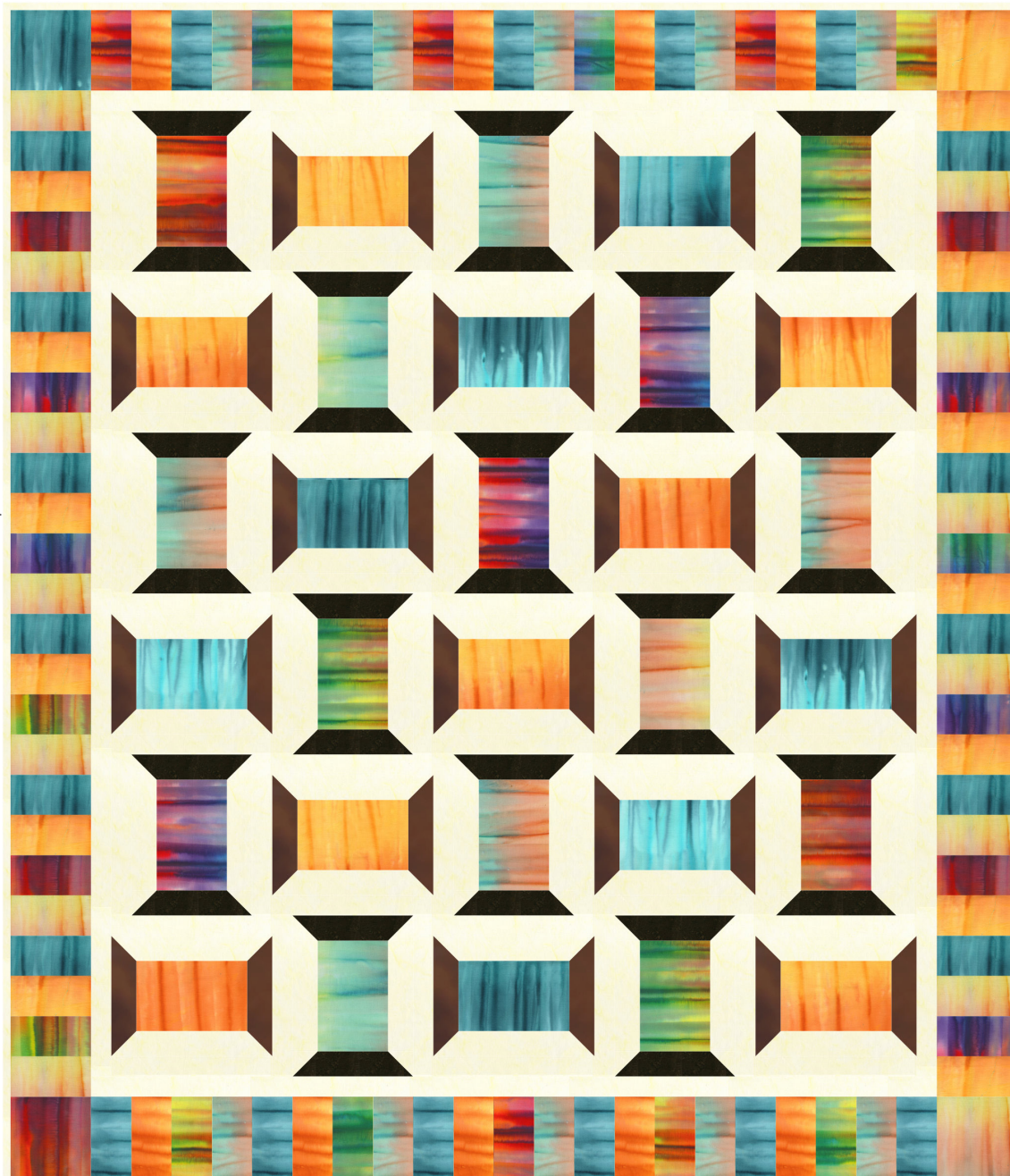


Spinning Spools

designed by Christine Stainbrook

featuring "Rainfall 2022" fabric collection by Anthology Fabrics

SIZE: 50" x 58"



FREE BATIK
PROJECT

THIS IS A DIGITAL REPRESENTATION OF THE QUILT TOP, FABRIC MAY VARY.

PLEASE NOTE: BEFORE MAKING YOUR PROJECT, CHECK FOR ANY PATTERN UPDATES AT WINDHAMFABRICS.COM'S FREE PROJECTS SECTION.



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1/4" Seam Allowance Check

Even if you use a 1/4" foot, your seam allowance may not be accurate!

