

# Reel Fun

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Quilt 1

A Free Project Sheet  
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Skill Level: Advanced Beginner



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Finished Quilt Size: 52" x 56"

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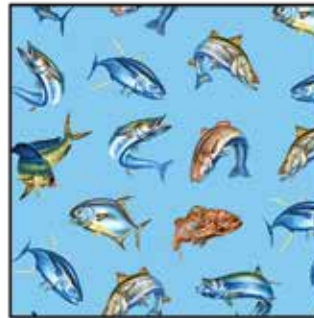
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## Fabrics in the Reel Fun Collection



Fish Blocks - Blue  
2387-77



Tossed Fishes - Light Blue  
2388-70



Fishing Rods & Reels - Blue  
2389-77



Fish Emblems - Black  
2390-99



Fish Lures - Gray  
2391-90



Fish Collage - Blue  
2392-70



Fish Scales - Green  
2393-60



Fish Scales - Light Blue  
2393-70



Fish Scales - Gray  
2393-90



Fishing Panel - Blue  
2394P-77

Select Fabrics  
from the Jot Dot  
& Chameleon  
Collections



Jot Dot  
Charcoal  
9570-92



Chameleon  
Olive  
1178-62



Chameleon  
Black  
1178-99

### Materials

1 panel	Fishing Panel - Blue (A)	2394P-77
$\frac{2}{3}$ yard	Fish Scales - Green (B)	2393-60
$\frac{1}{2}$ yard	Fish Collage - Blue (C)	2392-70
$\frac{1}{2}$ yard	Jot Dot - Charcoal (D)	9570-92
$\frac{1}{4}$ yard	Tossed Fish - Light Blue (E)	2388-70
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ yards	Fish Emblems - Black (F)	2390-99
$\frac{1}{4}$ yard	Fish Lures - Gray (G)	2391-90
$\frac{1}{4}$ yard	Fishing Rods & Reels - Blue (H)	2389-77
$\frac{1}{2}$ yard	Fish Scales - Gray (I)	2393-90*
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards	Fishing Rods & Reels - Blue (Backing)	2389-77

\*Includes binding

Batting: 60" x 64"

(Recommended: Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton)

### Cutting Instructions

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

#### From the Fishing Panel - Blue (A):

- Fussy cut (1) 40  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 22  $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle, centered on the panel.

#### From the Fish Scales - Green (B), cut:

- (6) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 40  $\frac{1}{2}$ " WOF strips.
- (3) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 44  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
- (2) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42  $\frac{1}{2}$ " WOF strips, piece as needed.

#### From the Fish Collage - Blue (C), cut:

- (5) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut (40) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

#### From the Jot Dot - Charcoal (D), cut:

- (5) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut (80) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

#### From the Tossed Fish - Light Blue (E), cut:

- (1) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut (6) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

#### From the Fish Emblems - Black (F), cut:

- (3) 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 46  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
- (3) 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 52  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
- (1) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut (6) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

#### From the Fish Lures - Gray (G), cut:

- (1) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

#### From the Fishing Rods & Reels - Blue (H), cut:

- (1) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

#### From the Fish Scales - Gray (I), cut:

- (6) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips for the binding.

#### From the Fishing Rods & Reels - Blue (Backing), cut:

- (2) 60" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 60" x 64" back.

### Block Assembly

**Note:** The arrows figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components. Use a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

1. Sew (1) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 40  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the 40  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 22  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric A rectangle lengthwise to make the Center Block (Fig. 1).

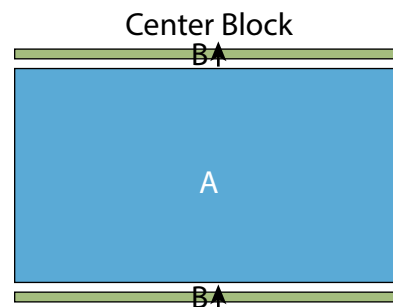


Fig. 1

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



Fig. 2

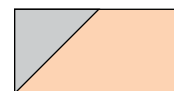


Fig. 3

3. Place another 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D square on the right side of the 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip, right sides together (Fig. 4). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 4). 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 1 strip (Fig. 5).

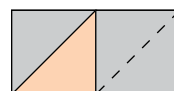


Fig. 4

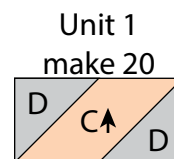


Fig. 5

4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to make (20) Unit 1 strips total.

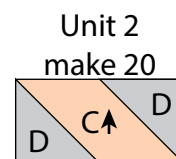


Fig. 6

5. Repeat Steps 2-3 and refer to Figure 6 for fabric identification, placement, seam direction and orientation to make (20) Unit 2 strips.

6. Sew (1) Unit 1 strip to the left end of (1) Unit 2 strip to make (1) Unit 3 strip (Fig. 7). Repeat to make (20) Unit 3 strips total.

