

## Autumn Breeze Quilt

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Print fabrics are from the Autumn Breeze collection designed by Lisa Dolson for PBS Fabrics.

**Finished size:** 42 x 42in

A great stash busting project that showcases the beautiful Autumn themed fabrics. This quilt could be made larger by increasing the number of blocks made.

### Things to remember

Use a ¼in seam throughout

WOF – width of fabric

### Materials

- 36(6 ½in) print squares
- 1m grey for the blocks and outer border
- 10in navy for binding
- 46 x 46in backing fabric
- 46 x 46in wadding

### Cutting

From the grey fabric cut:

- 144(2 ½in) squares
- 4(3in) WOF strips

From the navy fabric cut:

- 5(2in) WOF strips

### Assembly

#### To stitch the blocks

1. Draw a line on the diagonal on the reverse of all 2 ½in grey squares.
2. Place a 2 ½in square on the corner of each 6 ½in square. **photo1** Stitch on the diagonal line. Trim seams to ¼in away from the diagonal line and press seams towards the grey squares. **photo2**
3. Continue in this way until 36 blocks have been stitched.

#### To stitch the blocks together

4. Lay out the blocks into six rows with six blocks in each row.

5. When you are happy with the placement stitch the blocks in each row together. Pin the diagonal seams together so that you can match up the seam lines. Press seams in each row in alternate directions. **photo3**
6. Stitch the rows together and press all seams downwards.

### **To add the borders**

7. To stitch the outer border take the 4(3in) WOF grey strips and recut them so that they measure 2(3 x 36½in) and 2(3 x 41½in).
8. Stitch a (3 x 36½in) strip to each side of the quilt. Press seams away from the centre.
9. Stitch a (3 x 41½in) strip to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press seams away from the centre. **photo4**

### **To finish the quilt**

10. Make a quilt sandwich using the backing, wadding and patchwork top. This quilt has been quilted in diagonal lines across the quilt at 3in intervals with grey thread using the walking foot. **photo5**
11. To stitch the binding take the 5(2in) WOF navy strips and stitch them together end to end. Press the seams open. Press in half along the length wrong sides together to make a double fold binding. Stitch the raw edges of the binding to the raw edges of the quilt and then turn the folded edge of the binding to the reverse of the quilt and slip stitch in place. Add a label to the reverse of your quilt. **photo6**

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