I'm Buggin' Out

(QUILT 1)

With Touches of Glow-in-the-Dark

Featuring fabrics from the **I'm Buggin' Out** collection by **Chelsea DesignWorks** for **STUDIO e fabrics**

Fabric Requirements

(A) 5768-89 .... ¾ yard
(B) Charcoal-14** ... ⅝ yard
(C) Lagoon-78** ...... 1 ⅛ yards*
(D) 5762-99 .... ¼ yard
(E) 5762-88 .... ¼ yard
(F) 5761G-99 .... ¼ yard
(G) 5765-88 .... ¼ yard
(H) 5762-31 .... ¼ yard

(I) 5767G-98 .... 2 ⅛ yards
(J) 5759G-99 .... 1 ½ yards
Backing
    5760-88 .... 4 ¼ yards

* Includes Binding
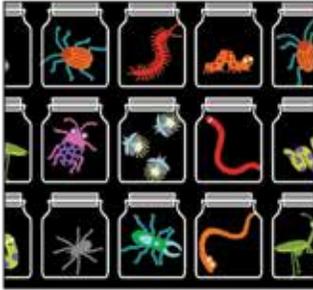** Peppered Cottons Collection

Additional Supplies Needed

Batting 76" x 76" (Recommended:
    Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton)
Piecing and sewing thread
Quilting and sewing supplies

Quilt designed by Heidi Pridemore
Finished Quilt Size 68" x 68"
Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

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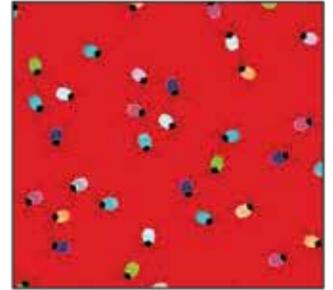
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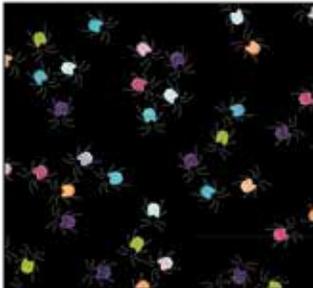
Bugs in Jars
Black – 5759G-99

Big Dots
Red – 5760G-88
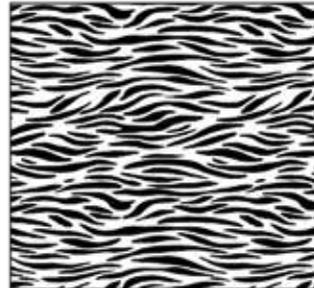
Tossed Bugs on Skin
Black – 5761G-99
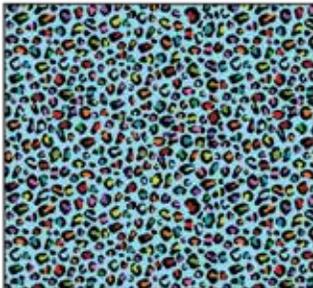
Tossed Beetles
Red – 5762-88

Tossed Beetles
Black – 5762-99

Tossed Ladybugs
White – 5763-1

Zebra Skin
Black/White – 5764-90

Tone-on-Tone Bugs
Red – 5765-88

Multi-Colored Cheetah Skin
Aqua – 5766-14

Border Stripe
Multi – 5767G-98

10" Blocks
Red/Black – 5768-89

Select Fabrics from Peppered Cottons

Charcoal
Charcoal-14

Lagoon
Lagoon-78

Cutting

Cutting Instructions

Please note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

WOF= Width of Fabric • LOF = Length of Fabric

Fabric A (5768-89 10" Blocks – Red/Black):
• Fussy cut (8) 9 ½" squares, each centered on a block.

Fabric B (Charcoal-14 Peppered Cottons – Charcoal), cut:
• (4) 1 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (16) 1 ½" x 9 ½" strips.
• (6) 1 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (16) 1 ½" x 11 ½" strips.
• (1) 1" x WOF strip, sub-cut (2) 1" x 9 ½" strips and (2) 1" x 10 ½" strips.

Fabric C (Lagoon-78 Peppered Cottons – Lagoon), cut:
• (5) 1 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (18) 1 ½" x 10 ½" strips.
• (6) 1 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (18) 1 ½" x 12 ½" strips.
• (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

Fabric D (5762-99 Tossed Beetles – Black), cut:
• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

Fabric E (5762-88 Tossed Beetles – Red), cut:
• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

Fabric F (5761G-99 Tossed Bugs on Skin – Black), cut:
• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

Fabric (G) (5765-88 Tone-on-Tone Bugs – Red), cut:
• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 3 ½" squares.

Fabric (H) (5762-31 Tossed Lady Bugs – White), cut:
• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (16) 3 ½" squares.

Fabric (I) (5767G-98 Border Stripe – Multi), cut:
• (4) 9 ½" x 72" LOF strips.

