

Featuring fabrics from the **Red, White & Starry Blue** collection from **STUDIO**

Fabric Requirements

(A) 3982-88	⅔ yard
(B) 3981-78	1 ¼ yards
(C) White Sugar-09**	* 2 ¼ yards
(D) Flame-16**	¾ yard
(E) 3982-10	⅔ yard
(F) Ink-45**	2 yards
(G) 3983-77	⁵⁄⁄8 yard
(H) 3984-78	1 ¾ yards

(I) 3983-10 ¹⁄₂ yard Backing 3987-78 5 ¹⁄₄ yards

* Includes Binding ** Peppered Cottons Collection

Additional Supplies Needed

Batting 76" x 92" (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 84" Skill Level: Intermediate



Select Fabrics from the Peppered Cottons Collection







White Sugar-09

Flame-16

Ink-45

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 (3982-88 Large Stars - Red), cut:

- (3) 2 ⁷/₈ x WOF strips, sub-cut (30) 2 ⁷/₈ squares.
- (4) 2 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (60) 2 ¹/₂" squares.

Fabric B (3981-78 Patriotic Swirl – Navy/Red), cut:

- (2) 8 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (8) 8 ¹/₂" squares.
- (3) 2 ⁷/₈" x WOF strips, sub-cut (30) 2 ⁷/₈" squares.
- (4) 2 1/2" x WOF strips, sub-cut (60) 2 1/2" squares.

Fabric C (White Sugar-09 Peppered Cottons – White Sugar), cut:

- (4) 2 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (60) 2 ¹/₂" squares.
- (7) 2 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (60) 2 ¹/₂" x 4 ¹/₂" strips.
- (4) 2 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (16) 2 ¹/₂" x 8 ¹/₂" strips.
- (4) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 ½" x 64 ½" strips.
- (3) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 ½" x 52 ½" strips.
- (6) 1 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 1 ¹/₂" x 8 ¹/₂" strips.
- (4) 1 1/2" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" strips.

Fabric D (Flame-16 Peppered Cottons – Flame), cut:

- (3) 2 ³/₈" x WOF strips, sub-cut (36) 2 ³/₈" squares.
- (3) 1 ¹/₂" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ¹/₂" x 46 ¹/₂" strips.
- (2) 1 ½" x 40 ½" WOF strips.
- (2) 1 ½" x 32 ½" WOF strips.
- (2) 1 ¹/₂" x 26 ¹/₂" WOF strips.

Fabric E (3982-10 Large Stars – White), cut:

- (5) 2 3/8" x WOF strips, sub-cut (72) 2 3/8" squares.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips, sub-cut (48) 2" squares.

Fabric F (Ink-45 Peppered Cottons – Ink), cut:

- (3) 2 3/8" x WOF strips, sub-cut (36) 2 3/8" squares.
- (8) 2 ¹/₂" x 30 ¹/₂" WOF strips.
- (8) 2 ½" x 22 ½" WOF strips.
- (8) $2 \frac{1}{2}$ x WOF strips for the binding.

Fabric G (3983-77 America - Navy), cut:

• (2) 8 ¹/₂" x WOF strips, sub-cut (8) 8 ¹/₂" squares.

Fabric H (3984-78 Border Stripe – Navy/Red), cut:

- Fussy cut (4) 4 ¹/₂" x 30 ¹/₂" LOF strips, each centered on a strip with red stars.
- Fussy cut (4) $4\frac{1}{2}$ x 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ LOF strips, each centered on a strip with red stars.

Fabric I (3983-10 America - White), cut:

- (2) 2 1/2" x 42 1/2" WOF strips, piece as needed.
- (2) 2 ½" x 30 ½" WOF strips.

Backing (3987-78 Flag Geo - Navy/Red), cut:

• (2) 92" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to 76" x 92" for 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

1. Place (1) 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ " Fabric A square on top of (1) 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ " Fabric B square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Fig. 1). Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 1). Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2) to make (2) half-square triangles. Trim the blocks to measure 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " square to make (2) Unit 1 blocks (Fig. 3). Repeat to make (60) Unit 1 blocks total.

