

FINISHED SIZE

- Throw size quilt 60" × 72"
- Wall or baby size quilt 44" × 39"

FABRIC

All fabrics are 45" wide unless otherwise noted.

For the throw size quilt

- ¼ yd of each of the following colors, or one fat ¼ yd (9" × 22") of each color or one charm pack of Kona[®] Cotton colors: Creamsicle, Goldfish, Torch, Nectarine, Carrot, Flame, Terra Cotta, Yarrow, Grelrow, Wasabi, Pickle, Cypress, Kiwi, Grasshopper, Ultramarine, Mediterranean, Malibu, Astral, Niagara, Jamaica, Sage, Titanium, Fog, Limestone
- 4½" yds Kona[®] Cotton color Sky for background
- ⅝ yd Kona[®] Cotton color Pickle for binding
- 3¼ yds fabric 45" wide for backing or 1½ yds if using fabric 108" wide

For the wall size or baby size quilt

- ¼ yd or one fat ¼ yd (9" × 22") of 20 of the following colors, or one charm pack: Creamsicle, Goldfish, Torch, Nectarine, Carrot, Flame, Terra Cotta, Yarrow, Grelrow, Wasabi, Pickle, Cypress, Kiwi, Grasshopper, Ultramarine, Mediterranean, Malibu, Astral, Niagara, Jamaica, Sage, Titanium, Fog, Limestone
- 3¼ yds Kona[®] Cotton color Sky for background
- ½ yd Kona[®] Cotton color Pickle for binding
- 1½ yds fabric 45" or 108" wide fabric for backing

OTHER SUPPLIES

- 62" × 74" batting for throw size quilt
- 45" × 40" batting for wall or baby size quilt
- Rotary cutter, rigid acrylic ruler, self-healing mat
- Machine sewing thread for piecing
- Quilting thread
- Bent-arm safety pins or quilt basting spray
- Walking foot for sewing machine



DIRECTIONS

Note: All seam allowances are ¼" unless otherwise noted.

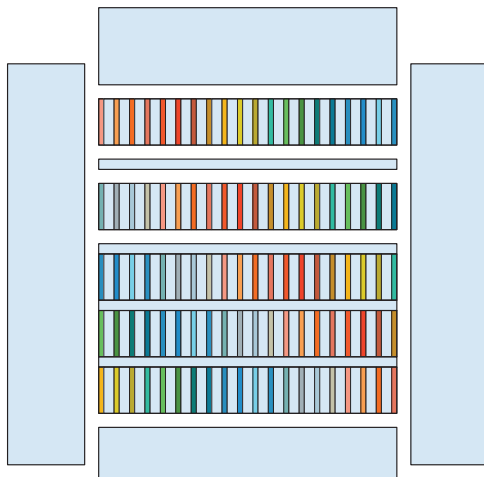
CUT THE FABRIC

For the throw size quilt:

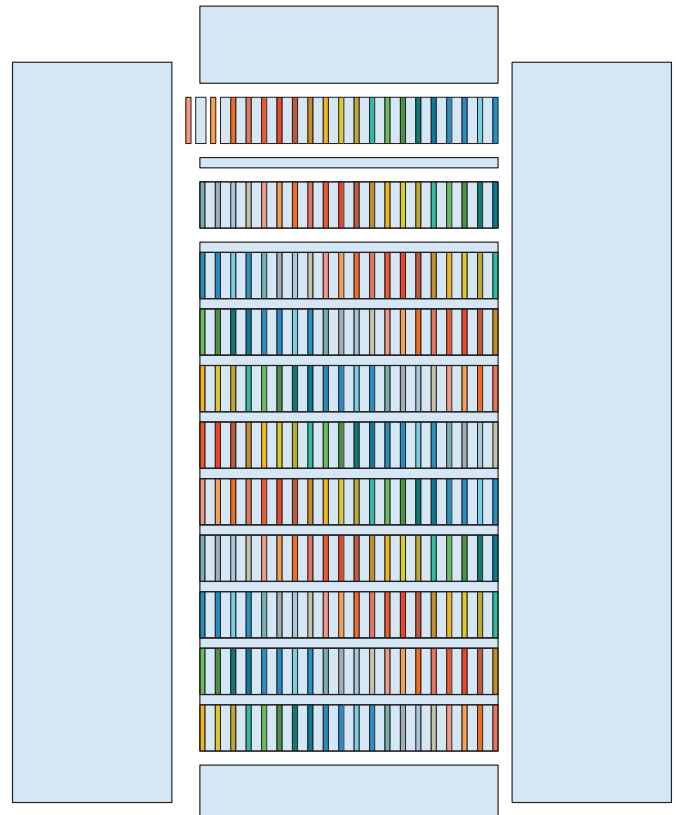
- Cut one 5" × 5" square from each of the colors listed until you have forty-four 5" × 5" squares. You have to cut more than one 5" square from some of the colors to get 44 squares.
- Cut two 5" × 5" squares from the binding fabric if you are using a charm pack for the throw size quilt. You will need those two pieces to have a total of 44 squares.
- Organize your colored squares in the order you want them to appear in the quilt. To recreate the layout shown, follow the order that the colors are listed above.
- Then cut each 5" square into five 1" × 5" strips.

