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THREAD STASH
SIZE: $73^{\prime \prime W}$ x 78"H • LEVEL: BEGINNER • PATTERN BY: NATALIE CRABTREE • VINTAGE SEWING STASH FABRIC COLLECTION PATTERN AVAILABLE ON: WWW.MICHAELMILLERFABRICS.COM


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FABRIC A
Cotton Couture
SC_5333 Aulait 4 yards


FABRIC E
DDC11024
Antique Scissors Teal 1/4 yard


FABRIC I
DDC11024
Antique Scissors Black 1/4 yard


FABRIC M
DC11026
Retro Polka Dots Teal 3/8 yard


FABRIC B
DDC11015
Sewing Collage Multi 1/4 yard


FABRIC F
DC11020
Grossgrain Stripe Black 3/8 yard


FABRIC J
DC11026
Retro Polka Dots Red 3/8 yard


FABRIC N
DC11026
Retro Polka Dots Pink 3/8 yard


FABRIC C
DDC11016
Push My Buttons Cream
1/4 yard


FABRIC G
DDC11017
Vintage Thimbles Black 3/8 yard


FABRIC K
DC11026
Retro Polka Dots Orange 3/8 yard


FABRIC O
DDC11019
Sewing Kit Stripe Multi
2 1/4 yards


FABRIC D
DDC11021
Fashion Images Cream
1/4 yard


FABRIC H
DDC11023
Stick Pins Black
7/8 yard (includes binding)


FABRIC L
DC11026
Retro Polka Dots Yellow 3/8 yard

BACKING
5 yards
BATTING
$81 " \times 96$

Designer Note: Divide cut pieces by assembly section or block type.

| KEY | CUTTING INTRUCTIONS |
| :---: | :---: |
| A | - Cut (9) $2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (34) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Star Blocks. <br> - Cut (13) $3^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut the following for Star Blocks: (68) $3^{\prime \prime} \times 4^{1 ⁄ 2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles. <br> - (68) $3^{\prime \prime}$ squares. <br> - Cut (18) $1 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut the following for Quilt Assembly: <br> - (30) $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 12 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ " sashing rectangles. <br> - (28) $1 \frac{1}{1 / 2 "} \times 91^{1 / 2}$ " sashing rectangles. <br> - (24) $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ " squares. <br> - Cut (13) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut the following for Spool Blocks: <br> - (36) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles. <br> - (72) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ squares. <br> - Cut (4) $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Piece (2) strips for length using a diagonal seam. Repeat to create (2) long strips. Trim both long strips to measure $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 69 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ for Top/Bottom Inner Borders. <br> - Cut (4) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Piece (2) strips for length using a diagonal seam. Repeat to create (2) long strips. Trim both long strips to measure $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 66 \frac{1}{1^{\prime \prime}}$ for Side Inner Borders. |
| B | - Cut (1) 5" $\times$ WOF strip. Subcut (5) 5" $\times 8^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| C | - Cut (1) 5" $\times$ WOF strip. Subcut (5) 5" $\times 8^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| D | - Cut (1) 5" $\times$ WOF strip. Subcut (4) 5" $\times 8^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| E | - Cut (1) 5" $\times$ WOF strip. Subcut (4) 5" $\times 8^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| F | - Cut (3) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (10) $23 / 4{ }^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| G | - Cut (3) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (10) $23 / 4$ " $91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| H | - Cut (8) $21 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips for binding. <br> - Cut (2) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (8) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| I | - Cut (2) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (8) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles for Spool Blocks. |
| J | - Cut (1) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut (3) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. <br> - Cut (2) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (24) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. |
| K | - Cut (1) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut (4) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. <br> - Cut (2) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (32) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. |
| L | - Cut (1) $4 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut (4) $4 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. <br> - Cut (2) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (32) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. |
| M | - Cut (1) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut (3) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. <br> - Cut (2) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (24) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. |
| N | - Cut (1) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Subcut (3) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. <br> - Cut (2) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Subcut (24) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares for Star Blocks. |
| 0 | - Cut (2) $6 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ LOF strips, centering the thimbles, spools and fashion models within each strip. Trim each strip to measure $6 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 731 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ for Top/Bottom Outer Borders. |

