## Mod Burst Quilt

A simple burst of fun! Create a stunning throw quilt top in no time at all, using basic squares and half square triangles. Features fabric from Birch's Just For Fun \& Birch Basics collections. Finished quilt measures $54.5^{\prime \prime} \times 54.5^{\prime \prime}$

## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

We used 16 fat quarters from each of the below prints and solids, where row $\mathbf{A}$ is paired with fabric in row $\mathbf{B}$ to make up the blocks. For the sashing, we used 3/4 yards of Solid Cream, and for the binding 1/2 yard of Yarn Stripe.


## CUTTING

You will need 4 half square triangles (HST) measuring $6.5^{\prime \prime}$ in each fabric pair from the graph above.

From each fat quarter, cut one 10.5 " square, and two 6.5 " squares. Use 10.5 " squares to make your half square triangles.

From your Solid Cream, cut (8) 2.5 " $\times$ width of fabric (WOF) strips. Cross cut (2) strips down to $25.5^{\prime \prime}$. Sew the remaining strips together to create one long strip, then cut down to the following lengths:
( $\times 3$ ) 51.5 " and (x2) 55.5". These sashing measure one inch larger than what is listed in the illustration on the next page so that you can trim down to size with each added piece of sashing .

## HALF SQUARE TRIANGLES

Place fabric from column $\mathbf{A}$ right side up, place paired fabric from colum $\mathbf{B}$ on the top, right sides facing. Pin in place and sew all the way around.

Cut across on the diagonal. Open each HST and press. Trim to 6.5".

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## SEWING BLOCKS

Arrange your HST and 6.5" squares to make blocks as shown, then use the image below to arrange your blocks into 4 quads. Use your cream strips to finish your quilt top, starting with
 25.5" pieces, and finishing with the largest lengths across the top and bottom, all though this quilt tends to be pretty non-directional! The lengths listed in the image below represent the size after trimming. Quilt and bind as desired.


We created a half size version, great for a play mat, stroller quilt, or wall hanging. Using 16 prints and solids from There Was A Fox by Emily Isabella, plus Black Sold Lawn for the sashing, and Fox Forest Tea Canvas for the backing and binding. Finished quilt measures 27 " square.

Assemble quilt per pattern instructions, using the fabric requirements and cutting direction on page 4.


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One fat eighth of each of the following:


Prepare the HST 4 at a time as per the instructions on page 1, but you will begin with a 6 " square. Trim HST to $3.5^{\prime \prime}$. All full squares to complete your block will also be 3.5". Your unfinished block will measure 6.5".

Cut your black sashing pieces at 1.5 " strips. Assemble quilt as detailed on page 2.