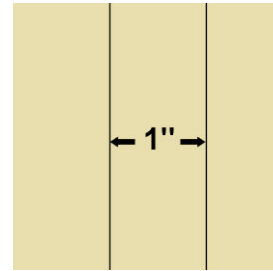
To check if your seam is accurate, cut three 1 1/2" x 3" pieces from scrap fabric.

Sew the pieces together along the 3" side, using what you believe is a 1/4" seam.

Press away from the center piece.

Measure.

The center piece should be exactly 1" wide.



If, when you measure, the center is less than 1", your seam allowance is too large.



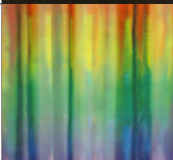



If it's more than 1", your seam allowance is too small.

Refer to your machine owner's manual for instructions on changing your needle position.

Repeat the test until your center strip measures exactly 1".

PLEASE READ THROUGH ENTIRE PATTERN BEFORE BEGINNING

Fabric swatches are not to scale, they are for fabric identification only.

KEY	FABRIC	SKU	YD	CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS
A		100Q-1414 milk	2 1/2	(3) 8 1/2" x WOF (width of fabric) Subcut: (60) 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" (3) 6" x WOF. Subcut: (60) 1 3/4" x 6" (5) 1 3/4" x WOF. Subcut: (120) 1 3/4" squares (5) 1 1/2" x WOF (6) 2 1/2" x WOF for binding
B		100Q-1651 soil	1/2	(2) 6 1/2" x WOF. Subcut: (30) 1 3/4" x 6 1/2"
C		861Q-1 rainbow	3/4	(2) 4" x WOF. Subcut: (8) 4" x 6" (3) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut: (23) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" (1) 4 1/2" square
D		100Q-1721 football	1/2	(2) 6 1/2" x WOF. Subcut: (30) 1 3/4" x 6 1/2"
E		861Q-2 sunset	3/4	(2) 4" x WOF. Subcut: (8) 4" x 6" (3) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut: (23) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" (1) 4 1/2" square
F		861Q-11 sorbet	5/8	(1) 4" x WOF. Subcut: (7) 4" x 6" (3) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut: (23) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" (1) 4 1/2" square



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G		861Q-15 glacier	5/8	(1) 4" x WOF. Subcut: (7) 4" x 6" (3) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut: (23) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" (1) 4 1/2" square
		Backing	3 1/2	Batting: 58" x 66"

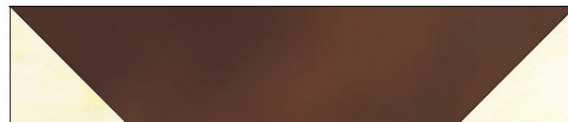
Spool Top A:

Draw a diagonal line down the center on the wrong side of two fabric A 1 3/4" squares. Align one square to each end of one fabric B 1 3/4" x 6 1/2" rectangle. Stitch on the drawn line. Cut away excess, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press fabric A triangle outward. Trim to 1 3/4" x 6 1/2". Make 30 units. Label as spool top A.



Spool Top B:

Draw a diagonal line down the center on the wrong side of two fabric A 1 3/4" squares. Align one square to each end of one fabric D 1 3/4" x 6 1/2" rectangle. Stitch on the drawn line. Cut away excess, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press fabric A triangle outward. Trim to 1 3/4" x 6 1/2". Make 30 units. Label as spool top B.

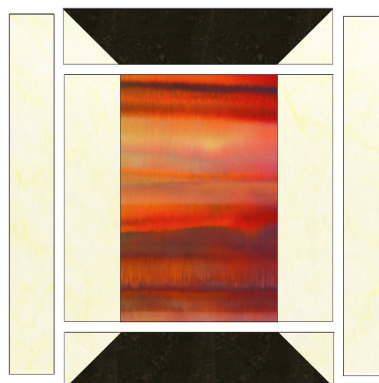


Blocks:

Make 30 total

Sew one fabric A 1 3/4" x 6" rectangle to each long side of one colored fabric 4" x 6" rectangle. Press toward center.

