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## BlockBusters

## Cactus Blossom

Made using Studio 180 Design's Corner Beam®, Wing Clipper® I, and Corner Pop® tools



BlockBusters 2016: #26
Difficulty: \*\*\*

All the instruction you need to make the units required for this block can be found in the instructions that came with your Corner Beam® and Wing Clipper® tools. The instructions you need to make the Corner Pops on the base shapes came with your Corner Pop® tool. The instructions include charts, step by step graphics, and directions. Use the chart to find the information you need for the finished size of the unit you want to make, then work your way through the instructions to make your units.

It is always amazing to see how just by rotating the units in different ways you get some very different and interesting blocks. This month we used a new fabric collection now available in stores; City Culture 2 by Island Batik. By keeping the fabric in the same position on the units you can see how different the blocks are as you rotate the units. This is a great opportunity to play with the orientation of the units to make a unique and interesting block. Something else that you will want to do when making your block is to press all the seams on the units open. There are several places in this block that can have some bulky intersections and by pressing the seams open you can reduce some of the bulk that will occur.

## **Cutting Chart**

Unit	# of units required	6" Block	12" Block	18" Block
A: Corner Beam (large)	4	2" finished size 2½" trim size	4" finished size 4½" trim size	6" finished size 6½" trim size
Finished Size/ Cut Away Size on Corner Pop® Tool / Corner Trim Down Line		1" Finished size/ Cut Away size	2" Finished size/ Cut Away size	3" Finished size/ Cut Away size
B: Corner Beam (small)	4	1" finished size 1½" trim size	2" finished size 2½" trim size	3" finished size 3½" trim size
C: Wing Clipper	8	1"x 2" finished size 1½"x 2½"trim size	2"x 4" finished size 2½"x 4½"trim size	3"x 6" finished size 2½"x 4½"trim size

**Unit Summary** 

Unit A



Unit B



Unit C