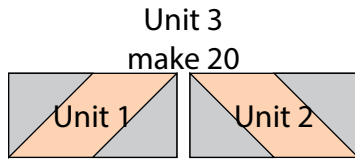


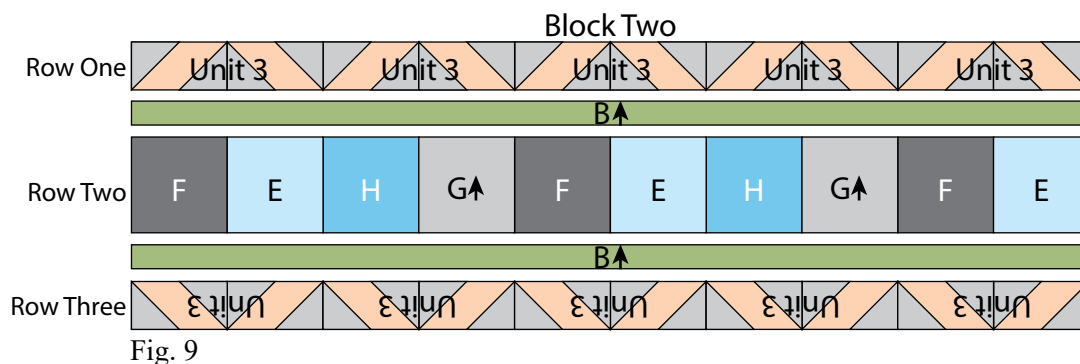
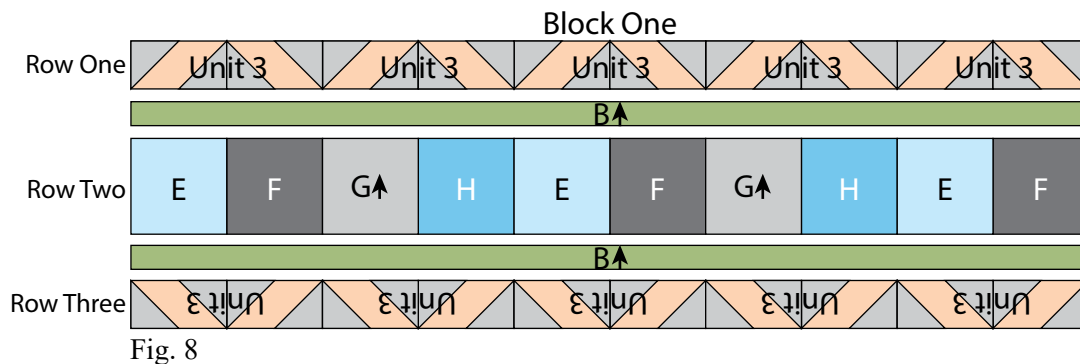
Fig. 7

7. Sew together (5) Unit 3 strips end to end to make Row One (Fig. 8 below). Repeat to make Row Three.

8. Follow Figure 8 below and sew together (10) assorted  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. Sew (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $40\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the newly sewn strip to make Row Two.

9. Sew together the (3) Rows from Steps 7-8, in numerical order from top to bottom, to make (1) Block One Row (Fig. 8 below).

10. Repeat Steps 7-9 and refer to Figure 9 below for component identification, placement and orientation to make (1) Block Two Row.



### Quilt Top Assembly

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

11. Sew the Block One Row to the top of the Center Block lengthwise.

12. Sew the Block Two Row to the bottom of the Center Block lengthwise.

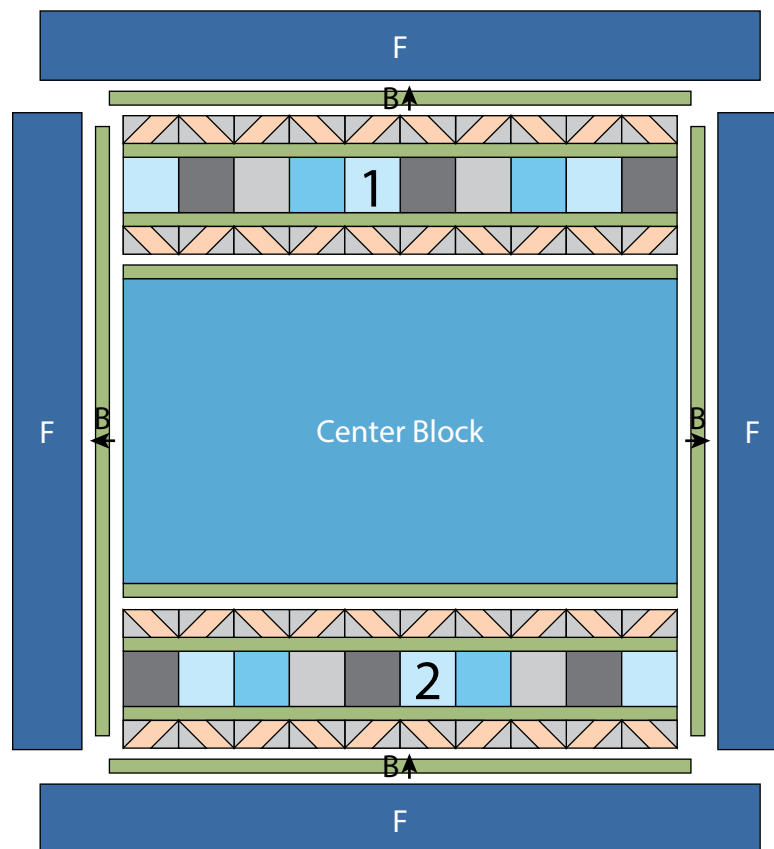
13. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 44 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 42 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

14. Sew (1) 5 ½" x 46 ½" Fabric F strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 5 ½" x 52 ½" Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

15. Layer and quilt as desired.

16. Sew the (6) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric I strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.

17. Bind as desired.



Quilt Layout

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