## Stash Friendly Placemats - APRIL

Fabric: the number in parenthesis () indicates quantity needed for ONE placemat. Multiply for the quantity you are making. Sizes shown are CUT sizes.

Green
(1) $3-7 / 8$ " square

Blue
(1) $3-7 / 8$ " square

Yellow
(1) 3-7/8" square

Brown
(3) $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 3$ "

Background
(1) $16-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 14-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
(2) $3-7 / 8$ " squares
(3) 2" squares
(2) 2 " $\times 3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
(1) $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 14-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
(2) $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$

Construction: See the $1 / 4$ " seam allowance information in the General Instructions

1. Cut the $3-7 / 8$ " squares of Green, Blue, Yellow and Background in half diagonally.

2. On (3) of the Background triangles from Step 1 , fold a $3 / 4$ " $\times 3$ " Brown in half so it is $3 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ by 3 ". Place it on the center of the Background triangle, and stitch $1 / 8$ " from the raw edge. Fold the Brown over the stitching and secure by hand or machine.

3. Stitch each Step 2 Background unit to a colored Triangle cut in Step 1 -- one of each color. They should measure 2" square from raw edge to
raw edge.

4. Diagonally stitch a 2" square of Background across the full colored corner of each umbrella. Trim the excess, and press toward the corner. These units should measure 3-1/2"

square from raw edge to raw edge.
5. Stitch the umbrellas in a stack with $1=1 / 2^{\prime \prime} x$ $3-1 / 2$ " Backgrounds between them and 2 " x 3-1/2" Backgrounds at the top and bottom.
6. Attach a $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 14-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Background to the left of the umbrellas and a 16-1/2" $\times 14-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Background to the right.

Enjoy the April showers, knowing Spring is on its way.


