

House 9

10 by 14 inches finished

10 ½ by 14 ½ inches unfinished



This house is going to be fun to complete!

The piecing is very easy, but all those balconies overlooking the Fraser will be interesting to do.

The house is also going to need some shading to make it look a little three dimensional. If you want to use some netting, insert it before you sew the vertical seams that separate the two sides of the house. There is also the railing down the staircase of you want to get really exotic.

Don't forget to put some planters on the stairs and balconies. If you look carefully you will see in the picture that the base of the house is actually open with latticework.

Sky



2 - 3 by 3 ½ inches (U)

2 - 3 by 3 inches (V)

2 - 2 ½ by 1 ½ inches (W)

Plus pieces for paper pieced sections A, B, C, and D

Piece for template E1

Roof - Paper pieced sections A

Gables and Base - paper pieced sections B, and D

Piece for template E2

Stairs - paper pieced section D

Siding

2 - 2 by 3 inches (F)

2 - 5 by 1 inches (G)

2 - 1 ½ by 2 inches (H)

1 - 6 by 1 inches (I)

1 - 6 by 1 ½ inches (J)

2 - 1 ½ by 2 ½ inches (K)

2 - 1 by 2 ½ inch (L)

2 - 2 ½ by 1 inches (M)

1 - 2 by 3 inches (N)

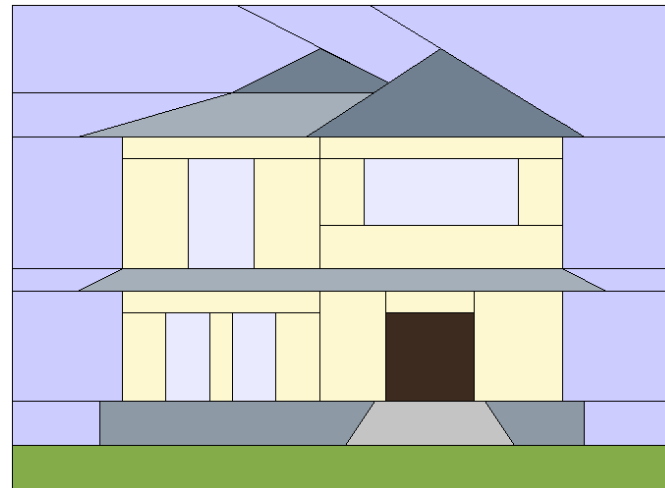
2 - 2 ½ by 3 inches (O)

Windows:

1 - 2 by 3 inches (P)

1 - 4 by 2 inches (Q)

2 - 1 ½ by 2 ½ inches (R)



Door:

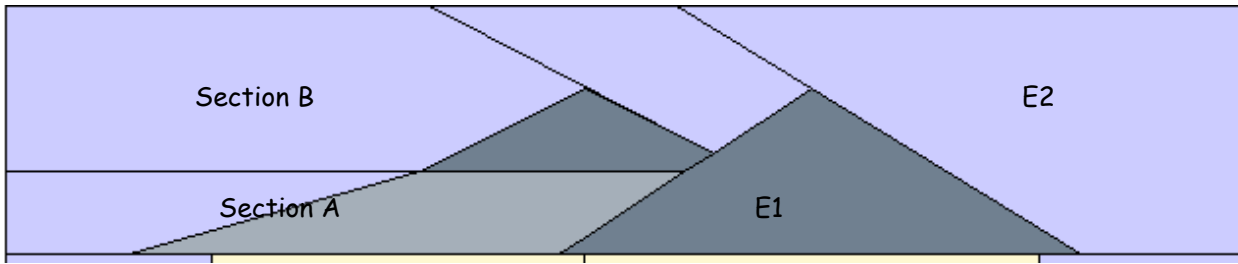
2 - 2 ½ by 2 ½ inches (S)

Front Yard:

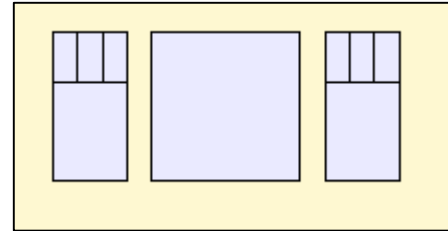
1 - 15 by 1 ½ inches (X)

First paper piecing the roof pieces Sections A and B. Sew Section A below section B. Now using templates cut pieces E1 and E2. Sew Gable piece E1 to the roof section AB as shown, and follow with the sky section E2

This is the top of our house and measures $3\frac{1}{2}$ by 15 inches.



