

Confetti Quilt

Featuring True Colors by Tula Pink

Casual combinations create this sparkling star and pieced border. When putting the blocks together, arrange the half-square triangle units with seams going in random directions to add to the sense of arbitrary artistry.

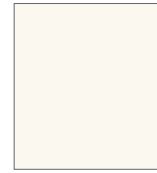
Collection:	True Colors by Tula Pink
Technique:	Piecing
Skill Level:	Beginner
Crafting Time:	Weekend*
Finished Size:	Finished Size: 72" x 72" (182.88cm x 182.88cm)

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Fabric Requirements

DESIGN	COLOR	ARTICLE CODE	YARDAGE
(A) Designer Solid	Mist	CSFSESS.MISTX	2 yards (182.88cm)
(B) Tent Stripe	Lupine	PWTP069.LUPIN	2/3 yard (60.96cm)
(C) Poms and Stripes	5" (12.7cm) Charm Pack	FB6CPTP.POMST	3 Charm Packs
(D) Tula Pink Designer Solids	5" (12.7cm) Charm Pack	FB6CPTP.SOLID	2 Charm Packs



(A)



(B)



5" Charm Pack



5" Charm Pack

(C)

(D)

Backing (Purchased Separately)

44" (111.76cm)

Squirrel Begonia PWTP028.BEGON 4½ yards (4.11m)

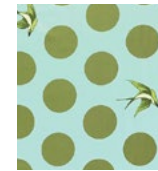
OR

108" (274.32cm)

Free Fall Sky QBTP001.2SKYX 2¼ yards (2.06m)



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(111.76cm)



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108"
(274.32cm)

Cutting

WOF = Width of Fabric, HST = Half-Square Triangle

Fabric A, cut:

(2) $16\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF (41.91cm x WOF) strips;
sub-cut (4) $16\frac{1}{2}$ " x $16\frac{1}{2}$ " (41.91cm x 41.91cm) squares

(2) $16\frac{7}{8}$ " x WOF (42.86cm x WOF) strips;
sub-cut (4) $16\frac{7}{8}$ " x $16\frac{7}{8}$ " (42.86cm x 42.86cm) squares,
and cut once diagonally to make (8) $16\frac{7}{8}$ " (42.86cm) HST

Fabric B, cut:

Enough $2\frac{1}{4}$ " (5.72cm) bias strips to make 300" (7.62m) finished binding

5" charm packs, cut:

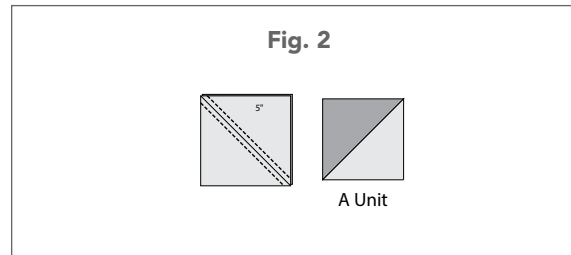
Combine all charm packs and select (196) 5" x 5" (12.7cm x 12.7cm) squares. **Note:** There will be (14) charm squares left over. Trim (68) of the 5" (12.7cm) squares to $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " (11.43cm x 11.43cm). Trim (16) of the 5" (12.7cm) squares to $4\frac{7}{8}$ " x $4\frac{7}{8}$ " (12.38cm x 12.38cm), and cut once diagonally to make (32) $4\frac{7}{8}$ " (12.38cm) HST (Fig.1)

