

Modern Domestic Make a Quilted PRIDE Flag

Did you know? Early in the Gay RIghts movement, organizers used the Pink Triangle, a symbol used by the Nazi's to designate homosexuals in the prison camps. In 1978, Gilbert Baker designed a more uplifting symbol by assigning values to each of the colors of the rainbow. In 2018, Daniel Quasar redesigned the flag to include Clvil RIghts (Black and Brown) and Trans Rights (Light Blue, Pink, and white). Make this quilted version for yourself or to support the LGBTQ+ people in your community.

Supplies:

1/8th yard cuts or Fat Quarters of Each of the following colors:

RED (Life), **ORANGE** (Healing), **YELLOW** (New Ideas) **GREEN** (Prosperity), **BLUE** (Serenity), **PURPLE** (Spirit) **BLACK**, **BROWN** (People of Color), **LIGHT BLUE**, **PINK**, **WHITE** (Trans Community) (Note: If using Fat Quarters, you will need to join some pieces to create strips that are long enough.)

Backing: 3/4 yard. Batting: 3/4 yard. Binding: 1/4 yard

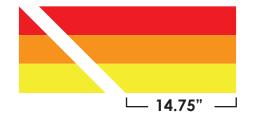
STEP 1. Cut RED,ORANGE, YELLOW, GREEN, BLUE, and PURPLE into 4.5"x 26" strips. (If using FQ's, Cut 4.5" x 26." s trips and sew together to form longer strips. Stagger the seams and trim to 27".)

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STEP 2. Using a 1/4" seam allowance, sew RED, ORANGE, YELLOW together along the long edges. Repeat with GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE.

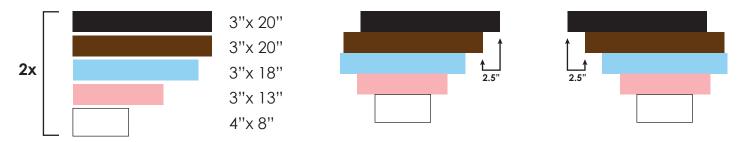
STEP 3. Measure 14.75" from the lower right on the YELLOW band and make a mark. Cut from the mark to the top left corner of the RED strip. Next, measure 14.75" from the top right corner of the GREEN strip and make a mark. Cut from the mark to the bottom left corner of the PURPLE strip.





STEP 4. Cut two strips each of BLACK and BROWN fabric measuring 3"x 20". Cut two strips of LIGHT BLUE fabric measuring 3"x 18". Cut two strips of PINK fabric measuring 3"x 13". Lastly, cut two pieces of WHITE measuring 4"x 8".

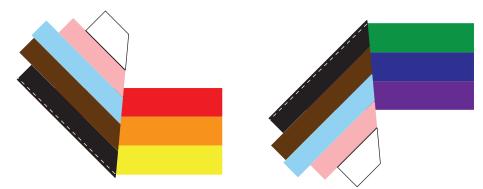
STEP 5. Using a 1/4" seam allowance, sew strips together, offsetting the start of the fabric by 2.5". You will need one set that is offset to the left and one set that is offset to the right.



STEP 6. Line up a ruler along the offset seam beginnings and trim. Repeat with the opposite set. DO NOT trim the jagged side just yet.



STEP 7. With right sides together line the left BLACK strip along the diagonal edge of the RED, ORANGE, YELLOW set. The point of the BLACK strip should extend 1/4" below the YELLOW strip. Sew together.. Repeat with the second BLACK strip and the GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE.



STEP 8. With right sides together line the left BLACK strip along the diagonal edge of the RED, ORANGE, YELLOW set. The point of the BLACK strip should extend 1/4" below the YELLOW strip. Sew together.. Repeat with the second BLACK strip and the GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE.