TIP: Windows - 'Dress' the windows before you piece them - you cut them a bit larger, and add the details, then cut them down to size. Window Q is actually three windows - $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch in from each side is of siding. Add it to the window before piecing it.

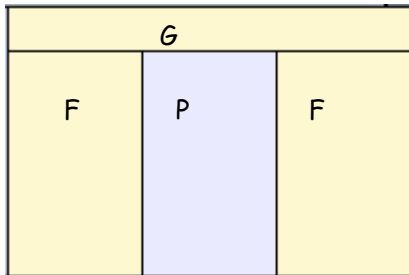


might want to
a $\frac{1}{4}$ inch strip

The top floor:

If you are using net or organza to shade the recessed side of the house, add it to one of the F pieces. Remember a shadow will be wider at the base and narrower at the top (we're putting the sun just beyond the top right corner of the block!).

Sew the two pieces of siding F on either side of the window P. Add a siding G section above the window:
This section measures $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 5 inches.

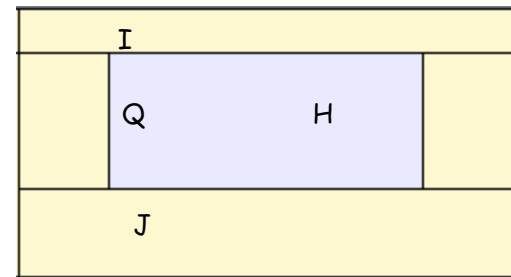


Now is the time to add the pillar on the left, and the trim on the glass doors, as well as anything on the balcony.

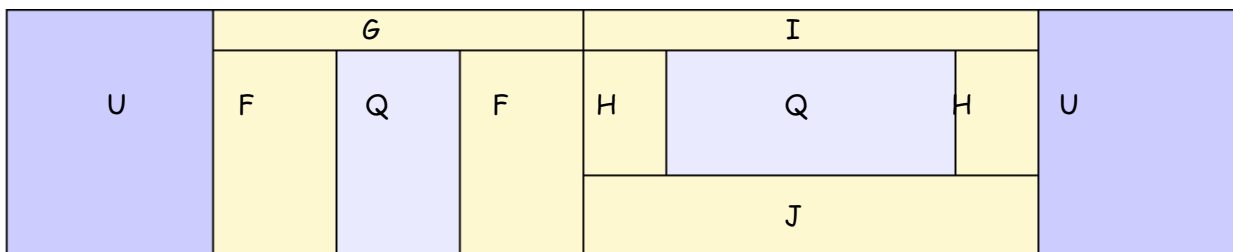
Sew two pieces of siding H to the windows Q, then add siding piece I above the windows and piece J below the window. You might want to add the trim at the end of the balcony to this piece.

This section will measure $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 6 inches

