

# Simply Sparkly

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Featuring  
Pointillist  
Palette  
by **Lynn**  
STUDIOS



**Half Roll  
Friendly!**

Finished quilt measures: 70" x 70"

**Pattern Level: Experienced Intermediate**

*"I know the ropes and would like to test my skills!"*

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## Fabric and Supplies Needed

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	HR-119-20 Primary	2 Half Rolls		C	HR-121-20 Sorbet	2 Half Rolls
	B	HR-120-20 Earth	2 Half Rolls	You will also need: 1/2 yard Binding 4 yards Backing Fabric and Batting			

### Notes Before You Begin

- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- 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!

### Cutting Instructions

#### Step 1: Sew Strip Sets

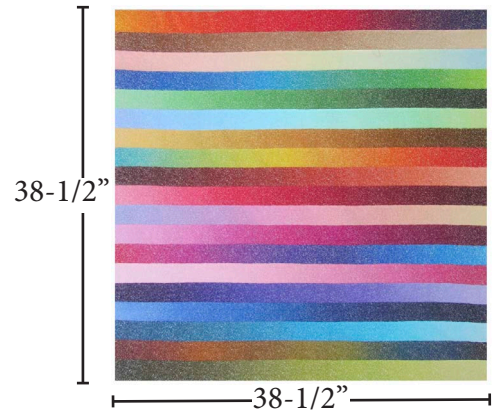
- Sew four sets of strips together (nineteen strips each) in the order listed below. Note the directional placement of the color values for the strips in the diagram below.  
(You may also choose your own order, but make all the sets match).



*TIP: Sew the strips together in alternating directions (looking at the diagram, you would sew the first two strips from the left side to the right, then the next two strips from the right side to the left and so on.) Continue alternating the direction you sew and your work should end up straight and rectangular. When you sew them all in the same direction often there will be a diagonal tilt to the finished strip set.*



- Alternate pressing the seam allowances to the left and to the right.
- Measure the full height of the strip set after you have sewn and pressed it. If your seam allowances are absolutely perfect, it should measure 38-1/2" inches. If they are not, use your measurement in the next step.
- Trim equally at both ends so your width of your strip set is now 38-1/2" inches or the measurement you came up with when you measured YOUR strip set (If the height of your strip set is 38", then cut the width to match).
- Repeat for the other three strip sets, trimming all sets to the same measurements.



## Step 2: Cut Strip Sets

- Cut each strip set into four triangles following the diagram.

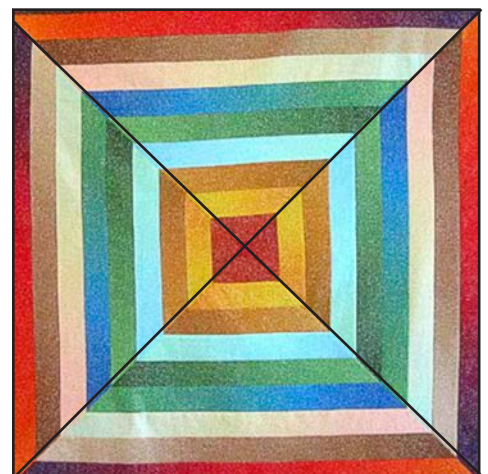
*TIP: It will be easier to do the cutting if you first find the center of the strip set by folding it both horizontally and vertically and marking the center. Then you can cut from each corner to the center.*

- Cut ONE strip set at a time.
- Place all the A's in one stack, B's in one stack, C's in one stack and D's in one stack. Label each stack with a piece of paper. This will make it easier to choose the correct piece when joining them.

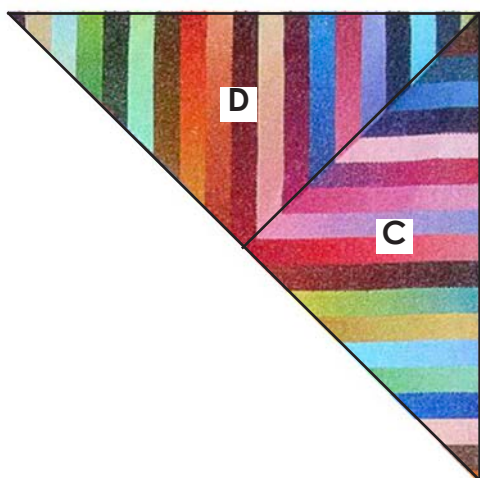
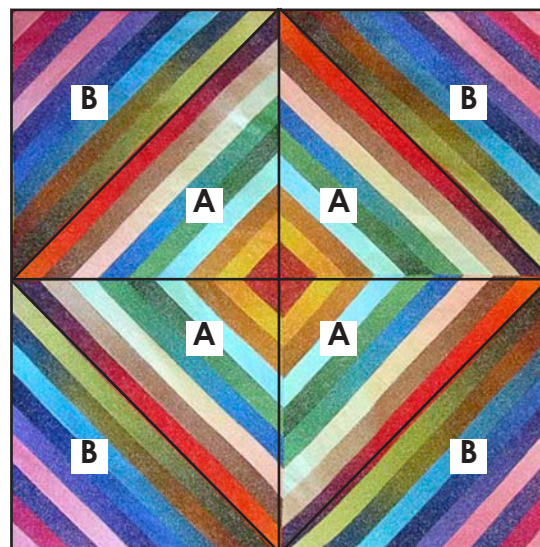


## Step 3: Assemble the Quilt

- Sew the four A pieces together to form a square.
- Sew pieces with seams pressed in opposite directions to each other so seams will nest together and match. Pin as much as necessary depending on your skills and your sewing machine.
- Press seams to one side. You should press them all to the left so they spiral around the center.



- Sew a B triangle to each of the edges of the A square you just made.
- Press the seams open.



- Sew a C and a D triangle together following the diagram for color placement. Choose pieces that have seams pressed in opposite directions to make matching easier.
- Press seams to one side. Press them to the right and the seams will nest when they are sewn to the AB unit.

- Sew a CD unit to each side of the AB unit. Match the center seams, but the strip set seams will NOT match along the seam lines.
- Press seams to one side, away from the AB unit.
- Your top is now complete and ready to be quilted as you desire.
- Bind it with the fabric of your choice and don't forget to add a label which will let people know that you made this gorgeous quilt!

