

## MODERN Gintiques

Hidden Shoo Fly by Rose Ann Cook
Finished Size: 74.5"x 88.5

| SKU/COLOR | DESCRIPTION | 1 KIT | 12 KITS | 24 KITS | 36 KITS |
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| MODR5PK <br> Assorted | Modern Antique <br> $5 \times 5$ Precuts | 6 Packs* | 72 Packs | 144 Packs | 216 Packs |
| $2144-55$ <br> Navy | Leaves | $1-1 / 2$ yd | 18 yds <br> 2 bolts | 36 yds <br> 3 bolts | 54 yds <br> 4 bolts |
| $2146-26$ <br> Coral | Spinnings | $1-1 / 2$ yd | 18 yds <br> 2 bolts | 36 yds <br> 3 bolts | 54 yds <br> 4 bolts |
| $2148-22$ <br> Rose | Borders | 1 yd | 12 yds <br> 1 bolt | 24 yds <br> 2 bolts | 36 yds |
| $2149-07$ <br> Cream | Bloom | 4 yds | 48 yds <br> 4 bolts | 96 yds <br> 7 bolts | 144 yds |



This chart is a general guide for purchasing yardage and is not intended to be used for cutting kits.
Please ask your Benartex sales representative for the final tested pattern before cutting kits.


# Modern Antique Hidden Shoo Fly Quilt 

Designed by Rose Ann Cook
74.5 " $\times 88.5^{\prime \prime}$

## Fabric's Required:

All fabrics are from Benartex's Modern Antique

Six $5 \times 5$ 's of the Modern Antique Quilt fabric collection from Benartex or a fat quarter of 20 small scale fabrics

4 yards Background, border-2149-07
$11 / 2$ yard Sashing-2146-26 (soft pink print)
1 1/2 yard Cornerstones, inside border, Shoo Flys - 2144-55 (Navy leaf print)

1 yard Outside border print 2148-22
(This measurement assumes that you will piece the outside border. If you wish to avoid doing so, then you will need $21 / 2$ yards of the border print and you will have lots left over!

## CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

TO AVOID PIECING YOUR BORDERS, I recommend that you cut them first on LOF (Length of fabric) and set aside.

Cut 4 strips - $51 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 80$ " Cream Background Fabric (This will give you leeway for trimming later) Cut 4 strips - $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 80 "$ Navy Leaf Print for inside border (This will give you leeway for trimming later) Cut 4 strips - $21 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 90$ " FUSSY CUT the Outside border print to center fabric design in the middle of the strips.

## CUTTING FOR BLOCKS

For 20 blocks (as shown in picture of quilt above), you will need to cut the following: $637 / 8$ " squares of each of the color fabrics that you will use for that block
$16037 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ squares of background fabric
$4037 / 8$ " squares of the dark Shoo Fly fabric

## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS:

With a fabric pencil, mark one diagonal line on all of the light background
 squares, from one corner to the opposite corner.


With right sides together, lay the light background square on top of one of your color squares. Sew $1 / 4$ " away from the drawn line on both sides (designated by the dotted line on the diagram at left. Cut on the solid line, press the seam allowance to the darker fabric. Repeat the process until all background/color half square triangles (HST) are completed. You need 12 background/ color HSTs per block. Then repeat the process with the background fabric and the dark Shoo
Fly fabric. You need 4 of those HSTs per block - (total 80 for all 20 blocks).

Referring to the picture on right, lay out your HSTs as shown. Sew the units into rows and press the seam allowance open. Lay the rows out to ensure that they are in the proper position. Sew the rows together to create the block, pinning as needed to line up the seams. Press seams open. Continue until all 20 blocks are sewn.

## CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR REST OF QUILT

## Sashing

Cut 49 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" strips from the pink sashing fabric
Cut $3021 / 2$ " squares from the Navy Leaf print Cornerstone fabric

## Shoo Fly Cornerstone blocks (4)

Cut 8 2 1/2" background squares (HST technique)
Cut 16 21/8" background squares
Cut 82 1/2" Navy Leaf print squares (HST technique)
Cut $421 / 8$ " Navy Leaf print (center of block)

## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS:

Using the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ background and dark squares and the HST technique from previous page to create 16 HSTs (4 for each block). Refer to the picture at left to lay out the units with the $21 / 8$ " squares. Sew the units into rows, press seam allowance to the darker fabric. Sew the rows into the Shoo Fly block. Make 4. These are the cornerstones in the border. The blocks should measure 5 1/2" unfinished.

## Sash

Refer to the picture above. With right sides together, alternate a $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ cornerstone square with a pink sashing strip. Press the seam allowance to the sashing strip always. Make 6 of these. Set aside.

Refer to the photo on the front page. Sew the long edge of a sashing strip to a block, matching the corners and easing in any variances where necessary. Make 5 rows of 4 blocks with sashing in between each one. Be sure to start and stop with a sashing strip as shown in the picture. Press the seam allowances towards the sashing strips. Starting and ending with a Cornerstone/sashing strip row, alternate with the sashing/block rows. Press seam allowances to the sashing where possible to relieve bulk. This becomes your quilt center.

Measure the width of the quilt center. Cut two of your skinny first border strips to that measurement. With right sides together, sew one to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press seam allowance to the border. Measure the height of the quilt including the newly added border. Cut the remaining two strips of the border to that measurement and sew those to the left and right sides of the quilt. Press.

Measure the new width and height the quilt center; write down those numbers. Cut two of the $51 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ cream border strips to the width measurement, with right sides together, sew one to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press in the same manner as above. Cut the remaining cream border strips to the height measurement. Sew a Shoo Fly block to each end of these border strips. Sew these to the remaining sides of the quilt.

Finally, using your favorite mitering technique, sew the remaining border strips to the quilt center. Quilt as desired and enjoy!

