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ESTIMATED TIME TO COMPLETE: 1 1/2 HOURS

APPROXIMATE FINISHED SIZE: 15" X 40"

## **FABRIC:**

- Green: 18" (1/2 yd) strip
- Brown: 2 1/2" strip
- Red: (2) 6" strips
- Gold: (4) 5" squares
- Double-sided fusing material: (2) 5" squares

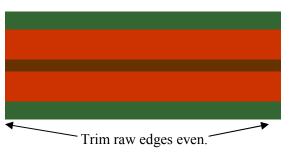
## 10th Tree Ten Minute Runner

Use a quarter inch seam unless indicated otherwise.

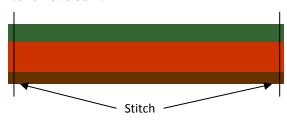
Stitch a red strip to each side of the brown strip to construct a strip that looks like this:

Press seams toward the red.

With right sides together, stitch each side of the pieced strip to the green strip, making a long tube. Press seams toward the green and turn right side out. Press so the green fabric creates an even border on each side of the pieced strip as shown:



Fold tube in half with the pieced strip out and stitch on each end. It works better for me to use a half inch seam allowance here, press the seams open, then to trim the seam allowance to remove bulk.





Turn seams inside to form a point, press.



Make stars from pattern on next page. Stitch to points of runner.

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## **Making the Stars**

Follow manufacturer's instructions to fuse squares together with right sides out. Make two.

Use the pattern below to cut a star from each square. Use decorative stitching to adorn the star, if desired

