April Showers

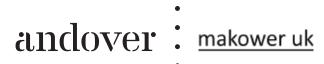
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Spring is Here Quilt designed by: Heidi Pridemore • Quilt Size: 36" x 47 1/2"

Pillow Size: 14" x 14" • Skill Level: Beginner • andoverfabrics.com







Quilt finished 36" x 47 ½" Pillow finished 14" x 14"

Quilt Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus ¼" seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric A	Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut
	the strip into (2) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " squares,
	(2) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, and
	(2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric B	Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut
	the strip into (1) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " square,
	(4) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, and
	(4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric C	Cut (1) 5 ½" square.
Fabric D	Cut (1) 5 ½" square.

Fabric E	Cut (2) 5 ½ x WOF strip. Sub-cut
	the strip into (2) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

Fabric F	Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut
	the strip into (2) $5\frac{1}{2}$ squares.

Fabric G	Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut
	the strip into (1) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " square,
	(4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, and
	(4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Cut (1) 5 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut
the strip into (2) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

(4) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips, and (4) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.

Fabric ICut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the
strip into (6) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the
strip into (6) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric R	equirements
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Quilt		Yardage	Fabric
Fabric A	blocks	⅓ yard	9502-B
Fabric B	blocks	⅓ yard	9502-C
Fabric C	blocks	⅓ yard	9502-E
Fabric D	blocks	⅓ yard	9503-E
Fabric E	blocks	⅓ yard	9503-L
Fabric F	blocks	⅓ yard	9504-B
Fabric G	blocks	⅓ yard	9505-G
Fabric H	blocks	⅓ yard	9505-Y
Fabric I	blocks	⅓ yard	9506-B
Fabric J	blocks	⅓ yard	9506-E
Fabric K	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Dawn
Fabric L	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Icing
Fabric M	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Cloud
Fabric N	blocks	1/8 yard	CS-10-Sunshine
Fabric O	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Pear
Fabric P	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Bluebell
Fabric Q	blocks	1 3/8 yards	CS-10-Cottonball
Fabric R	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Spring
Fabric S	blocks	⅓ yard	CS-10-Butter
Binding		½ yard	9503-B
Backing		2 ½ yards	9505-L
Pillow		Yardage	Fabric
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Fabric A	block	½ yard	9502-C

Fabric A block 1/4 yard 9502-C
Fabric B block ½ yard CS-10-Cottonball
Fabric C block 1/8 yard 9506-B
Fabric D block 1/8 yard CS-10-Icing
Backing 3/8 yard 9504-C

Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into
(4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
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Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric K Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric L Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips.

Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip

Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric H

Fabric J

Cutting Directions - Continued		Pillow Cutting Directions	
Fabric M	Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips.	Fabric A	Cut (1) 5 ½" square.
	Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.	Fabric B	Cut (1) 2 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 2 ½" x 14 ½" strips. Cut (1) 2 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip
Fabric N	Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips and (2) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.		into (2) 2 ½" x 10 ½" strips. Cut (1) 2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 2" x 8 ½" strips, and (2) 2" x 5 ½" strips.
Fabric O	Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips and (2) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.		Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
Fabric P	Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips. Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip	Fabric C	Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
	into (4) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.	Fabric D	Cut (1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and
Fabric Q	Cut (5) 2" x 36 ½" WOF strips. Cut (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips		(2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
	into (16) 2" x 10 ½" strips. Cut (6) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) 2" x 8 ½" strips. Cut (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips	Backing	Cut (1) 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
	into (24) 2" x 5 ½" strips.	Making	the Quilt
	Cut (3) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (48) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.	print directi	rrows in diagrams represent the fabric ion. Pay attention to the fabric and block
Fabric R	Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.	orientations while assembling the project. 1. Block Assembly Sew (1) 2" x 5 ½" Fabric Q strip to each side of (1) 5 ½" Fabric F square. Sew (1) 2" x 8 1/2" Fabric Q strip	
Fabric S	Cut (1) 1 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 1 ½" x 4 ½" strips and		op and to the bottom of the Fabric F square to) Unit 1 square (Diagram 1).
	(2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.		Unit 1
Binding	Cut (5) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips for the binding.		Q
Backing	Cut (2) 44" WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make (1) 44" x 56" backing.		Q F Q

