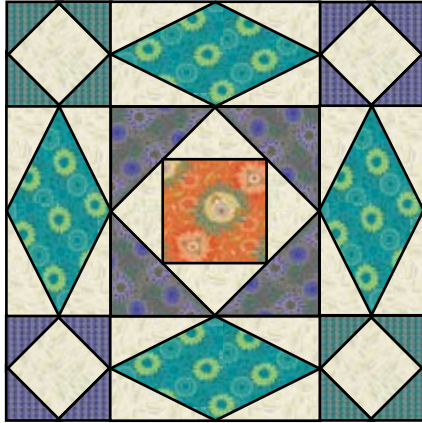


Fabric Stash Blocks

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PLEASE NOTE: This fabric stash block first appeared in the Aug/Sept 2009 issue of QUILT Magazine. Many fabrics have a shelf life of about 6 months to 1 year. These exact fabrics may not still be available for purchase. Take heart! Your favorite quilt shop can help you select suitable substitutes in colors and patterns that will work just as well to make this block.



12" Storm at Sea

Color Splash is a graphic collection of lively prints from Art Gallery Fabrics. Bold turquoise and purple with a squeeze of lime and citrus, are perfect in this Storm at Sea block displaying a rainbow of color, www.artgalleryfabrics.com

Fabrics: CS-4507 (Smokey Bubbles); CS-4502 (Teal Daisy Fusion); CS-4500 (Orange Floret); CS-3507 (Blue Iris Bubbles); CS-3502 (Chocolate Daisy Fusion); CS-3505 (Creamy Stem Echoes)



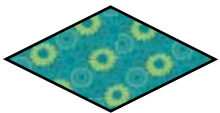
A - Cut (4) 2-5/8" squares



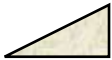
B - Cut (4) 2-3/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally once to make (8) triangles



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C - Cut (4) of Template A



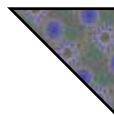
D - Cut (16) of Template B



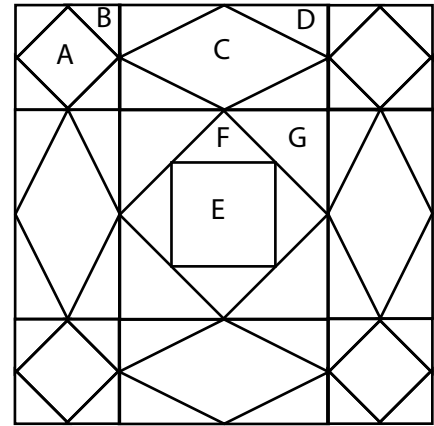
E - Cut (1) 3-1/2" square



F - Cut (2) 3" squares, then cut in half diagonally once to make (4) triangles



G - Cut (2) 3-7/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally once to make (4) triangles



ASSEMBLING THE BLOCK:

Refer to block picture above; sew (2) B triangles to opposite sides of an A square. Sew (2) more B triangles to the two remaining sides of the A square. (Make 2 Square-in-a-Square units of each color.)

In the same manner, sew the F triangles to the E square to make the center unit. Sew the G triangles to the sides of the center unit to make the center block.

In the same manner, sew the D triangles to the C diamond. (Make 4 side rectangles.)

Lay out the block in (3) rows of (3) units each. Sew the units together in each row. Join the rows to make a 12-1/2" unfinished Storm at Sea block.

