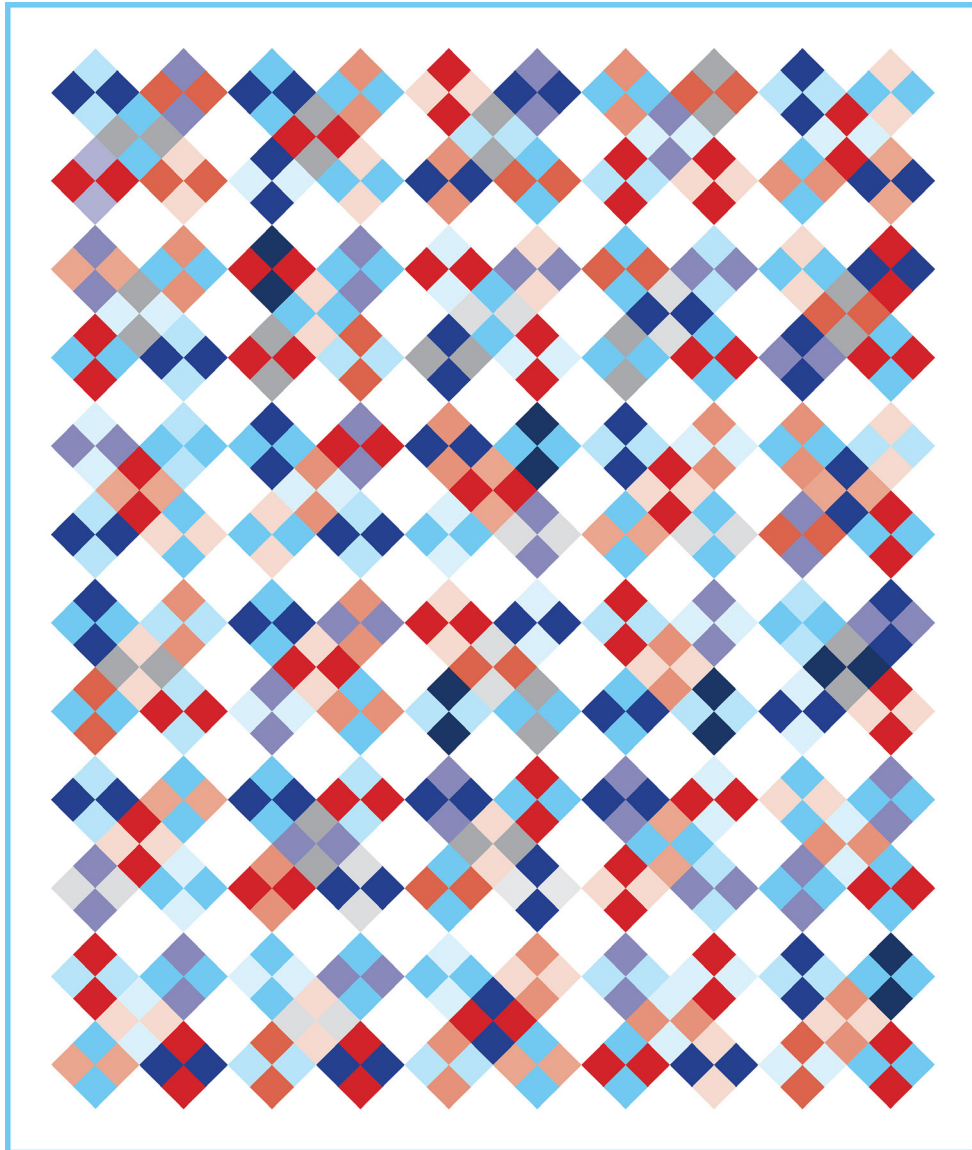




# Day Dreaming

Pattern by *moda*

Quilt is 62" x 73"



## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

**Prints:** 1 Jelly Roll\* or 38 strips – 2 ½" x 42" wof

**Background:** 2 ¼ yards

**Binding:** ¾ yard

**Backing:** 4 ¾ yards

\*Jelly Roll = 40 – 2 ½" x width of fabric (wof) strips



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## Cutting Requirements:

### Four-patch fabrics:

- Moda Jelly Roll (40 wof strips). Cut the jelly roll strips in half at the fold to make 80 wof strips – 2 ½" x 21".

