Piece of Cake Table Runner

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Featuring Confections





Back

Finished Table Runner measures 13" x 37-1/2"

Pattern Level: Confident Beginner

"I have basic block construction down and would like to learn a new trick!"



Fabric and Supplies Needed

Color	Fabric	Name/\$KU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	AAK-14696-287 SWEE	1/4 yard		D	Kona Sprout K001-254	1/4 yard
	В	Kona Carnation K001-141	1/4 yard		E	Kona Bright Pink K001-1049	1 yard
	С	Kona Cyan K001-151	1/4 Yard		F	Kona Corn Yellow K001-1089	1/4 yard

You will also need: 1/2 yard of Muslin, 1/4 yard of Binding fabric, and 1/2 yard of Batting.

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Notes Before You Begin

- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press all seam allowances open after each seam is sewn, unless otherwise noted.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!
- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.

Cutting Instructions

Fabric A

- Cut three squares 8-1/2" x 8-1/2" (For Front)
- Cut two rectangles 7-1/2" x 8-1/4" (For Back)

Fabrics B, C, D & F (from each fabric)

- Cut four strips 1" to 2-1/2" x WOF (Strips B, C, D, F- For String Block)

Fabric E

- Cut four strips 1" to 2-1/2" x WOF (Strips E- For String Block)
- Cut two rectangles 7-1/2" x 8-1/2" (For Back)
- Cut two strips 6" x WOF (For Back)

Muslin

- Cut three squares 13" x 13" (For String Block)

Assembly Instructions

Step 1: Make the String Blocks (SB)

Begin each string block by placing one
Strip B, C, D, E, or F right side down and diagonal on a muslin square.



- Place second strip on top of the first, right sides together, and sew a 1/4" seam allowance. Flip strip and press flat.



 Continue to build the block by sewing on strips until the muslin square is completely covered.



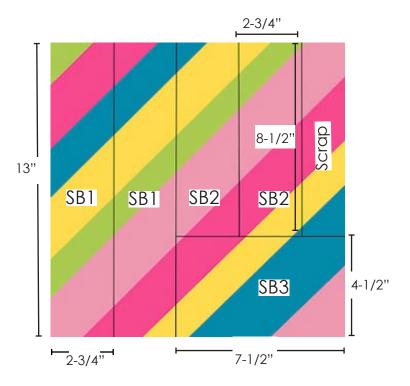
- Flip your block over so the muslin is facing up, and trim down to the size of the muslin (13"x13").



- Make three blocks.

Step 2: Cut String Block Units

- Turn the string block right side up and cut according to the following diagram.



SB1 (Cut two): 2-3/4" x 13" (For Front) **SB2** (Cut two): 2-3/4" x 8-1/2" (For Front) **SB3** (Cut one): 4-1/2" x 7-1/2" (For Back)

- Repeat for the remaining two string blocks.

You may place all of your string blocks in the same orientation for cutting, so that the diagonal is all in the same direction, or you may turn them, like the table runner in the photograph.

Step 3: Make Block A

- Sew two **SB2** pieces to the top and bottom of a 8-1/2" x 8-1/2" **Fabric A** square.
- Sew two **SB1** pieces to the left and right side of the **Fabric A** square.



- Make three blocks.

Step 4: Assemble Front

- Sew three **Block A**'s together, following the block orientation in the diagram.



Block A1



Block A2



Block A3

Step 5: Assemble Back

- Sew together the pieces along the 7-1/2" side in the following order: **Fabric E** (7-1/2" x 8-1/2"), **SB3**, **Fabric A** (7-1/2" x 8-1/4"), **SB3**, **Fabric E**.



- Sew 6" x WOF **Fabric E** strips to the left and right side of the pieced blocks.



The back will be a few inches larger than the front, so they can be more easily lined up to baste together.

- Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!