Fabric (J) (5759G-99 Bugs in Jars – Black), cut:
• (2) 1 ½" x 48 ½" LOF strips.
• From the remaining fabric, cut (2) 1 ½" x 50 ½" strips, piece as needed, and (1) 9 ½" square.

Backing (5760G-88 Big Dots – Red), cut:
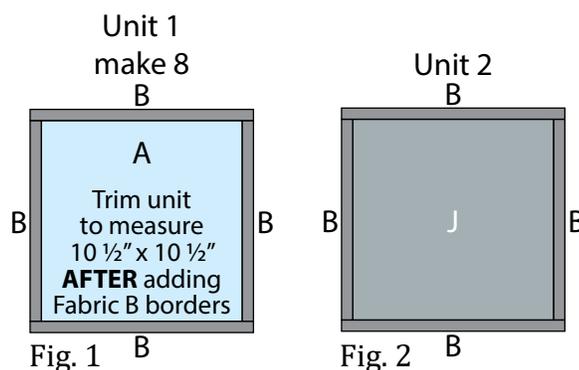• (2) 76" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to 76" x 76" to make the back.

Sewing

Sew using a ¼" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise indicated. Always press towards the darker fabric while assembling, unless otherwise noted by the arrows.
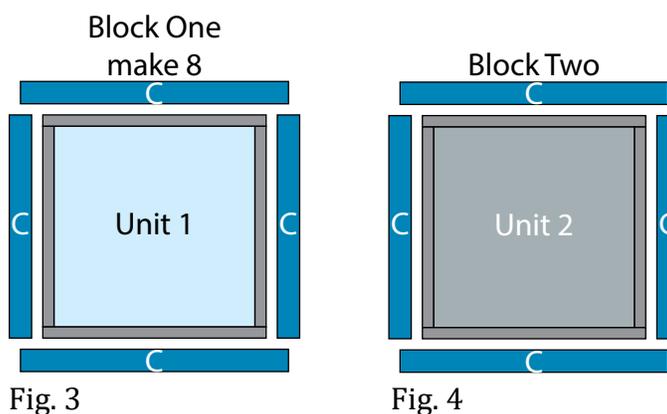
Block Assembly

Note: The arrows in figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components.

1. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 9 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 9 ½" Fabric A square. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 11 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Fig. 1). **Trim the block to measure 10 ½" x 10 ½".** Repeat to make (8) Unit 1 squares total.

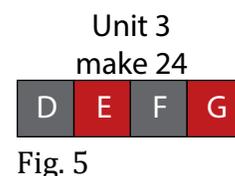2. Sew (1) 1" x 9 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 9 ½" Fabric J square. Sew (1) 1" x 10 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric J square to make (1) Unit 2 square (Fig. 2).

**Unit 1
make 8**

B

A

Trim unit to measure 10 ½" x 10 ½" **AFTER** adding Fabric B borders

B   B

B

Fig. 1   B

Unit 2

B

B   J   B

B

Fig. 2   B

3. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 10 ½" Fabric C strip to each side of (1) Unit 1 square. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 12 ½" Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 1 square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 3). Repeat to make (8) Block One squares total.

4. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 10 ½" Fabric C strip to each side of the Unit 2 square. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 12 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 2 square to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 4).

**Block One
make 8**

C

C   Unit 1   C

C

Fig. 3

Block Two

C

C   Unit 2   C

C

Fig. 4

5. Sew together (1) 3 ½" Fabric D square, (1) 3 ½" Fabric E square, (1) 3 ½" Fabric F square and (1) 3 ½" Fabric G square, in that order from left to right, to make (1) Unit 3 strip (Fig. 5). Repeat to make (24) Unit 3 strips total.

**Unit 3
make 24**

| D | E | F | G |

Fig. 5

6. Sew together (4) 3 ½" Fabric H squares and (3) Unit 3 strips, alternating them from left to right, to make (1) Unit 4 strip (Fig. 6). Repeat to make (4) Unit 4 strips total.

**Unit 4
make 4**

| H | Unit 3 | H | Unit 3 | H | Unit 3 | H |

Fig. 6

7. Sew together (4) Unit 3 strips and (3) Block One squares, alternating them from left to right, to make Row One (Fig. 7). Repeat to make Row Three.

8. Sew together (1) Unit 3 strip, (1) Block One square, (1) Unit 3 strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) Unit 3 strip, (1) Block One square and (1) Unit 3 strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Two (Fig. 7).