H

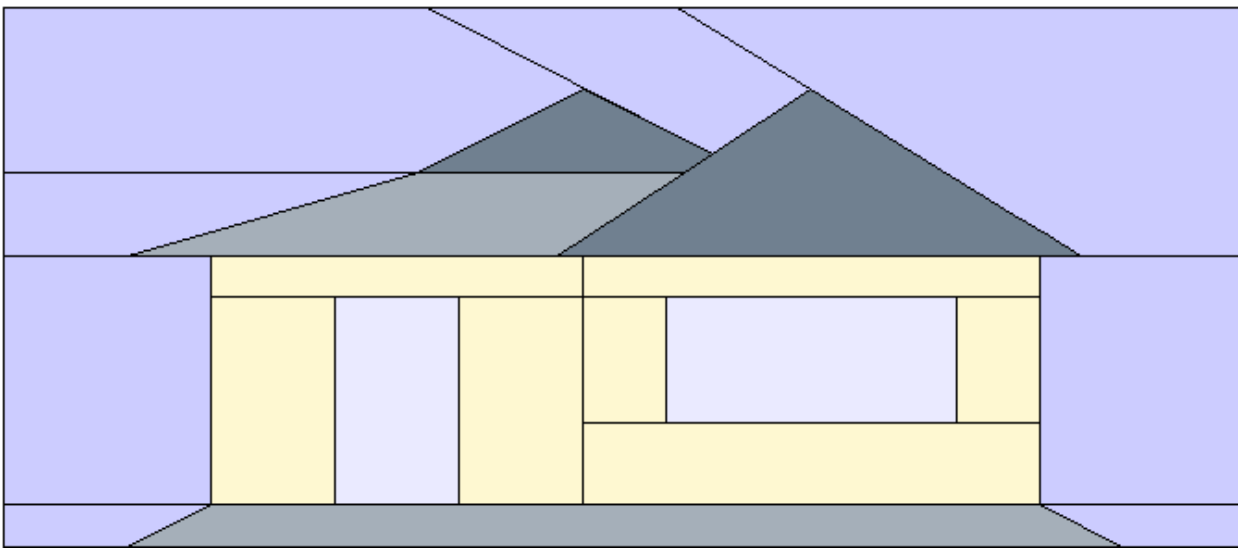


Sew these two sections together, and add the Sky U pieces to each end:



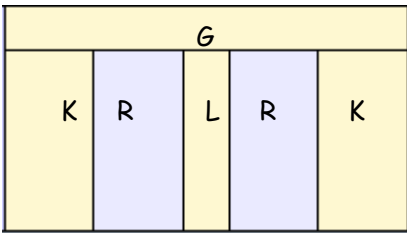
This Floor should measure $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 15 inches. Sew it under the sky/roof section E

Paper piece Section C - and sew it under the second story for the porch roof.



First Floor:

Sew siding piece L between the two R windows. Add the siding sections K, then sew siding section G above:



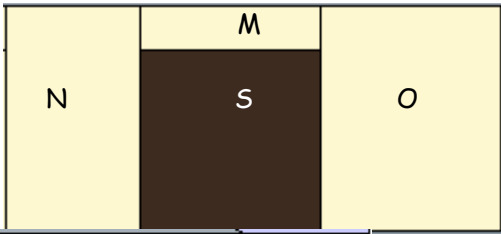
Now is the time to trim these windows - the grey border goes on the siding sides of the seams. Shade the right side similar to the floor above.

This piece will measure 3 by 5 inches.

At this point you may want to applique something fancy for the door, and add the window. You may want to applique the little octagonal window onto siding piece O.

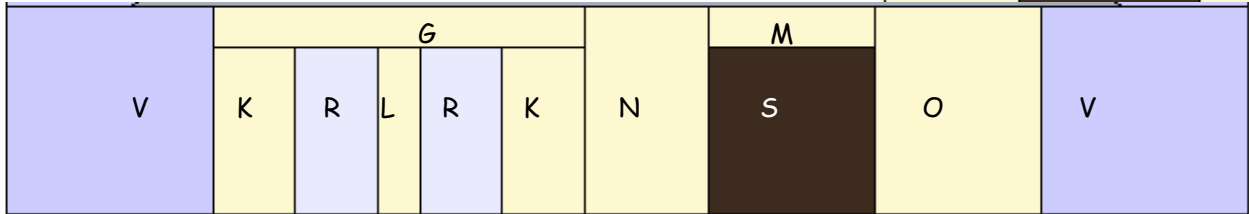
Sew siding piece M above the door (you can add the vertical trim before you do this). Add the horizontal trim above the door.

