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# Scattered Showers

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“the cottage rose” – Pattern Originals

20” x 30”

Fabrics:

3/8yd blue (includes 1 – 2 1/4” strip binding)

1/6yd cream

3/4yd gray (includes 2 – 2 1/4” strips binding)

4” x 8” pink

2/3yd backing

## Making Raindrops

Cut a 3 1/2” strip from the cream. From this strip cut 10 Tri sections using the Tri recs tool.

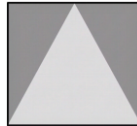
Cut the pink to 3 1/2” x 8”. From this cut 1 Tri section.

From the gray cut 1 – 3 1/2” strip. From this cut 18 Recs sections (9 & 9 reversed)

From the blue cut 1 – 3 1/2” strip. From this cut 4 Recs sections (2 & 2 reversed)

Make 2 of the cream raindrops using the blue recs sides. For the other 8 cream and 1 pink raindrop use the gray recs sections.

This will make 11 raindrop tops, measuring 3 1/2” square.



For the bottoms of the raindrops use the remaining cream and cut 10 – 2” x 3 1/2” sections and from the pink cut 1 – 2” x 3 1/2”.

From the gray cut 14 – 1” squares and from the blue cut 8 – 1” squares.

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of all squares.

Lay a gray square, right sides together, on one corner of 6 creams and 1 pink 2” x 3 1/2” sections.

Lay a blue square, right sides together on 4 cream 2” x 3 1/2” sections.

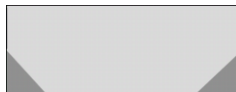
Sew on the diagonal lines, cut away the excess and press.

Now lay another square of the same color on the other lower corner. Again sew on the line, cut away the excess and press.

**Please note the angles in the diagram before sewing.**

You will now have 7 with gray corners and 4 with blue corners.

These units will measure 2” x 3 1/2”.



Sew together the tops and bottom of the raindrops.

6 will be cream with gray, 1 will be pink with gray, 2 will be cream with blue and 2 will be cream with gray tops and blue bottoms.

These units will measure 3 1/2” x 5”

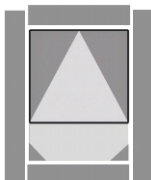


Now cut 4 – 1” strips of gray and 2 – 1” strips of blue.  
Cut from the gray 16 - 1” x 3 ½”, 14 – 1” x 6” and 4 – 1” x 4”  
From the blue cut 6 – 1” x 3 ½”, 4 – 1” x 6” and 4 – 1” x 2 ½”

On the 6 cream/gray raindrops and the 1 pink/gray sew a 3 ½” gray to the top and bottom of the raindrop.  
Then sew a 6” gray to each side.

On the 2 cream/blue raindrops sew a 3 ½” blue to the top and bottom. Then sew a 6” blue to the sides.

On the 2 cream/gray top/blue bottom raindrops sew a gray 3 ½” to the tops and a blue 3 ½” to the bottoms.  
Then sew the 4” gray and 2 ½” blues together to form 4 strips 6” long.  
Add one of these strips to each side of these 2 raindrops, gray to the top/blue to the bottom.  
All your raindrops should now measure 4 ½” x 6”



### Putting it all together

We will sew these together in 5 vertical rows, starting from left to right.

From gray cut 2 – 4 ½” strips. From the blue cut 1 – 4 ½” strip.  
Make all the gray and blue cuts from these strips. All sections will be 4 ½” wide by length described for the row.

First row cut an 11 ½” gray and an 8” blue. From top to bottom - cream/gray raindrop, 11” gray, cream/gray raindrop 8” piece blue.

Second row cut a 5” and 9” gray and a 6” blue. From top to bottom – 5” gray, pink/gray raindrop, 9” gray, cream/gray/blue raindrop, 6” blue.

Third row cut a 14” and a 3 ½” gray and 2 – 1 ½” blue. From top to bottom – 14” gray, cream/gray raindrop, 3 ½” gray, 1 ½” blue, cream/blue raindrop, 1 ½” blue.

Fourth row cut a 2 ½” and a 6” gray and a 6” blue. From top to bottom – cream/gray raindrop 2 ½” gray, cream/gray raindrop, 6” gray, cream/gray/blue raindrop, 6” blue.

Fifth row cut an 11 ½” a 6” gray and a 2” and 1” blue. From top to bottom – 11 ½” gray, cream/gray raindrop, 6” gray, 2” blue, cream/blue raindrop, 1” blue.

Each row is 4 ½” wide and 30” long.  
Sew these 5 rows together.

I used 2 strips of gray and 1 of blue to bind the quilt. A little tricky to match up at the blue and gray line but does add a interesting touch.

