



CONFIDENT BEGINNER | 1 DAY CLASS

SUGAR IN MY COFFEE

Finished Quilt: 49" x 58"

Quilt design by Quilt Queen Designs, featuring a Cappuccino Bali Pop and a Hand-Dyed Watercolor. Bluegrass perfectly sets off the warmth of this coffee and cream quilt. Easy angles gives movement and interest to this quick project.



BP 610-Cappuccino



1895 581-Bluegrass

FABRICS	1 KIT
BP 610-Cappuccino	1 Pop
1895 581-Bluegrass	2 1/2 Yards*

* includes binding

FREE PATTERN DOWNLOAD
HoffmanFabrics.com

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Requires BasiX Template

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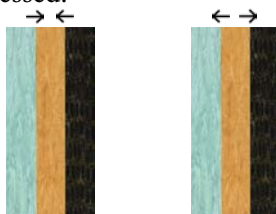
Materials	Cutting
Cappuccino Bali Pop by Hoffman Fabrics-	40- 2 1/2" x 44" strips
Background, Border and Binding- 2 1/2 yards (We used 1895 Bluegrass by Hoffman Fabrics)	20- 2 1/2" strips for blocks 6- 2 1/2" strips for border 6- 2 1/2" strips for binding

BasiX Template: Read all instructions before starting.

Use scant 1/4" seam allowance- refer to BasiX packaging for description of scant 1/4" if necessary. Pressing information is included. It is helpful to press blocks with a light spray starch alternative. Handle the blocks carefully once they have been cut since the edges are bias and may stretch.

1. SEW using a scant 1/4" seam allowance

Choose two strips from the Cappuccino Bali Pop and one background strip. Cut all three strips in half at the fold so that you now have TWO sets of THREE strips that measure 2 1/2" x 22". Sew the TWO sets in the same order with the background strip in an outside position as pictured below. Follow the arrows for pressing instructions. Your strip sets will now be called Strip Set A and Strip Set B according to the direction the seams are pressed.



Strip Set A

Strip Set B

2. CUT

Put Strip Set A on your cutting mat. (We recommend using a rotating cutting mat with our templates.) As pictured below, place the BasiX template, RIGHT SIDE FACING UP, on the Strip Set A matching the lines to the seams. Cut around the edges of template with rotary cutter; continue cutting blocks down the strip set until you have 3 units.



Strip Set A

Do the same with Strip Set B, only this time you will **turn your template over and cut your units upside down**. This will give you the mirror image needed to create the diamonds. See the image to the right.

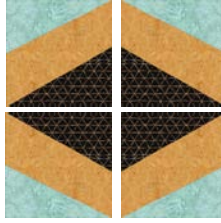


Strip Set B

Set one of the three units from Strip Sets A and B aside to use in your border. The other two will be used to build the diamond block. Make sure to keep your matching strip sets together so there is no confusion in putting together the blocks.

3. CREATE

Referring to diagram, sew 2 A and 2 B blocks together, creating a diamond block. Repeat steps 1-3 for the rest of the strips in the Cappuccino Bali Pop. You will have a total of 20 blocks. Sew the blocks in FIVE rows of FOUR blocks.



4. BORDERS

Sew the six 2 1/2" background strips together on the short ends so you have a long 2 1/2" strip. Measure your quilt from top to bottom through the center and cut two lengths this measurement. Sew to each side of your quilt and press toward the border strip.

Use 10 of your leftover units to piece a side border as shown in diagram. Repeat to make another side border and sew those borders onto each side of quilt and press toward the inner border.

Next, measure your quilt from side to side through the middle and cut two lengths this measurement from the 2 1/2" inner border. Piece to the top and bottom of your quilt pressing toward the border strip.

Piece the last top and bottom border as shown in the diagram below. You will add a piece of background strip measuring 2 1/2" x 5" after the first block and before last block. (Refer to diagram below.) Once these rows have been sewn to the top and bottom, press seams toward inner border.



Top
Border



Bottom
Border



5. FINISH

Layer, quilt as desired and sew on binding!