2. Sew (4) Unit 1 blocks together to make (1) Unit 2 block (Fig. 4). Repeat to make (15) Unit 2 blocks total.



3. Place (1) 2 ½" Fabric A square on the left side of (1) 2 ½" x 4 ½" Fabric C strip, right sides together (Fig. 5). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 5). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 6). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance.

4. Place (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B square on the right side of the 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip, right sides together (Fig. 7). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 7). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance to make (1) Unit 3 strip (Fig. 8).

5. Repeat Steps 3-4 to make (60) Unit 3 strips total.



7. Repeat Step 1 using (36) 2 ³/₈" Fabric F squares and (36) 2 ³/₈" Fabric E squares to make (72) 2" Unit 4 blocks (Fig. 10).

8. Repeat Step 1 using (36) 2 ³/₈" Fabric D squares and (36) 2 ³/₈" Fabric E squares to make (72) 2" Unit 5 blocks (Fig. 11).

9. Follow Figure 12 and sew (6) Unit 4 blocks, (6) Unit 5 blocks and (4) 2" Fabric E squares together as shown to make (1) Unit 6 block. Repeat to make (12) Unit 6 blocks total.

10. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to each side of (1) Unit 6 block. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 6 block to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 13). Repeat to make (12) Block Two squares total.





11. Sew (1) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B square to each side of (1) Block One square to make Row One (Fig. 14). Repeat to make Rows Three and Five.

12. Sew (1) Block One square to each side of (1) $8 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B square to make Row Two (Fig. 14). Repeat to make Row Four.

13. Sew the (5) rows together in numerical order to make (1) Unit 7 block (Fig. 14).



14. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D strip to each side the Unit 7 block. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 7 block.

15. Sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ x $42\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric I strip to each side of the Unit 7 block. Sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ x $30\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 7 block.

16. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 46 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D strip to each side the Unit 7 block. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 7 block to make the Center Block (Fig. 15).

17. Sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ x 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ x 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric H strip lengthwise to make (1) short FHF strip. Repeat to make (4) short FHF strips total.

18. Sew (3) Block One squares and (2) short FHF strips together end to end and alternating them to make (1) Top/Bottom Pieced Border (Fig. 16). Repeat to make a second Top/Bottom Pieced Border.

19. Sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ x 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ x 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric H strip lengthwise to make (1) long FHF strip. Repeat to make a second long FHF strip.

20. Sew (1) long FHF strip to each side of (1) Block One square to make (1) Side Pieced Border (Fig. 17). Repeat to make a second Side Pieced Border.



Center Block

Fig. 15



(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)

21. Sew (1) Block Two square to the top and to the bottom of (1) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G square. Sew (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip. Sew (1) Block Two square to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip. Sew (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip. Sew (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the sewn strip to make (1) Side Border. Repeat to make a second Side Border.

22. Sew (1) Side Border to each side of the Center Block.

23. Sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to each side of (1) $8\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G square. Sew (1) Block Two square to each side of the sewn strip. Sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to each side of the sewn strip. Sew (1) $8\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G square to each side of the sewn strip to make (1) Top Border. Repeat to make (1) Bottom Border.

24. Sew the Top and Bottom Borders to the Center Block.

25. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 64 ½" Fabric C strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 52 ½" Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

26. Sew (1) Side Pieced Border to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) Top/Bottom Pieced Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

Layering, Quilting and Finishing

27. Press the quilt top and 76" x 92" 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

28. Cut the ends of the (8) Fabric F 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.

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



Every effort has been made to ensure that all projects are error free. All the information is presented in good faith, however no warranty can be given nor results guaranteed as we have no control over the execution of instructions. Therefore, we assume no responsibility for the use of this information or damages that may occur as a result. When errors are brought to our attention, we make every effort to correct and post a revision as soon as possible. Please make sure to check <u>www.studioefabrics.com</u> for pattern updates prior to starting the project. We also recommend that you test the project prior to cutting for kits. Finally, all free projects are intended to remain free to you and are **not for resale**.