Now add siding section N on the left of the door, and the section O right. This will measure 3 by 6 inchew.



to the side.

Sew this section to the last section, and add sky piece V to each



This section will measure 3 inches by 15 inches. Now is the time to put the vertical trim in so you can include the top and bottom in the seam. You should have 5 pillars to hold up the railings.

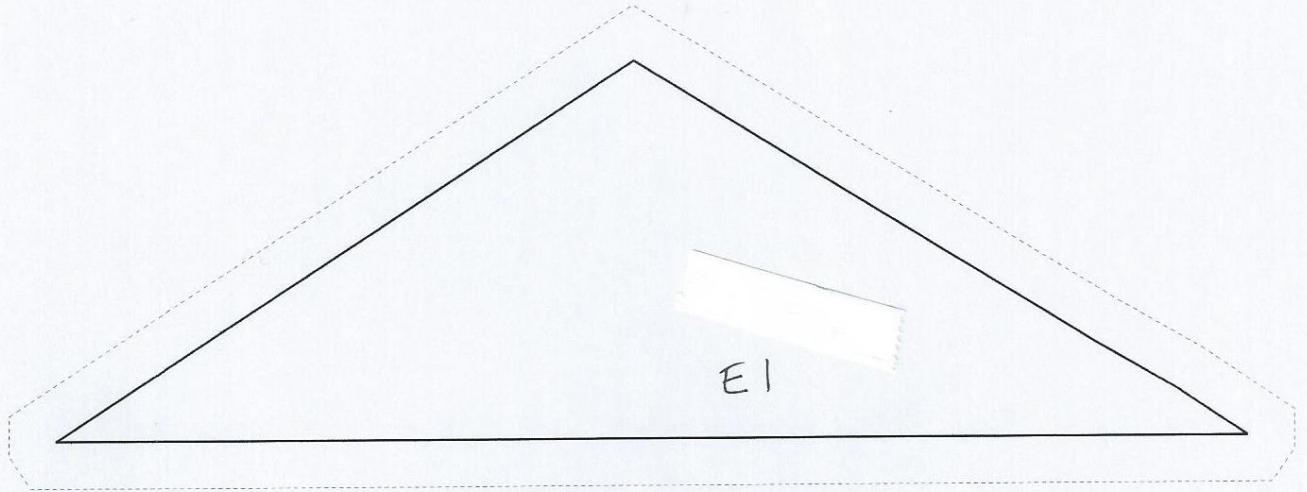
Sew it below the previous section.

Now sew paper pieced section D to the bottom, and below that the front yard - piece X. Note that the stairs are penciled in with a marker or embroidered

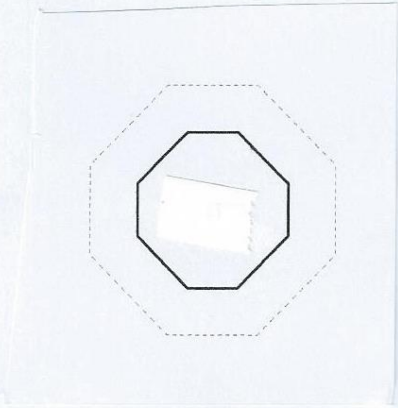
Now add the front yard and you are all set!

Decorate the house -see the gingerbread at the top of the pillars! Hand or machine sew the railings, and any small details.

