

Cherry Blossom



Quilt Featuring fabrics from the **Cherry Blossom** collection by **Chris Chun**
Finished size: 90" x 90"
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Materials

Based on 42" wide fabric

- 3/8 yd Aqua /Multi Geo Blocks (Y0180-2)
- 3/8 yd Brown /Multi Geo Blocks (Y0180-3)
- 3/8 yd Aqua Tonal (Y0181-1)
- 5/8 yd Pink Tonal (Y0181-2)
- 2-1/2 yds Tan Tonal (Y0181-3)
- 3/8 yd Green Tonal (Y0181-4)
- 5/8 yd Aqua Cherry Blossoms (Y0182-1M)
- 5/8 yd Pale Aqua Mayumi Toss (Y0183-1M)
- 3/8 yd Dark Aqua Mayumi Toss (Y0183-4M)
- 3/8 yd Dark Pink Mayumi Toss (Y0183-5M)
- 1-3/8 yds Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss (Y0183-6M)
- 3/8 yd Green Mayumi Toss (Y0183-7M)
- 2-1/4 yds Aqua Azumi Dot (Y0184-1) inc. binding
- 3/8 yd Pink Azumi Dot (Y0184-2)
- 8-1/4 yds Backing of choice

Cut the Fabrics

WOF = Width of Fabric

LOF = Length of Fabric

From each of the following fabrics:

Aqua /Multi Geo Blocks - Brown / Multi Geo Blocks - Aqua Tonal - Green Tonal - Dark Aqua Mayumi Toss - Dark Pink Mayumi Toss - Green Mayumi Toss - Pink Azumi Dot - cut:

- 1 - 9 1/2" x WOF strip

From each of the following fabrics:

Pink Tonal - Aqua Cherry Blossoms w/ Birds - Pale Aqua Mayumi Toss cut:

- 2 - 9 1/2" x WOF strips

From Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss cut:

- 7 - 4 1/2" x WOF strips
- 8 - 1 1/2" x WOF strips - narrow inner border

From Aqua Azumi Dot cut:

- 1 - 9 1/2" x WOF strip
- 9 - 4 1/2" x WOF strips - outer border strips
- 9 - 2 1/2" x WOF strips - binding

From Tan Tonal cut:

- 8 - 8" x WOF strips - wide inner border
- 7 - 2 1/2" x WOF strips - vertical sashing

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Directions

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Cut pieces for the columns:

1. From each of the following fabrics, cut one 9 1/2" x 23" strip (from the strips cut above): Dark Aqua Mayumi Toss - Green Tonal - Green Mayumi Toss - Pink Azumi Dot - Aqua Azumi Dot
2. From each of the following fabrics, cut one 9 1/2" x 18 1/2" strip (as above): Dark Pink Mayumi Toss - Brown /Multi Geo Blocks - Pink Tonal - Pale Aqua Mayumi Toss
3. Set the rest of each of the strips aside for now.
4. Take five of the seven Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss 4 1/2" strips and cut each into a 4 1/2" x 23" and a 4 1/2" x 18 1/2" strip. (Set two strips aside for Step 9.)
5. Sew a Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss 23" strip to each of the 23" strips cut in Step 1.
6. Sew a Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss 18 1/2" strip to each of the 18 1/2" strips cut in Step 2.
7. Press seams toward the Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss strips.
8. Cut each strip set into 4 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles (Fig. 1). Cut 5 rectangles from each of the 23" strips and 4 from each of the 18 1/2" strips.
9. Sew the last two Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss 4 1/2" x WOF strips to the 9 1/2" x WOF Aqua Cherry Blossom strip and Aqua Tonal WOF strip. Press toward the Dark Taupe. Cut each strip set into nine 4 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles.
10. From the extra 4 1/2" x 18 1/2" Dark Taupe strip, cut one 4 1/2" square. From the extra Dark Pink Mayumi Toss WOF strip, cut one 4 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangle. Sew the square to the end of the rectangle and press as above.
11. Cut the strips left over from Steps 1 and 2 (and extra 9 1/2" WOF strips cut at the beginning) into 4 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangles.

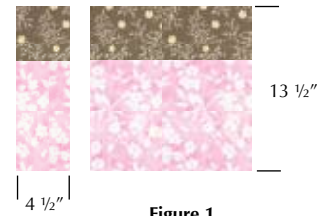


Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4

Piecing the columns:

Note: Handle the pieced columns carefully as they distort easily. Keep them supported on a flat surface, such as a table or ironing board.

1. Starting at the top end of a column, lay out the pieced units (rectangles + dark squares) from Steps 8 and 9 (above) for the left side, referring to the color illustration. Lay out the corresponding rectangles for the right side.
2. Sew the first rectangle on the right to the right side of the first pieced unit, matching the ends (Fig. 2). Press toward the pieced unit.
3. Sew the second rectangle on the right to the unit just completed, matching the end with the dark square. (Fig. 3) Press.
4. Sew the second pieced unit on the left to the unit just completed, matching the seams (Fig. 4) and pressing as above.
5. Repeat Steps 3 and 4, using twelve pieced units in all, and ending with rectangles on the ends.
6. Repeat Steps 1 through 5 for a total of five columns.
7. Carefully trim the long edges, measuring out 6" from the center (top and bottom points of the center squares) (Fig. 5). The full width should be 12" when both sides are trimmed.
8. Trim the ends, squaring them with the sides of the columns, to a length of 65 1/2" (or longer if desired). Trim the ends at the same point, as close as possible, for all of the columns.

Assemble the quilt:

1. Piece the seven 2 1/2" strips of the Tan Tonal together end to end. Measure the length of the pieced columns and cut four strips to this length.
2. Sew one strip to the right edge of each of the first four columns. Press.
3. Sew these together along the other edges, and add the fifth column to the far right edge.
4. Piece together end to end the eight - 8" x WOF strips from the Tan Tonal. Cut two strips to the length used in Step 1. Sew these to the left and right sides of the quilt center. Press.
5. Measure the width of the quilt center and cut two strips to this length. Sew these to the top and bottom edges of the quilt center. Press.
6. Sew the eight - 1 1/2" x WOF strips from the Dark Taupe Mayumi Toss together end to end.
7. Measure the length of the quilt center and cut two strips to this length. Sew these to the left and right edges of the quilt. Press.
8. Measure the width of the quilt center and cut two strips to this length. Sew these to the top and bottom edges of the quilt. Press.
9. Sew the nine 4 1/2" x WOF strips from the Aqua Azumi Dot together end to end. Repeat Steps 7 and 8 to finish the outer border.



Figure 5