Christmas Tree Garland

Finished Size: 5 ½" x 6" (13.97cm x 15.24cm)
Makes 9 Trees

Supplies Needed

- 3 Fabric Palette® Christmas fat quarters — 18" x 21" (45.72cm x 53.34cm)
- 1 pkg. Polyester Fiberfill
- ⅜" (9.53mm) Grosgrain ribbon: 3 ½ yds. (3.43m)
- Craft glue
- Chopstick/wooden dowel
- Rotary cutter, mat and acrylic ruler
- Basic sewing supplies
- Sewing machine
- Iron and pressing surface
- Walking foot (optional)

Before you begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not pre-wash fabrics. Before cutting, press fabrics with a dry iron on cotton setting if needed. Use a ¼" (6.35mm) seam allowance and backstitch at the start and ending of seams.
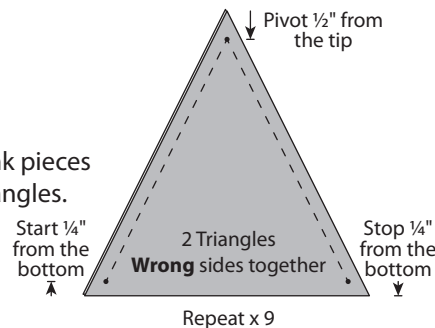
Cutting

From each fat quarter cut:
   3- 2" x 3" (5.08cm x 7.62cm) trunk pieces
   6- 5" x 5" (12.70cm x 12.7cm) triangles.

Sewing

↓ Pivot ½" from the tip

Start ¼" from the bottom

2 Triangles
Wrong sides together

Stop ¼" from the bottom

Repeat x 9

1. As shown above, pin two matching Triangles with **wrong** sides together and edges even. Start sewing ¼" (6.35mm) from the bottom edge of the Triangle, stop ½" (1.27cm) from the point, pivot and sew down the other side stopping ¼" (6.35mm) from the bottom edge. Repeat for remaining Triangles for a total of nine Trees.

2. Fold a Trunk piece **wrong** sides together so short ends meet; pin and sew the sides.

3. Stuff the sewn Tree and Trunk with fiberfill, being careful not to overstuff.

4. Center the open end of the Trunk in the open end of the Tree and pin in place.

5. Sew across the bottom edge to close the opening and attach the Trunk. Repeat Steps 2 - 4 for remaining Trunks and Trees.

6. Tie a loop on each end of the ribbon. Mark the center with a pin. Measure 3 ½" (8.89cm) on each side of the center and pin a Tree top. Pin the rest of the Trees to the ribbon at 7" (17.78cm) increments.

Finishing

7. Glue the Tree tops to the ribbon.

8. Hang as desired.

Finished Care Instructions

Dust or wipe with a damp cloth.