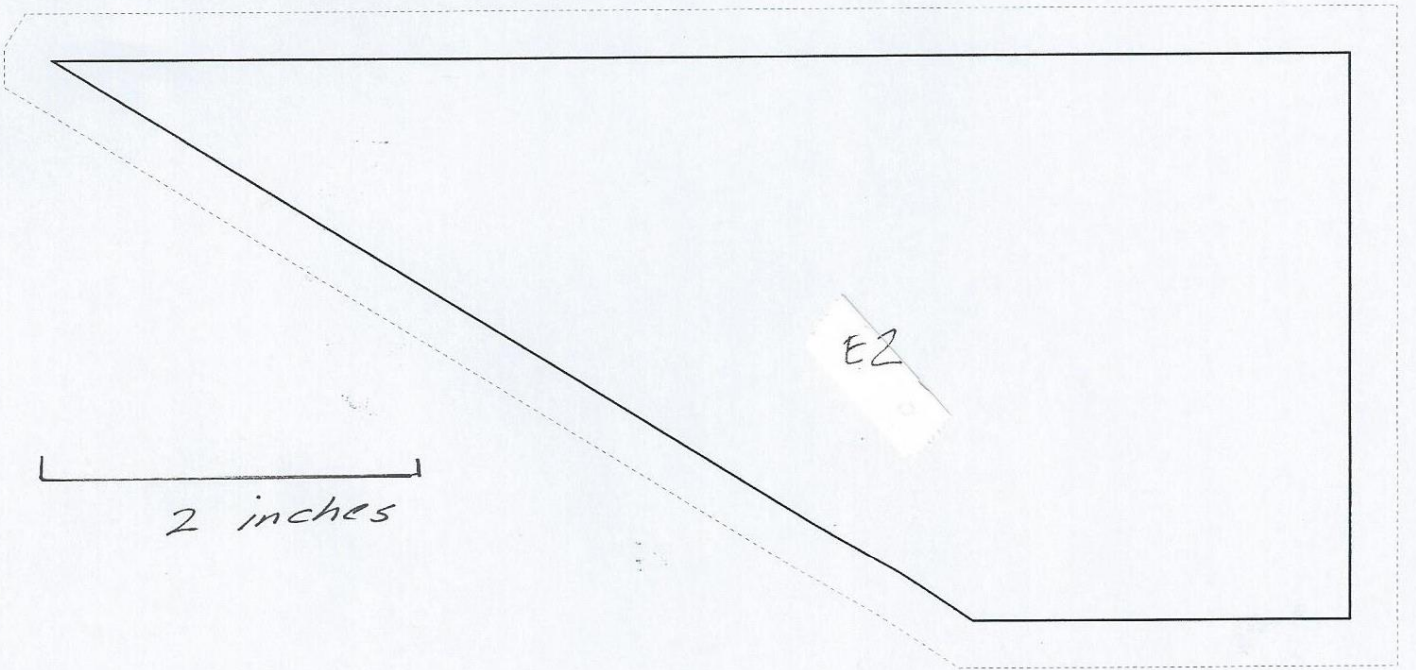
Then go to town with the yard.