Add one spool top to the top and bottom of the block as shown. Stitch one fabric A 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangle to each side of the block. Square block to 8 1/2". (block shown is spool top A with fabric C)





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Make the quantity listed below:

Block A: fabric C "thread" with spool top A

Block B: fabric E "thread" with spool top B

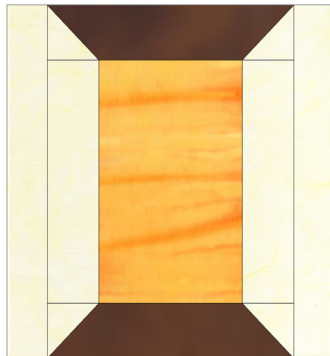
Block C: fabric F "thread" with spool top A

Block D: fabric G "thread" with spool top B

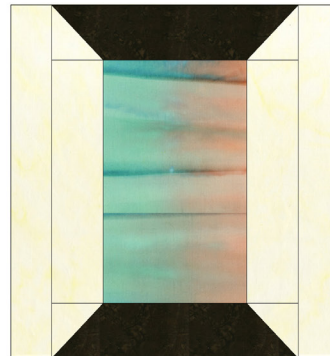
Block A
Make 8



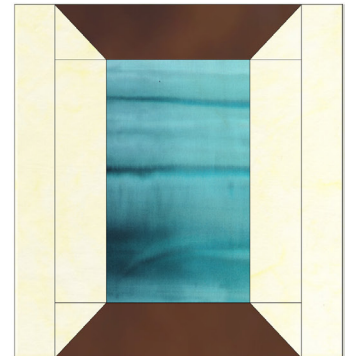
Block B
Make 8



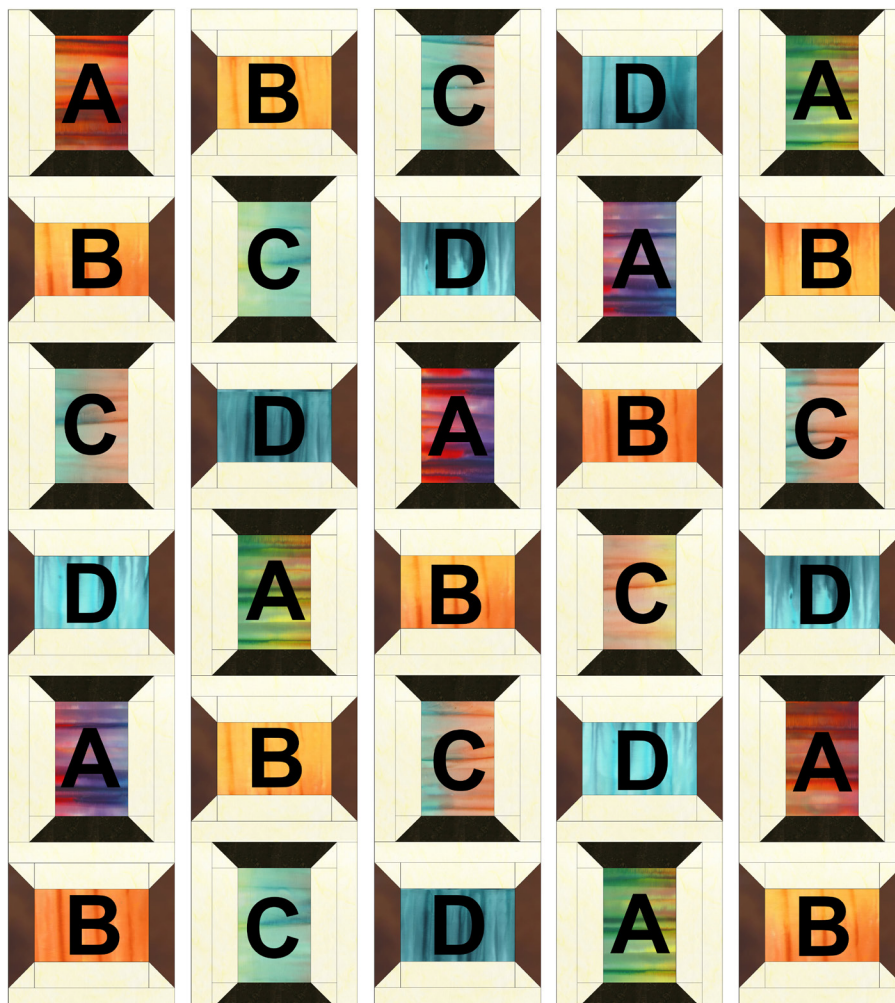
Block C
Make 7



Block D
Make 7



Use the diagram below to sew the blocks together completing the quilt center. Pay attention to the placement and rotation of the blocks.





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Border #1:

Stitch five fabric A 1½" x WOF strips together, end-to-end.
 From this long strip, cut two strips 1½" x 48½" and add to the sides of the quilt.
 Then cut two strips 1½" x 42½" and add to the top and bottom of the quilt.

Border #2:

Use the diagram below to create the pieced border. Add the side pieces first, then add the top and bottom. Letters indicate fabric designation.



Finishing:

Layer, baste and quilt as desired
 Bind with six fabric A 2½" x WOF strips.