## Lap Size

49" x 66"

### Fabrics Needed:

1 2/3yd Blue (includes binding)

1yd Cream

3 1/3yd Gray (includes binding)

8" x 14" Pink

3yd backing

### Making Raindrops

Cut 2 - 6 1/2" strips from the cream. From this strip cut 16- 6 1/2" Tri sections using the Tri recs tool.

Cut the pink to 6 1/2" x 14". From this cut 1- 6 1/2" Tri section.

From the gray cut 3 - 6 1/2" strip. From this cut 24 Recs sections (12 & 12 reversed)

From the blue cut 1 - 6 1/2" strip. From this cut 6 Recs sections (3 & 3 reversed)

Make 3 of the cream raindrops using the blue recs sides. For the other 11 cream and 1 pink raindrop use the gray recs sections.

This will make 15 raindrop tops, measuring 6 1/2" square.



For the bottoms of the raindrops use the remaining cream and cut 14 - 4" x 6 1/2" sections and from the pink cut 1 - 4" x 6 1/2".

From the gray cut 20 - 2" squares and from the blue cut 10 - 2" squares.

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of all squares.

Lay a gray square, right sides together, on one corner of 9 creams and 1 pink 4" x 6 1/2" sections.

Lay a blue square, right sides together on 5 cream 4" x 6 1/2" sections.

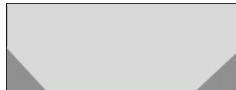
Sew on the diagonal lines, cut away the excess and press.

Now lay another square of the same color on the other lower corner. Again sew on the line, cut away the excess and press.

### Please note the angles in the diagram before sewing.

You will now have 10 with gray corners and 5 with blue corners.

These units will measure 4" x 6 1/2".



Sew together the tops and bottom of the raindrops.

9 will be cream with gray, 1 will be pink with gray, 2 will be cream with blue and 3 will be cream with gray tops and blue bottoms.

These units will measure 6 1/2" x 10"



Now cut 11 - 1" strips of gray and 4 - 1" strips of blue.

Cut from the gray 23 - 1" x 6 1/2", 20 - 1" x 11" and 6 - 1" x 7"

From the blue cut 7 - 1" x 6 1/2", 4 - 1" x 11" and 6 - 1" x 4 1/2"

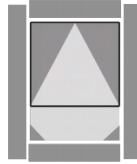
On the 9 cream/gray raindrops and the 1 pink/gray sew a 6 1/2" gray to the top and bottom of the raindrop.  
Then sew an 11" gray to each side.

On the 2 cream/blue raindrops sew a 6 1/2" blue to the top and bottom. Then sew an 11" blue to the sides.

On the 3 cream/gray top/blue bottom raindrops sew a gray 6 1/2" to the tops and a blue 6 1/2" to the bottoms.  
Then sew the 7" gray and 4 1/2" blues together to form 6 strips 11" long.

Add one of these strips to each side of these 3 raindrops, gray to the top/blue to the bottom.

All your raindrops should now measure 7 1/2" x 11"



### Putting it all together

We will sew these together in 7 vertical rows, starting from left to right.

From gray cut 8 – 7 1/2" strips. From the blue cut 3 – 7 1/2" strip.

Make all the gray and blue cuts from these strips. All sections will be 6 1/2" wide by length described for the row.

First row cut a 31" gray and a 15" blue. From top to bottom - cream/gray raindrop, 31" gray, cream/gray raindrop 15" piece blue.

Second row cut a 45 1/2" and an 11" blue. From top to bottom – 45 1/2" gray, cream/gray/blue raindrop, 11" blue.

Third row cut a 4 1/2", a 9" and an 18 1/2" gray and a 3" and 2" blue. From top to bottom – 4 1/2" gray, cream/gray raindrop, 9" gray, cream/gray raindrop, 18 1/2" gray, 3" blue, cream/blue raindrop, 2" blue.

Fourth row cut an 8 1/2" and a 33 1/2" gray and a 15" blue. From top to bottom – 8 1/2" gray, pink/gray raindrop, 33 1/2" gray, 15" blue.

Fifth row cut a 26" and a 9 1/2" gray and an 11" blue. From top to bottom – 26" gray, cream/gray raindrop, 9 1/2" gray, cream/gray/blue raindrop, 11" blue.

Sixth row cut 5" and a 26 1/2" gray and a 4" and 1" blue. From top to bottom – cream/gray raindrop, 5" gray, cream/gray raindrop, 26 1/2" gray, 4" blue, cream/blue raindrop, 1" blue.

Seventh row cut 8 1/2" and a 16 1/2" gray and an 11" blue. From top to bottom – 8 1/2" gray, cream/gray raindrop, 16 1/2" gray, cream/gray raindrop, cream/gray/blue raindrop, 11" blue.

Each row is 7 1/2" wide and 66 1/2" long.

Sew these 7 rows together.

***Pluviophile: (Noun) 1. Someone who loves the rain – one who finds joy and peace of mind in rainy days***



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