

# PAINT DRIP

## FINISHED SIZE 56" × 79"

### FABRIC

- All fabrics are 45" wide unless otherwise noted.
- ¼ yd each:
  - Raisin, Eggplant, Berry, Cerise, Plum, Flame Tangerine, Carrot, Kumquat, School Bus, Sunny, Corn Yellow, Canary, Citrus, Lemon, Pool, Oasis, Jade Green, Breakers, Pacific
- $-\frac{1}{8}$  yd each:
  - Pomegranate, Valentine, Bright Pink, Azalea, Camellia, Peapod, Chartreuse, Wasabi, Cactus, Zucchini
- 4¾ yd fabric for backing
- 5/8 yd fabric for binding

## **OTHER SUPPLIES**

- Batting (60" × 80")
- Rotary cutter, rigid acrylic ruler and self-healing mat
- Machine sewing thread
- Quilting thread
- Bent arm safety pins or quilt basting spray
- Walking foot for sewing machine

#### NOTES

All seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise indicated.

# **CUT THE FABRIC**

- 1. From the purple, orange, yellow, and blue fabrics, cut the following strips from selvedge to selvedge in the indicated widths:
  - Two 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" wide strips
  - Then, subcut those strips into 4 strips  $\,3^{1\!/_2"}\times12^{1\!/_2"}$
- 2. From the pink and green fabrics, cut the following strip from selvedge to selvedge in the indicated widths:
  - One 3½" wide strip
  - Subcut that strip into 4 strips  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " ×  $9\frac{1}{2}$ "
- **3.** From the white fabric, cut the following strips from selvedge to selvedge in the indicated widths:
  - Four 3½" wide strips
  - Subcut those four strips into 38 squares  $\,3^{1}\!\!/_{2}"\times3^{1}\!\!/_{2}".$



# PIECE THE UNITS

- To create each vertical rows, sew the 3½" long edges of the strips together in the following order: purple, pink, white, orange, yellow, white, green blue.
- 5. Press all seam allowances to one side in the same direction.
- 6. To sew the vertical rows together, join the long side of the first strip with the long side of the second strip. Piece together the long sides, staggering each row as you go so that the white squares in each row will offset the white square in the previous row by about 1-2"

#### PREPARE FOR QUILTING

- Cut the backing fabric into two pieces the same length as the finished quilt top. Remove the selvedges. Pin the two pieces together along the long side and stitch. Press the seam open. Trim to correct size.
- 8. With the backing wrong side up, center the batting on top if it, then lay the quilt top onto the batting, right side up to create a quilt sandwich. Baste the three layers together using safety pins or quilt basting spray. If using safety pins, pin in rows no more than 6" apart.





#### **QUILT AND FINISH**

- Use your sewing machine's walking foot to quilt in the ditch or set the machine for free motion and use a free motion foot to quilt as desired.
- **10.** Join the binding strips with diagonal seams. Create a double-layer binding by folding, then pressing the strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together.
- 11. Bind the quilt outer edges by sewing the binding into one side and folding the binding over the raw edge and hand-sewing or machine sewing the other folded edge in place.