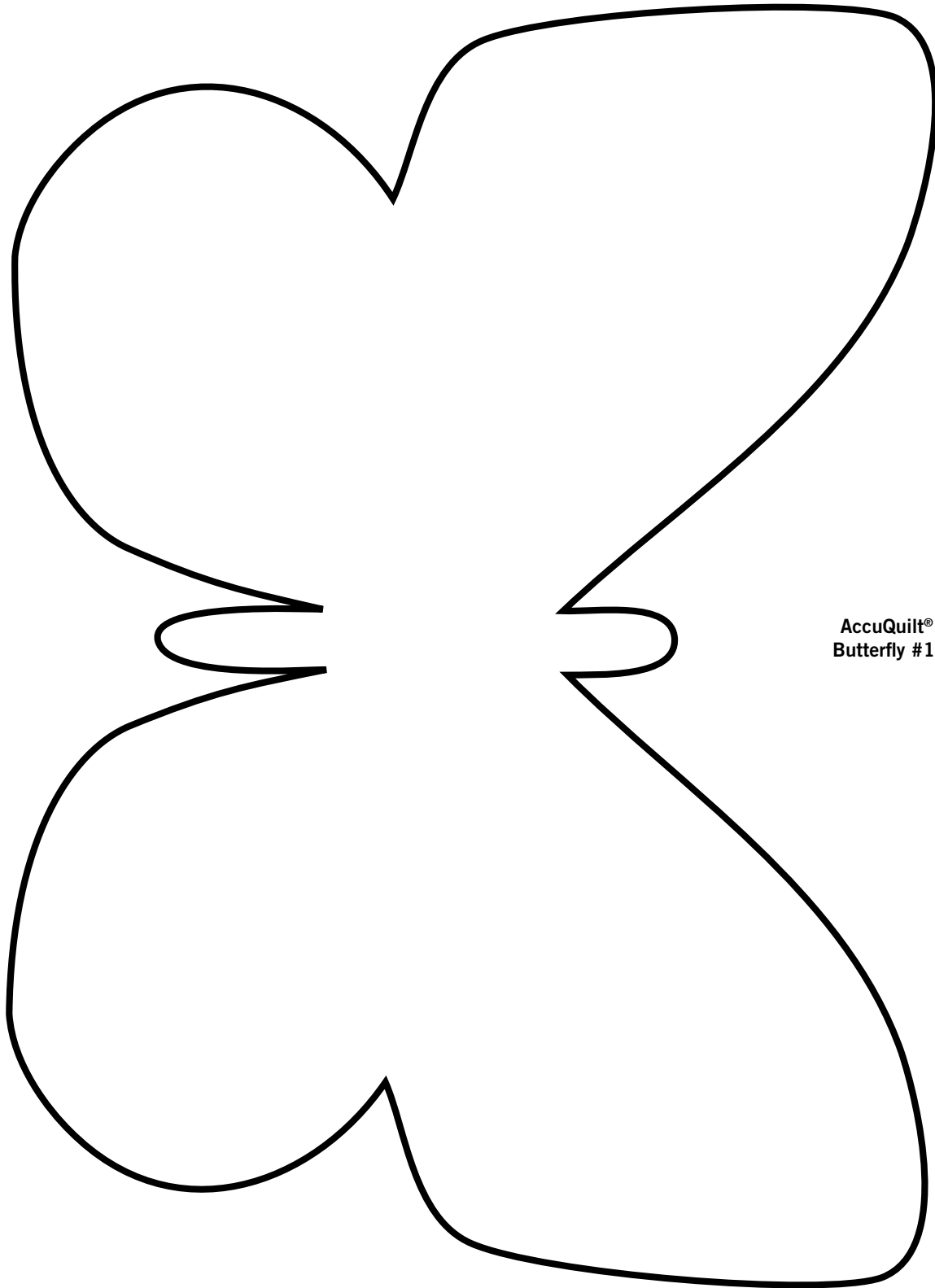


For the project in this photo, two full/flat sheets were sewn together to make a twin-size duvet cover.



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