Sewing

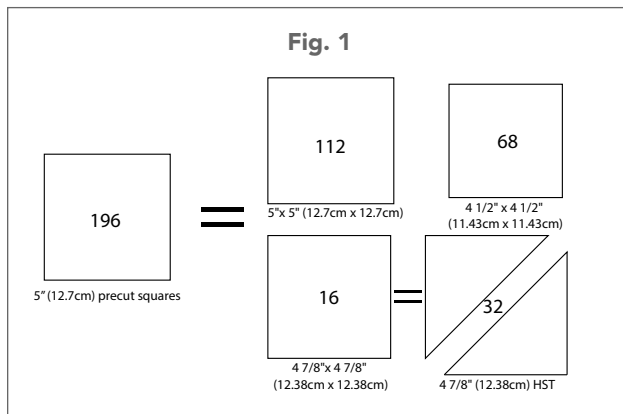
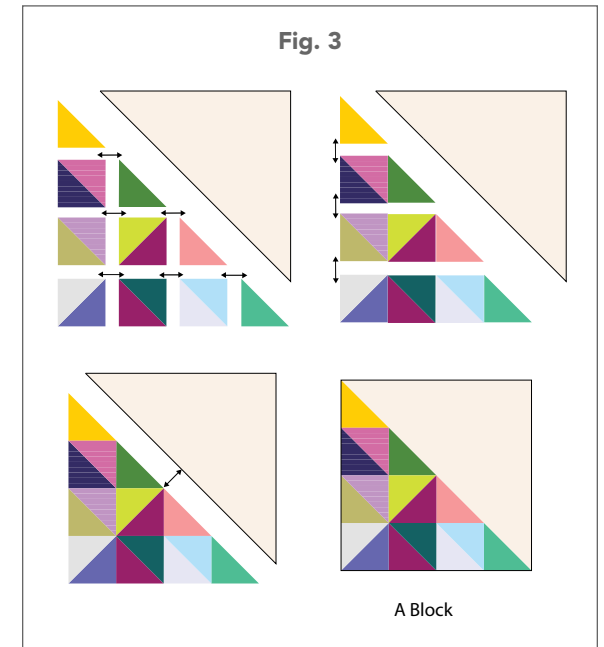
Note: All seam allowances are $\frac{1}{4}$ " (.64cm) and pieces are sewn right sides together. Press seams open.

Blocks

1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong sides of (56) 5" (12.7cm) squares. Place a marked square on a contrasting unmarked 5" (12.7cm) square, right sides together. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " (.64cm) from both sides of the line. Cut apart on the line, press, and trim to $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " (11.43cm x 11.43cm) to make A Unit (Fig. 2). Make 112 total.



2. Sew together (6) A Units, (4) $4\frac{7}{8}$ " (12.38cm) HST, and (1) Fabric A $16\frac{7}{8}$ " (42.86cm) HST as shown in Fig. 3 to make an A Block. Make (8) total. Trim and square to $16\frac{1}{2}$ " x $16\frac{1}{2}$ " (41.91cm x 41.91cm).



- Sew (16) A Units together as shown in **Fig. 4** to make a B Block. Make (4) total. Trim and square to $16\frac{1}{2}$ " x $16\frac{1}{2}$ " (41.91cm x 41.91cm).



Quilt Top Assembly

- Sew the **Fabric A** $16\frac{1}{2}$ " x $16\frac{1}{2}$ " (41.91cm x 41.91cm) squares, A Blocks, and B Blocks together into (4) rows. Sew the rows together. (**Quilt Layout** diagram)
- Sew (16) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " (11.43cm) squares together into a side border strip. Make (2). Sew to sides of quilt center.
- Sew (18) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " (11.43cm) squares together into a top/bottom border strip. Make (2). Sew to top and bottom of quilt.

Finishing

- Sew together the **Fabric B** bias binding strips end to end using diagonal seams. Press the seams open. Press the binding strip in half wrong sides together.
- Layer the backing (wrong side up), batting, and quilt top (right side up). Baste the layers together and quilt as desired. Trim excess batting and backing even with the quilt top after quilting is completed.
- Leaving an 8" (20.32cm) tail of binding, sew binding to top of quilt through all layers matching all raw edges. Miter corners. Stop approximately 12" (30.48cm) from where you started. Lay both loose ends of binding flat along quilt edge. Where these two loose ends meet, fold them back on themselves and press to form a crease. Using this crease as your stitching line, sew the two open ends of the binding right sides together. Trim seam to $\frac{1}{4}$ " (.64cm) and press open. Finish sewing binding to quilt.
- Turn the binding to the back of quilt and hand-stitch in place.

Quilt Layout