## Star Block Assembly:

1. Create (1) Star Block using Fabrics A and J. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (8) $21 / 2$ " Fabric J squares.
2. Place (1) $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric J square onto the bottom right corner of (4) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric A rectangles, RST and edges aligned. Reference the orientation of the Fabric A rectangle using the diagrams.
3. Sew along the drawn diagonal line on the wrong side of each Fabric J square. Then, trim excess corner fabric to a $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$. Press toward the corners.
4. Repeat SNF techniques to attach an additional $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric J square to the bottom left corner of each Fabric A rectangle to complete (4) SNF units. SNF units should measure $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3$ " unfinished.

5. Arrange the SNF units created in Steps $1-4$ with assorted squares and rectangles from Fabrics A and J to form (1) Star Block. Reference the diagrams for fabric placement and measurements.
6. Sew the Star Block together, pressing seams away from the SNF units. Once complete, the Star Block should measure $91 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.

7. Repeat Star Block assembly to create (3) Fabric J blocks, (4) Fabric K blocks, (4) Fabric L blocks, (3) Fabric $M$ block and (3) Fabric $N$ blocks. There should be (17) Star Blocks total.

Fabric J


Create (3)

Fabric K


Create (4)

Fabric L


Create (4)

Fabric M


Create (3)

Fabric $N$


Create (3)

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## Spool Block Assembly:

8. Create (1) Spool Block using Fabrics A, B and G. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (4) $23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric A squares.
9. Repeat SNF techniques to attach (1) $23 / 4$ " Fabric A square to both bottom corners of (2) $91 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ $23 / 4$ " Fabric $G$ rectangles. Reference the orientation of the Fabric $G$ rectangle using the diagrams. SNF units should measure $91 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.

10. Arrange the SNF units created in Steps $8-9$ with (1) 5 " $\times 8$ " Fabric B rectangle and (2) $23 / 4$ " $\times 8$ " Fabric A rectangles to form (1) Spool Block. Reference the diagrams for fabric placement and measurements.
11. Sew the Spool Block together, pressing seams toward the Fabric B rectangle. Once complete, the Spool Block should measure $91 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.

12. Repeat Spool Block assembly to create (5) Fabric B/G blocks, (5) Fabric C/F blocks, (4) Fabric D/I blocks and (4) Fabric E/H blocks. There should be (18) Spool Blocks total.


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## Quilt Assembly:

13. Arrange Star and Spool Blocks in a $7 \times 5$ grid, placing (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric A sashing rectangle vertically in between each block. Alternate between block types. Either place block colorways as shown in the diagram below and in the cover image, or place randomly.
14. Arrange sashing rows in between each block row. Each sashing row should contain (7) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 91 / 2$ " Fabric A sashing rectangles and (6) $1 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric A cornerstone squares.
15. Sew block rows together, pressing seams toward the Fabric A sashing rectangles.
16. Sew sashing rows together, pressing seams toward the Fabric A sashing rectangles.
17. Sew block and sashing rows together, using pins to align and nestle seams. The quilt top should measure $691 / 2$ " $\times 641 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.

18. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 69 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric A Top/Bottom Inner Border strip to the top and bottom of the quilt top. Press outward after attaching each border strip. Sew (1) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 66 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric A Side Inner Border strip to either side of the quilt top. The quilt top should measure $731 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 66 \frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished at this step.
19. Sew (1) $6 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 731 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric O Top/Bottom Outer Border strip to the top and bottom of the quilt top. Reference the cover image for the orientation of each Outer Border strip. Once complete, the quilt top should measure $731 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 781 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ unfinished.


Finishing the Quilt:
20. Sandwich the quilt top with batting and backing. Baste quilt layers together using your preferred method.
21. Quilt as desired.
22. Bind quilt using (8) $2 \frac{1}{4}$ " $\times$ WOF Fabric $H$ strips.