From the background fabric:

- Cut twenty-seven strips 1½" from selvedge to selvedge.
- From those strips, cut 209 rectangles 1½" × 5".
- Cut ten 1½" strips from selvedge to selvedge.
- Cut one 8" strip from selvedge to selvedge for the top border.
- Cut one 5½" strip from selvedge to selvedge for the bottom border.
- Cut two 16" × 72" strips for the side borders.



Wall/Baby Quilt Assembly Diagram



Throw Quilt Assembly Diagram

From the binding fabric:

- Seven 2½" strips selvedge to selvedge.

CUT THE FABRIC

For the wall or baby size quilt:

- One 5" × 5" square from each of 20 of the colors until you have a total of twenty 5" squares.
- Organize your colored squares in the order you want them to appear in the quilt. To recreate the layout here, follow the order that the colors are listed above.
- Then, cut each 5" square into five 1" × 5" strips.

From the background fabric:

- Cut twelve 1½" strips selvedge to selvedge.
- From those twelve strips, cut ninety-five rectangles 1½" × 5".
- Cut four 1½" strips, selvedge to selvedge for the sashing.
- Cut one 8" strip selvedge to selvedge for the top border.
- Cut one 5½" strips, selvedge to selvedge for top border.
- Cut two 8" × 40" strips for the side borders.

PIECE THE UNITS

Refer to the Assembly Diagrams for quilt layouts.

1. Pair one colored 1" × 5" strip with one 1½" × 5" strip of background fabric. With right sides together, sew the pieces together along one 5" edge.
2. Open and press seam toward the colored strip.
3. Pair another colored strip right sides together with the pieced background fabric strip and sew along the 5" edge. Continue sewing strips together, alternating colored strips with background strips until you have one row with 20 colored strips and 19 background fabric strips. Each row begins and ends with a colored strip.

For the throw size quilt, create eleven rows. For the wall or baby size quilt, create five rows.

4. Press all seam allowances toward the colored strips.

ASSEMBLE THE QUILT

5. Place one strip of sashing along the bottom edge of the first pieced row. With right sides together, stitch the sashing strip to the bottom edge of the first pieced row. Trim off the excess sashing.
6. Sew the next pieced row onto the bottom edge of the sashing.
7. Continue adding sashing to the bottom of each pieced row. Do not put sashing on the lower edge of the last pieced row.
8. Sew the top border to the top edge of the first pieced row. Sew the bottom border to lower edge of the last pieced row.
9. Sew the side borders along the entire length of each side of the quilt.

PREPARE FOR QUILTING

10. If piecing the backing, sew the two backing pieces together along the long edge to make a finished piece the same size as the finished quilt top. Remove the selvages. Pin the two pieces together along the long side and stitch. Press the seam open. Trim to correct size. If using 108" wide fabric there is no need to piece the backing.

11. With the backing wrong side up, center the batting on top of 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

12. 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.
13. Trim all layers evenly.
14. Join the binding strips together at the short ends using diagonal seams. Create a double-layer binding by folding and pressing the strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together. Open the pressed strip and fold each raw edge into the center of the strip until the raw edge meets the pressed fold. Press. Fold in half and press.
15. Bind the quilt using your favorite technique.

All done! Congrats! Enjoy your new quilt!