### OR

- Thirty-eight (38) 2 ½" x 42" strips. Cut the strips in half crosswise to make (76) strips – 2 ½" x 21".

### Background fabric:

- **Alternating squares.** Cut 8 strips – 4 ½" x 42" wof.
  - Cut 9 squares from each strip – 4 ½" x 4 ½". Cut a total of (69) squares.
- **Corner Setting triangles.** From the remainder, cut (2) squares – 4" x 4".
  - Cut the squares **once** on the diagonal to yield two triangles from each for a total of (4) triangles.
- **Side Setting triangles.** Cut 2 strips – 7 ¼" x 42" wof.
  - From the strips, cut (10) squares – 7 ¼" x 7 ¼".
  - Cut the squares **twice** on the diagonal to yield (4) triangles from each – a total of (40).
- **Borders.** Cut (8) strips – 3" x 42" wof.

### Binding fabric:

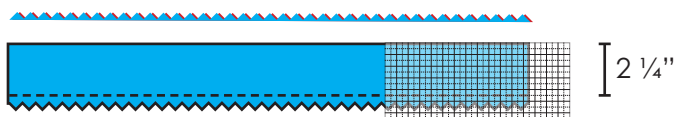
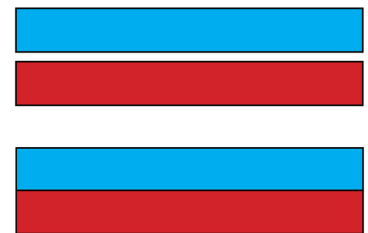
- Cut (8) strips – 2 ½" x 42" wof.

## Assembly:

Unless specified otherwise, **all seams are a scant ¼"**.

### Select (2) strips – 2 ½" x 21"

- Join the strips as shown using a very scant ¼" seam allowance. Before pressing the seam, place the strip on a cutting mat, and place a ruler on the strip with the 2 ¼" line on the seam. Trim the pinked edge as straight as possible.



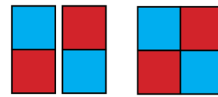
Trim away points on unfinished side

- Now press the seam in one direction.
- The strip set will measure 4 ½" x 21" wof.
- Cross-cut the strip into 2 ½" segments. The segments will measure 2 ½" x 4 ½".
- Each strip set will yield (8) segments.
- Repeat to make (38) total strip sets.
- Cut a total of (300) segments.



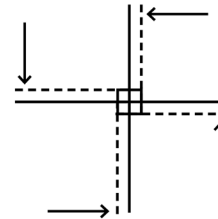
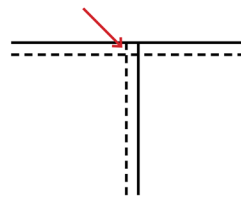
## Select (2) segments – matching or different.

- Join them as shown – with the seams aligned in the same direction.



- Before pressing the center seam, remove the stitches above the seam line on **both** sides of the seam. With your fingers, gently pull the seam open, allowing you to “spin” the center and press the center seam in opposite directions as shown.

Remove these stitches only.