E1

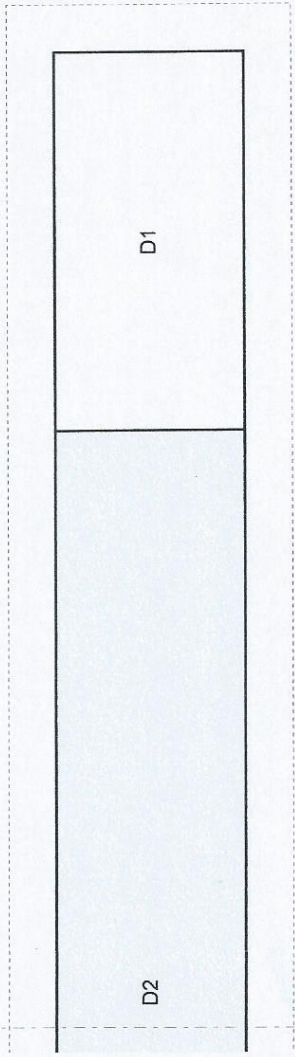
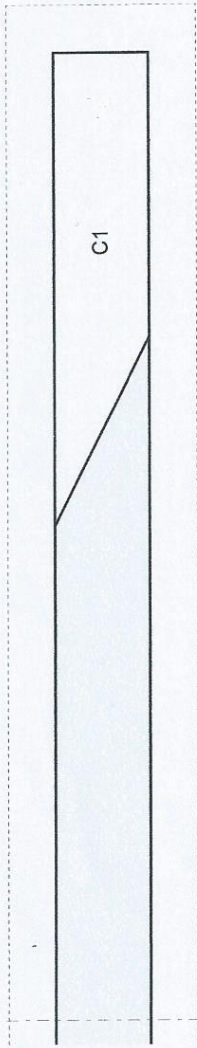
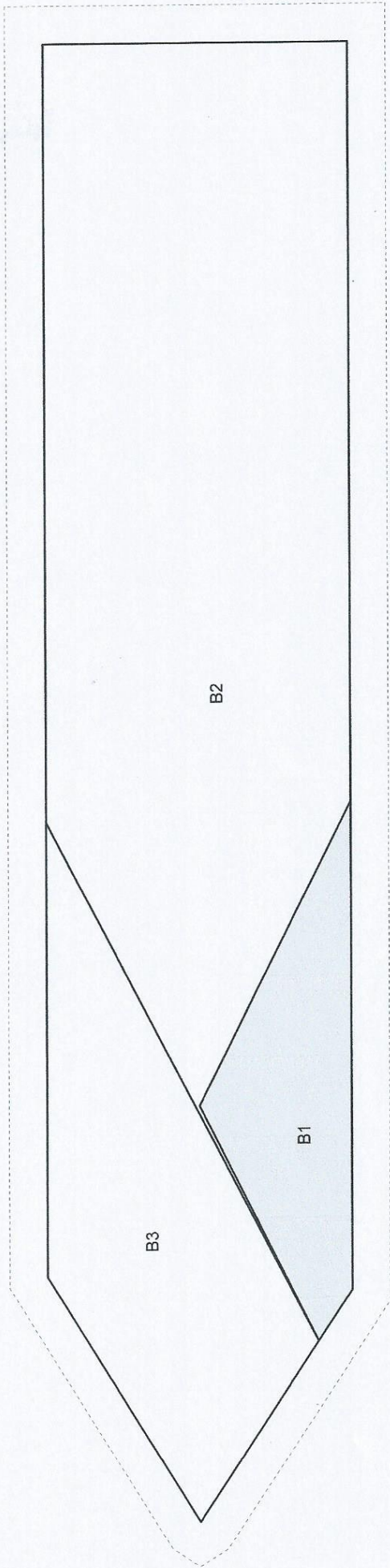


Window

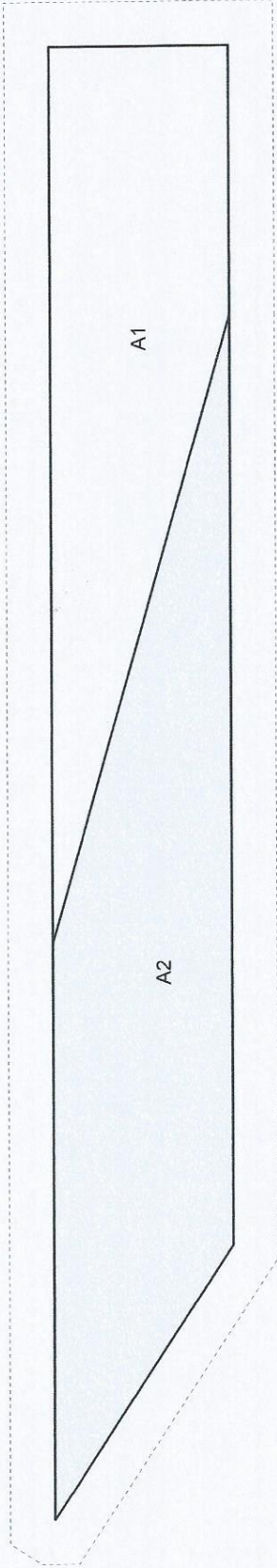


E2

2 inches



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