## 4-Fabric Modern Placemats

## **Fabric Requirements**

0.4m (each) of four co-ordinating fabrics0.6m binding0.8m polyester batting (44"wide)





## **Directions**

- 1. Cut 1 piece @ 14" x 20" from each fabric for front.
- 2. Cut 1 piece @ 14" x 20" from each fabric for backing.
- 3. Cut 8 pieces @ 2 ½" x wof for binding.
- 4. Stack your front pieces on top of each other as accurately as possible.
- 5. You are going to cut all four layers into an identical pattern. It's easiest if you draw a plan on paper first, then decide where the most pleasing balance of lines is. Draw lines on your top fabric to match your paper plan.
- 1 3 2
- 6. Cut on these lines to make 4 obscure triangles (or shapes that are roughly triangles).
- 7. Take a piece numbered 1,2 3 & 4 from each fabric. (Double check to be sure they are all different.) Sew together starting with 2 & 3, then 1 & 4. Press all your seams open. Join these two units to make a rectangle.
- 8. Repeat for the next 3 placemats.
- 9. Layer your placemat, batting & backing.
- 10. Quilt. It makes a nice pattern to quilt in a V formation on each of the different fabrics.
- 11. Trim & bind.