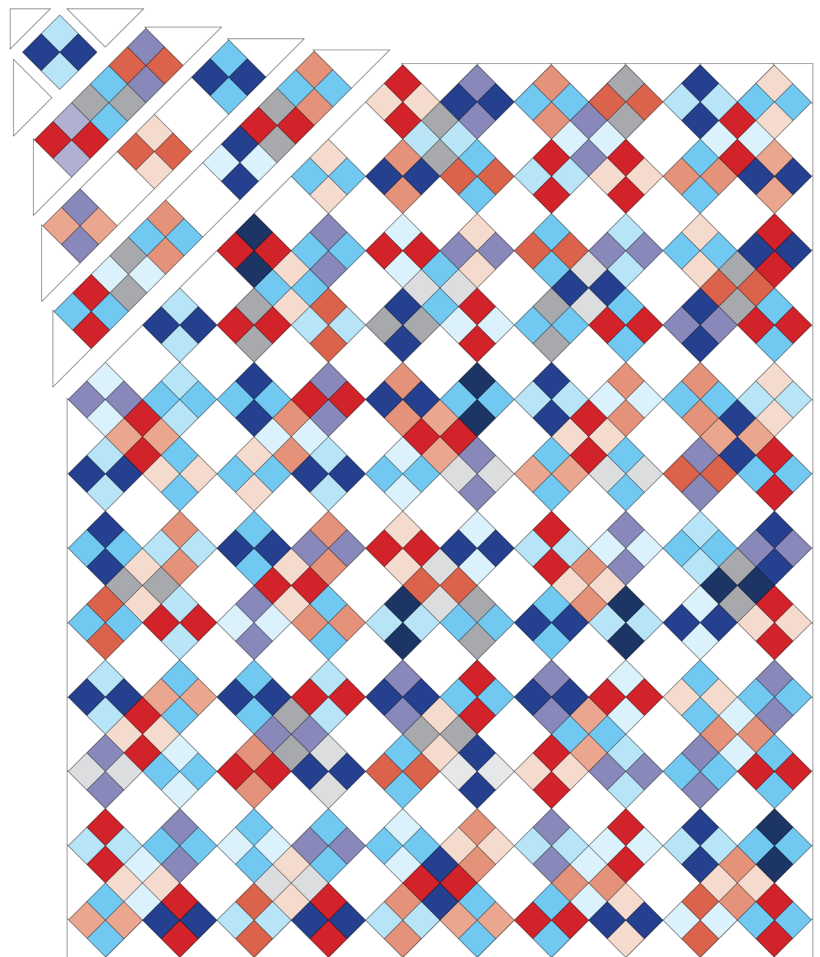


Seams are going counter-clockwise on the wrong side of the block.

- After pressing, the seams on the wrong-side of the four-patch should be going in a counter-clockwise direction. (This technique has many names – spinning the seam, popping the seam, twisting the seam.)
- Each four-patch block will measure 4 ½” x 4 ½”.

**NOTE:** If all of the four-patch blocks are stitched and pressed as illustrated, the direction of the “spin” will be the same on every block; e.g. counter-clockwise. The benefit is all the seams joining the four-patches will have the seams “nest” perfectly.

- Lay out the four-patches, plain squares, side setting triangles, and corner triangles as shown.
- Join the blocks to complete each diagonal row. Press the seams toward the setting triangles, and then alternating every other direction – or press them open.
- Join the rows to complete the quilt top. Either press the seams in one direction or press them open.
- The setting triangles have been slightly over-sized to allow for trimming the edges of the quilt straight. Using a long ruler, carefully trim the edges of the quilt top straight leaving at least a ¼” seam allowance from the corner of the four-patches to the cut edge.
- The quilt top will measure approx. 57 ½” x 68 ¾”. Do not worry if your quilt top measures a bit different before borders.



## Completing the top:

### Borders.

- Select (2) strips – 3" x 42" wof. Using a straight or diagonal seam, join two strips to make one long strip – 3" x approx. 80". Press the seam open.
- Repeat to make (4) long strips.

### Side Borders.

- Trim (2) strips to measure 3" x 68 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" – or the measurement of your quilt top.
- Join the strips to the long sides of the quilt top. Press the seams to the side borders.

### Top & Bottom Borders.

- Trim (2) strips to measure 3" x 62 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" – or the measurement of your quilt top with the side borders stitched on.
- Join the strips to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top. Press the seams to the borders.

Quilt and bind as desired.

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