Materials:



Fabric A: 1 Vegas Strip Set (21 strips)

Subcut (4) 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" squares from each strip (you will need 80)

Reserve remaining strips for outer border



Fabric B: 11/2 yards

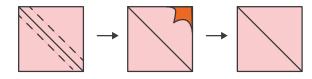
Cut (19) 2 1/2" x WOF strips

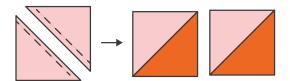
Subcut from (5) strips, cut (80) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares Reserve 6 strips for the inner border Reserve 7 strips for binding

Backing: 3 3/4 yards

Half Square Triangles:

Make 80 HST. Mix up all of the 6 1/2" squares from fabric A to make the HST. Mark a diagonal line on one square and place it RST with another square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating 2 HST. Press seam to the dark side. Square up to 6".





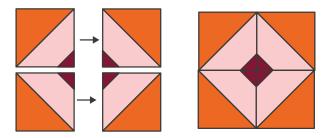
Snowball:

Mark a diagonal line on each 2 1/2" square from fabric B. Snowball each HST by placing a 2 1/2" square on one corner (without a seam), as shown. Sew along the marked line. Trim away the excess fabric leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press.

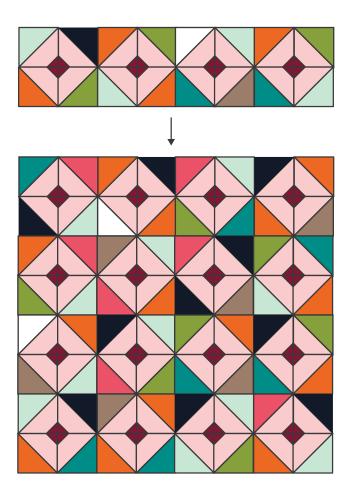


Assemble the Blocks:

Take 4 completed HST units and place them together, matching up the snowball corners in the center. Sew the blocks together creating 1 large unit. Make a total of 20 large units, mixing up all the prints.



Arrange the blocks into 5 rows of 4 large units. Sew the rows together creating the center unit.



Borders:

Sew the 6 strips from fabric B together, end to end. Measure the center unit and cut 2 strips the same length as the sides (to keep the quilt top square, these strips should be cut to the same length, easing in any difference in length from one side to the other.) Sew those to the left and right sides.

Measure the top and bottom of the quilt, cut 2 strips the same length and add those to the quilt, finishing the first border.

To make the outer border, cut the remaining strips from fabric A in any length desired to create a scrappy border. Sew those together in the lengths needed, following the same instructions for the first border.



Quilt, Bind, and Enjoy!

Diamond Prism

