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Cosmo Cricket™
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**Quilt Construction**

1. **Sticks:** Fold and press the long sides of the 1” x 22” Red strip to the back a ¼” on each side. Make 42 Sticks.

   ![Diagram](image1)

   Press

   Sticks Make 42-½” x 22”.

   Each Fat Quarter print will be used in 3 blocks. The green, gold & cream solids will each be used 10 times to make the Churn Dashes. The red solid will be used to make 12 Churn Dashes.

2. **Main Block:**

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<td>1–Churn Dash– 4–2” x 6½”</td>
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<td>1–Background– 4–2” x 6½”</td>
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   (A) Place the Stick on the right side of the 6½” Background square as shown in the diagram. **Pin in place.**

   ![Diagram](image2)

   (B) Sew 2–2” x 6½” Churn Dash rectangles to the square, enclosing the Stick in the seams. Press away from the center.

   ![Diagram](image3)

   (C) On the wrong side of the block, mark where the Stick crosses the edges of the Churn Dash rectangles.

   ![Diagram](image4)

   (D) Add 2–2” x 6½” Background rectangles. Transfer the marks to the back of these rectangles. **Move the Stick out of the sewing area.** Sew the rectangles to the block, stopping and starting (be sure to backstitch) at the marks. This will leave an opening for the Stick to be moved to the front of the block.

   ![Diagram](image5)
(E) Press the seams towards the center of the block. Thread the Stick through the holes and press. Appliqué the Stick in place and the holes closed, using a small zigzag stitch and a matching or invisible thread. Trim the Stick even with the sides of the block.

\[12\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6\frac{1}{2}'' \text{ with seams}\]

(F) Layer 1–4”x 4” Churn Dash and 1–4”x 4” Background square right sides together. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the lighter square. Sew ¼” on each side of the diagonal line. Cut on the line. Press open to make 2 half square triangles. Repeat to make a total of 4 half square triangles (HST). If necessary, trim to measure 3½”x 3½” with seams.

\[3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}'' \text{ with seams}\]

(G) Combine 1–2”x 6½” Churn Dash and 1–2”x 6½” Background rectangle. Join a half square triangle to each end. Make 2.

\[12\frac{1}{2}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}'' \text{ with seams}\]

(H) Combine all the sections to make one Main Block. Repeat to make to total of 42 Main Blocks.

*Hint: Cut away the Stick areas that are on the back of the block.*

3. Assemble the quilt top using the 42 Main Blocks. There are 6 blocks in each row. There are 7 rows.

4. Sew the 8–2½”x WOF Binding strips together. Layer, quilt and bind. ENJOY!
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**Fabric Requirements**

Main Blocks: 14 assorted ½ yards
Churn Dash: 3 solid prints ¾ yard of EACH
Red Churn Dash, Sticks & Binding: 2½ yards
Backing: 5½ yards

**Cutting**

Churn Dash:
*You will be making 10 blocks from each of the gold, cream & green solids.*
from EACH of the 3 solids cut:
2–4"x WOF
   subcut 20–4"x 4"
2–6½"x WOF
   subcut 40–6½"x 2"

Backgrounds:
from EACH ½ yard cut:
*You will be making 3 blocks from each Background cut carefully, you will be using 10½" of the 12"*
1–6½"x WOF
   subcut 3–6½"x 6½"
   10–6½"x 2"
1–4"x WOF
   subcut 6–4"x 4"
   2–2½"x 6½"

Red Churn Dash, Sticks and Binding:
*You will be making 12 blocks from the red solid.*
3–6½"x WOF
   subcut 48–6½"x 2"
3–4"x WOF
   subcut 24–4"x 4"
8–2½"x WOF (Binding)
21–1"x WOF
   subcut 42–1"x 22" (Sticks)

Skus used in this quilt are highlighted in red