



## **CS0036 Baby Bunnies Wall Quilt**

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Sweet little bunnies in soft spring colors grace this wall hanging. It's the perfect focal point for an Easter party or a wonderful quilt for a baby's room.

### **Materials**

Coats Cotton Machine Quilting Thread Thread: Natural (256 or 8010)

Coats Polyester Machine Embroidery Thread: Black (002)

Extra-Wide Double-Fold Bias Tape: 1 package, off-white or natural

44/45-inch fabric:

1/3 yard lilac print for inner border

1/4 yard small floral print for outer border

1 (6-inch square) each of blue, pink, yellow and green prints for bunnies

Coordinating blue, pink, yellow and green prints for ears and tails--scraps

Tone-on-tone white print, 2 (7½ -inch squares)

Tone-on-tone off-white print. 2 (7½-inch squares)

Paper-backed fusible web, ¼ yard

Iron-on, tear-away stabilizer, 4 (7½-inch) squares

Backing fabric, 20-inch square

Batting, 20-inch square

Small white star buttons, 4

Permanent black ink pen or black embroidery floss

### **Size**

19½ inches square

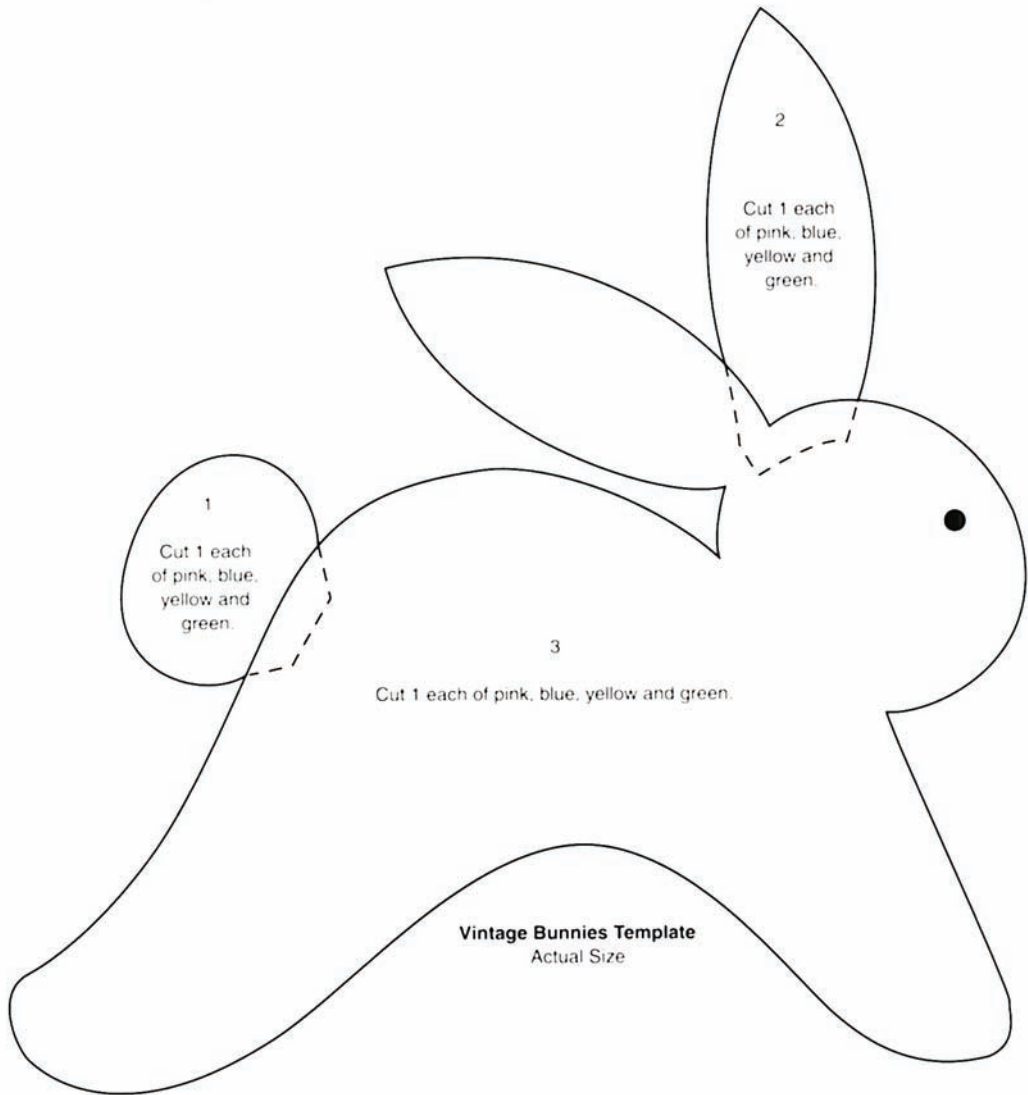
## **Cutting**

*Wash all fabrics and press to remove wrinkles before cutting.*

- From the lilac print, cut two strips each 1 x 4½ inches for the top and bottom inner borders and two strips each 1x15½ inches for the side inner borders.
- From the small floral print, cut two strips each 2½ x15½ inches for the top and bottom outer borders and two strips each 2½x19½ inches for the side outer borders.
- Trace the appliqué shapes onto the paper side of the fusible web and cut out leaving a margin beyond the drawn lines. Apply each shape to the appropriate colored scrap following manufacturer's directions. Cut out each shape on the drawn lines and remove the backing paper.

## **Assembly**

1. Position the appliqué shapes for each bunny on a 7½-inch square and fuse in place following the manufacturer's directions. Apply a square of stabilizer to the wrong side of each block.
2. Adjust the machine for a short, narrow appliqué or blindstitch. Using black polyester embroidery thread in the sewing machine needle, stitch around each appliqué. Pull the thread tails to the wrong side of the tie off. Remove the stabilizer.
3. Sew the blocks together in two rows of two blocks each; press the seams in opposite directions so they will nest into each other for a perfect match when the rows are joined. Sew the rows together and press the seam in one direction.
4. Sew the inner borders to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top and press the seams toward the border. Sew the inner border strips to the side edges and press.
5. Add the outer borders to the quilt in the same manner. Press the seams toward the outer borders.
6. Layer the quilt top with the batting and backing fabric. Pin-baste the layers together to prepare for quilting.
7. Using the cotton quilting thread, stitch along all seam lines and again ¼" from the seam lines. Stitch ¼ inch from the edges of the bunny appliqués.
8. Bind the quilt with the bias tape. Stitch a button to each bunny to finish.



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Cut 1 each  
of pink, blue,  
yellow and  
green.

2

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of pink, blue,  
yellow and  
green.

3

Cut 1 each of pink, blue, yellow and green.

**Vintage Bunnies Template**

Actual Size