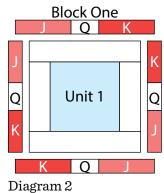
2. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric J strip to the top of (1) 1 ½" x 2 ½" Fabric Q strip. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric K strip to the bottom of the Fabric Q strip to make (1) side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew (1) side borders to each side of (1) Unit 1 square.

Diagram 1

3. Sew (1) 1½" x 4½" Fabric J strip to the left side of (1) 1½" x 2½" Fabric Q strip. Sew (1)

 $1\,{}^1\!/\!{}_2$ " x 4 ${}^1\!/\!{}_2$ " Fabric K strip to the right side of the

Fabric Q strip to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the top border and bottom border to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 1 square to make (1) Block One square (Diagram 2).



4. Repeat Steps 1-3 and follow Diagrams 3-13 for fabric identification and placement to make (1) of each block for Block Two through Block Twelve.

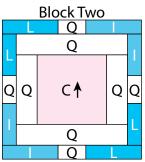
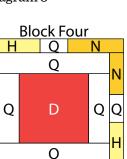


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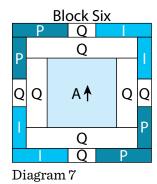
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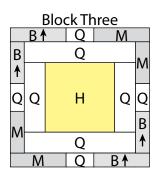


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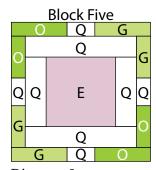


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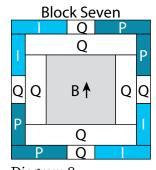


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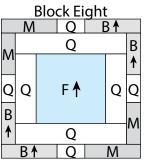


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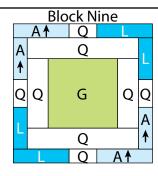


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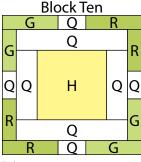


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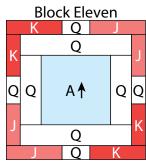


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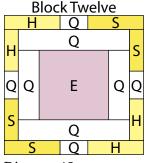


Diagram 13

Quilt Top Assembly

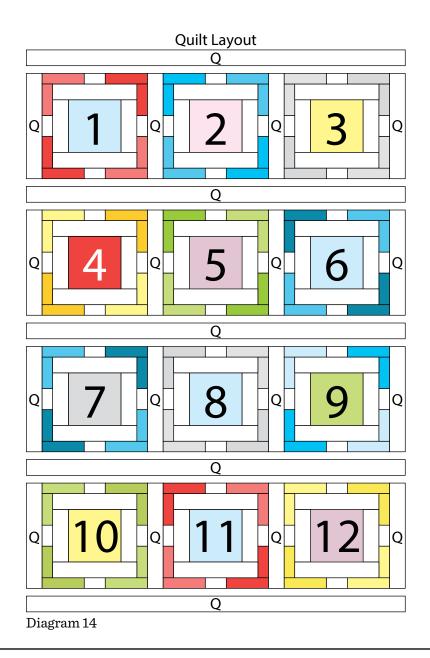
(Refer to the Quilt Layout when assembling the quilt top.)

- **5.** Sew together (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block One square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Two square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Three square and (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row One.
- 6. Sew together (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Four square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Five square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Six square and (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Two.

- 7. Sew together (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Seven square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Eight square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Nine square and (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Three.
- 8. Sew together (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Ten square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Eleven square, (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, the Block Twelve square and (1) 2" x 10 ½" Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Four.
- **9.** Sew together (5) 2" x 36 ½" Fabric Q strips and the (4) pieced Rows, alternating them, to make the quilt top.