9. Sew together (1) Unit 4 strip, Row One, (1) Unit 4 strip, Row Two, (1) Unit 4 strip, Row Three and (1) Unit 4 strip, lengthwise in that order from top to bottom, to make the Center Block (Fig. 7).
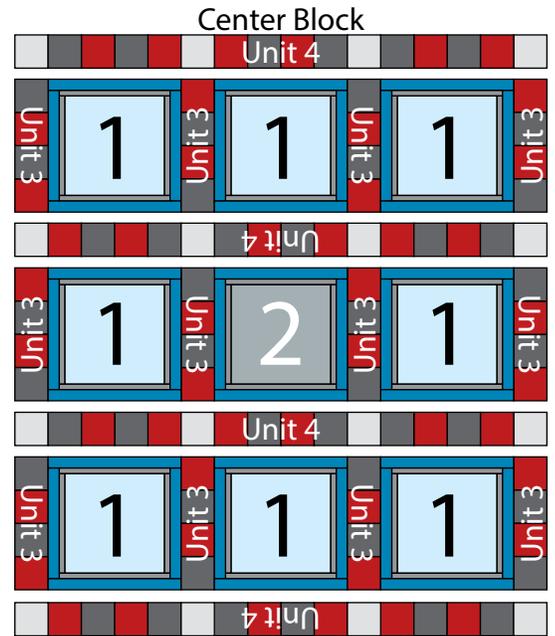

Center Block

Fig. 7

Quilt Top Assembly
(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)
10. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 48 ½" Fabric J strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 50 ½" Fabric J strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

11. Center (1) 9 ½" x 72" Fabric I strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a ¼" from the top edge of the block and stop a ¼" from the bottom edge. **DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS.** Repeat with the opposite side.

12. Repeat Step 11 to sew (1) 9 ½" x 72" Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start ¼" away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Center Block on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Fig. 8).

13. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 8), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a ¼" seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.
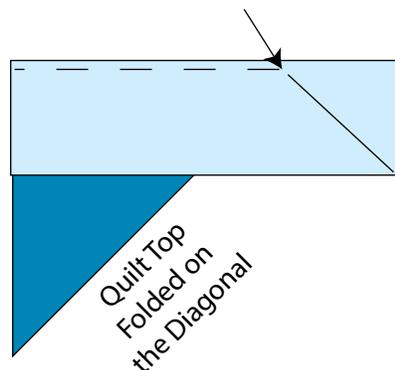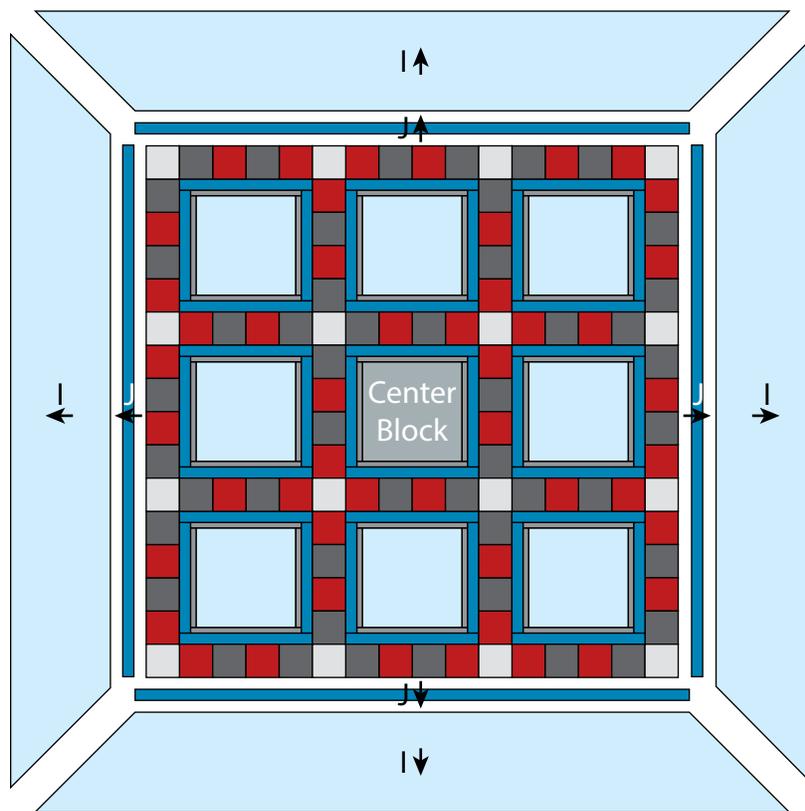

Quilt Top Folded on the Diagonal

Fig. 8

Layering, Quilting and Finishing

14. Press the quilt top and 76" x 76" backing well. Layer backing (wrong side up), batting, pressed quilt top (right side up) and baste. Quilt as desired and trim excess batting and backing when quilting is complete.

Binding

15. Cut the ends of the (7) Fabric C binding strips at a 45-degree angle and sew end to end to make (1) continuous piece of binding. Fold in half lengthwise and press wrong sides together.

16. Sew the binding to the front of the quilt, raw edges together. Turn the folded edge to the back, and hand stitch in place.

Quilt Layout