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Celebrate Summer

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Fabrics in the Collection



Panel - Multi 1550P-84



Various Sized Dots White/Multi – 1554-46



Ladybugs - Green 1555-66



Tonal Dot - Red 1558-88



Various Sized Dots - Royal 1554-77



Fish - Blue 1556-11



Summer Motifs - Blue 1551-11



Words - Multi 1552-1



Various Sized Dots - Red 1554-88



Crabs on Zebra Skin - Blue 1557-11



Summer Motifs - Green 1551-66



Watermelon - Yellow 1553-44



Ladybugs - Blue 1555-11



Tonal Dot - Green 1558-66

Select Fabrics from Modern Melody Basics





White on White 1063-01W

Royal 1063-75

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Materials

1 panel	36" Panel - Multi (A)	1550P-84
⅔ yard	Tonal Dot - Red (B)	1558-88
¹ ⁄ ₄ yard	Modern Melody Basics - Royal (C)	1063-75
¹ / ₄ yard	Summer Motifs - Green (D)	1551-66
1/2 yard	Crabs on Zebra Skin - Blue (E)	1557-11
¹ / ₄ yard	Various Sized Dots - Red (F)	1554-88
¹ ⁄ ₄ yard	Watermelon - Yellow (G)	1553-44
¹ ⁄ ₄ yard	Lady Bugs - Green (H)	1555-66
1 ² / ₃ yards	Words - Multi (I)	1552-1
¹ / ₄ yard	Various Sized Dots - Royal (J)	1554-77
⁵⁄∗ yard	Tonal Dot - Green (K)	1558-66*
¹ / ₂ yard	Modern Melody Basics - White on White (L)	
-	-	1063-01W
4 ¼ yards	Fish - Blue (Backing)	1556-11

*Includes binding

Cutting Instructions

Please note: all strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

From the 36" Panel - Multi (A):

• Fussy cut (1) 32 ¹/₂" x 39 ¹/₂" panel.

From the Tonal Dot - Red (B), cut:

- (2) 2 ¹/₂" x 35 ¹/₂" WOF strips.
- (2) 2" x 39 ½" WOF strips
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 52 ¹/₂" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 47 ¹/₂" strips.

From the Modern Melody Basics - Royal (C), cut:

- (2) 1 ¹/₂" x 42 ¹/₂" WOF strips, piece as needed.
- (2) 1 ¹/₂" x 36 ¹/₂" WOF strips.

From the Sumer Motifs - Green (D), cut:

• (1) 5 ¹/₄" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 5 ¹/₄" squares and (4) 4 ¹/₂" squares. Cut the 5 ¹/₄" squares across both diagonals to make (8) 5 ¹/₄" triangles.

From the Crabs on Zebra Skin - Blue (E), cut:

- (1) 5 ¹/₄" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 5 ¹/₄" squares and (4) 4 ¹/₂" squares. Cut the 5 ¹/₄" squares across both diagonals to make (8) 5 ¹/₄" triangles.
- (1) 4 ⁷/₈" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (6) 4 ⁷/₈" squares. Cut the squares across (1) diagonal to make (12) 4 ⁷/₈" triangles.

From the Various Sized Dots - Red (F), cut:

• (1) 5 ¹/₄" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 5 ¹/₄" squares and (4) 4 ⁷/₈" squares. Cut the 5 ¹/₄" squares across both diagonals to make (8) 5 ¹/₄" triangles. Cut the 4 ⁷/₈" squares across (1) diagonal to make (8) 4 ⁷/₈" triangles.

From the Watermelon - Yellow (G), cut:

• (1) 5 ¹/₄" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 5 ¹/₄" squares and (4) 4 ⁷/₈" squares. Cut the 5 ¹/₄" squares across both diagonals to make (8) 5 ¹/₄" triangles. Cut the 4 ⁷/₈" squares across (1) diagonal to make (8) 4 ⁷/₈" triangles.

From the Lady Bugs - Green (H), cut:

• (1) 5 ¹/₄" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (1) 5 ¹/₄" square and (4) 4 ⁷/₈" squares. Cut the 5 ¹/₄" square across both diagonals to make (4) 5 ¹/₄" triangles. Cut the 4 ⁷/₈" squares across (1) diagonal to make (8) 4 ⁷/₈" triangles.

From the Words - Multi (I), cut:

- (2) 5 ¹/₂" x 55 ¹/₂" LOF strips.
- (2) 5 ¹/₂" x 47 ¹/₂" WOF strips from the remaining fabric, piece as needed.

From the Various Sized Dots - Royal (J), cut:

• (1) 5 ¹/₂" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 5 ¹/₂" squares.

From the Tonal Dot - Green (K), cut:

• (7) 2 ¹/₂" x WOF strips for the binding.

From the Modern Melody Basics - White on White (L), cut:

• (2) 5 ¹/₄" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (9) 5 ¹/₄" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (36) 5 ¹/₄" triangles.

From the Fish - Blue (Backing), cut:

• (2) 73" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 65" x 73" back.

Block Assembly

1. Sew (1) 2" x 39 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to each side of the 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 39 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A panel to make (1) Unit 1 rectangle (Fig. 1).Trim the unit to measure 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".





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Quilt Top Assembly (Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top and pay attention to the orientation of the blocks.) 5. Sew (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric E square, (1) Unit 2 square, (1) Unit 3 square, (1) Unit 4 square, (1) Unit 6 square, (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric D square, (1) Unit 8 square, (1) Unit 10 square, (1) Unit 12 square, (1) Unit 13 square and (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric E square together in that order to make the Top Border Strip (Fig. 26 below).

6. Sew (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric E square, (1) Unit 13 square, (1) Unit 12 square, (1) Unit 11 square, (1) Unit 9 square, (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric D square, (1) Unit 7 square, (1) Unit 5 square, (1) Unit 3 square, (1) Unit 2 square and (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric E square together in that order to make the Bottom Border Strip (Fig. 27 below).

7. Sew (1) Unit 18 square, (1) Unit 13 square, (1) Unit 12 square, (1) Unit 17 square, (1) Unit 16 square, (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric D square, (1) Unit 15 square, (1) Unit 21 square, (1) Unit 3 square, (1) Unit 2 square and (1) Unit 14 square together in that order to make the Left Side Border Strip (Fig. 28).

8. Sew (1) Unit 24 square, (1) Unit 2 square, (1) Unit 3 square, (1) Unit 4 square, (1) Unit 23 square, (1) 4 ¹/₂" Fabric D square, (1) Unit 22 square, (1) Unit 20 square, (1) Unit 12 square, (1) Unit 13 square and (1) Unit 19 square together in that order to make the Right Side Border Strip (Fig. 29).

9. Sew the borders from Steps 5-8 onto the Center Block.

10. Sew (1) 2" x 52 ¹/₂" Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 47 ¹/₂" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

11. Sew (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 55 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric I strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 5 ¹/₂" Fabric J square to each end of (1) 5 ¹/₂" 47 ¹/₂" Fabric I strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

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12. Layer and quilt as desired.

13. Sew the (7) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric K strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.

14. Bind as desired.





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Quilt Layout

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