Tumbler Scrap Quilt – a simple scrap fabric quilt design by Mary Hogan

Each tumbler is cut so that the top edge is 6.5 inches and the height is 6.5 inches. The bottom edge is 3.5 inches and is centered relative to the top. The finished tumbler is 6 inches wide at the widest point and is 6 inches tall and the bottom finished width is 3 inches.

Cutting Instructions: For a quilt that measures about 60 inches by 78 inches without added borders you will need 13 rows with 14 tumblers in each row (a total of 182 tumblers). Use many different coordinating fabrics for a scrap quilt.

Just a few other design options:

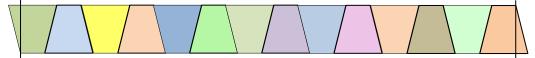
Alternate light and dark colors Alternate prints and white or prints and black Use only two fabrics and alternate them

Construction:

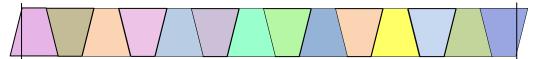
For each row, sew tumblers together into seven sets of two.



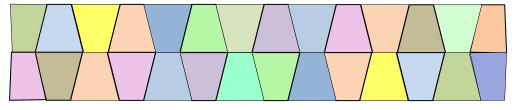
Sew the tumbler sets together into a row. Trim both ends of the row as shown



Make a second row of tumblers as shown below and trim the ends.



Sew these two rows together, matching up the wide and narrow ends of the tumblers.



Continue to make sets of two rows and sewing them together. There will be one additional row. Arrange all the rows and row sets until you like the arrangement and then sew all the rows together.

Finishing:

Add borders or more blocks if desired. Layer, quilt and bind the quilt.

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