Finishing the Quilt

- 10. Layer and quilt as desired.
- **11.** Sew the (5) binding strips together, end to end with a 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
- 12. Bind as desired.

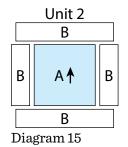


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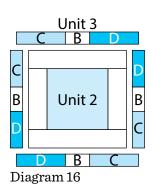
Note: The arrows in diagrams represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and block orientations while assembling the project.

13. Pillow Assembly

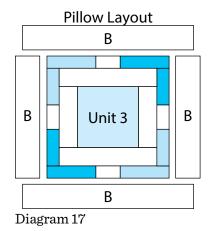
Sew (1) 2" x 5 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 5 ½" Fabric A square. Sew (1) 2" x 8 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 2 square (Diagram 15).



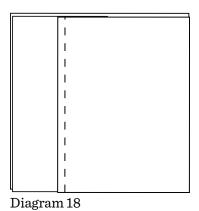
- **14.** Sew (1) 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric C strip to the top of (1) 1 ½" x 2 ½" Fabric B strip. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric D strip to the bottom of the Fabric B strip to make (1) side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew (1) side border to each side of the (1) Unit 2 square.
- strip to the left side of (1) 1 ½" x 4 ½" Fabric C strip to the left side of (1) 1 ½" x 2 ½" Fabric B strip. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 4 ½" Fabric D strip to the right side of the Fabric B strip to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the top border and bottom border to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 2 square to make (1) Unit 3 square (Diagram 16).



16. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 10 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of the Unit 3 square. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 14 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 3 square to make the Pillow top.



- 17. To make the back envelope flaps, turn under the $14 \frac{1}{2}$ " edge approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ ", press and repeat to make a finished edge on one edge of the $11 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $14 \frac{1}{2}$ " backing piece. Repeat with the second $11 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $14 \frac{1}{2}$ " backing piece.
- 18. Position and pin each of the back envelope flap, right sides together with the pillow front, overlapping the finished edges in the middle and aligning the raw edges with the pillow front (Diagram 18). Stitch around the pillow front and back to complete the pillow.

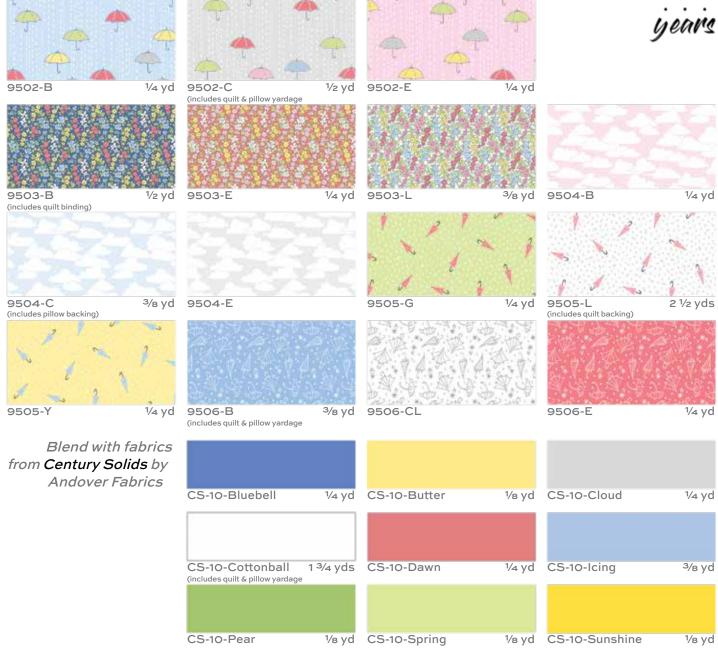


19. Turn the pillow right side out.

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