# Urban Classics

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**City Blocks** quilt by Nancy Mahoney featuring her *Urban Classics* collection for P&B Textiles • Quilt Size: 57"x 67"

### Yardage

Fabric A (UCLA 981 P)	½ yard
Fabric B (UCLA 983 T)	$\frac{1}{4}$ yard
Fabric C (UCLA 984 B)	⅓ yard
Fabric D (UCLA 988 T)	$\frac{1}{2}$ yard
Fabric E (UCLA 985 S)	⅓ yard
Fabric F (UCLA 982 S)	²⁄₃ yard
Fabric G (UCLA 988 P)	⅓ yard
Fabric H (UCLA 982 G)	$\frac{1}{4}$ yard
Fabric I (UCLA 984 R)	⅓ yard
Fabric J (UCLA 985 T)	$\frac{1}{4}$ yard
Fabric K (UCLA 981 B)	$\frac{1}{2}$ yard
Fabric L (UCLA 986 B)	⅓ yard
Fabric M (CSNE W - white solid)	1 ¾ yard
Backing: 3 3/4 yards of any UCLA fabric	



Quilt top assembly diagram

## **Cutting**

All strips are cut across the width of the fabric.

#### From fabric A (UCLA 981 P), cut:

• (1) 12 ½" x 42" strip; cut into (5) 7 ½" x 12 ½" rectangles

#### From fabric B (UCLA 983 T), cut:

• (1) 3 ½" x 42" strip; cut into (10) 3 ½" squares

#### From fabric C (UCLA 984 B), cut:

• (2) 5 ½" x 42" strips; cut into (10) 5 ½" squares

#### From fabric D (UCLA 988 T), cut:

• (7) 2 1/4" x 42" binding strips

#### From fabric E (UCLA 985 S), cut:

• (6) 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 42" strips; cut into (10) 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 12  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and (10) 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 9" strips

#### From fabric F (UCLA 982 S), cut:

• (6) 3" x 42" outer-border strips

#### From fabric G (UCLA 988 P), cut:

(2)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" strips; cut into (10)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

#### From fabric H (UCLA 982 G), cut:

• (1) 3 ½" x 42" strip; cut into (10) 3 ½" squares

#### From fabric I (UCLA 984 R), cut:

• (2) 5 ½" x 42" strips; cut into (10) 5 ½" squares

#### From fabric J (UCLA 985 T), cut:

• (1) 3 ½" x 42" strip; cut into (10) 3 ½" squares

#### From fabric K (UCLA 981 B), cut:

• (1) 12 ½" x 42" strip; cut into (5) 7 ½" x 12 ½" rectangles

#### From fabric L (UCLA 986 B), cut:

• (6) 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 42" strips; cut into (10) 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 12  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips and (10) 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 9" strips

#### From fabric M (CSNE W), cut:

- (1) 14" x 42" strip; cut into (20) 1 1/4" x 14" strips
- (1) 10 ½" x 42" strip; cut into (20) 1 ¼" x 10 ½" strips
- (3) 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" strips; cut into (60) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles and (8) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles
- (2) 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" strips; cut into (52) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles (combined total of 60 rectangles)
- (6) 1 ½" x 42" inner-border strips

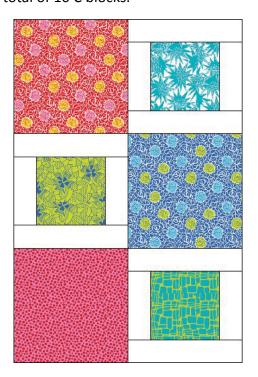
## **Block Assembly**

- **1**. Sew 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 12  $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric E strips to opposite sides of a fabric A rectangle. Sew 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 9" fabric E strips to the top and bottom of the fabric A rectangle to make a rectangular unit. Make 10 units.
- **2**. Sew 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 14" fabric M strips to opposite sides of a unit from step 1. Sew 1  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 10  $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric M strips to the top and bottom of the unit to complete one A block. The block should measure 10  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 15  $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Make a total of 5 A blocks.



- **3**. Repeat steps 1 and 2, using the fabric K rectangles, fabric L strips, and fabric M strips to make 5 B blocks.
- **4**. Sew 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric M strips to opposite sides of a fabric B square. Sew 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric M strips to the top and bottom of the fabric B square to make a unit. Make 10 units.
- **5**. Repeat step 4 using (20) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric M strips, (20) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 5  $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric M strips, and the fabric H squares to make 10 units.
- **6**. Repeat step 4 using the remaining  $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x  $3 \frac{1}{2}$ " and  $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x  $5 \frac{1}{2}$ " fabric M strips, and the fabric J squares to make 10 units.

**7**. Lay out one fabric I square, one fabric C square, one fabric G square, and one unit each from steps 4–6 in three rows as shown. Join the pieces into rows and then join the rows to complete one C block. The block should measure  $10 \frac{1}{2}$ " x  $15 \frac{1}{2}$ ". Make a total of 10 C blocks.



## **Quilt Assembly**

- **8**. Lay out the blocks in four rows of five blocks each, alternating the blocks as shown in the photo. Join the blocks into rows and then join the rows.
- **9**. Join the  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" fabric K strips end to end to make a long strip. Measure the length of the quilt top. From the long strip, cut two fabric K strips to this length and sew them to the sides of the quilt top. Measure the width of the quilt top. From the remaining strip, cut two fabric K strips to this length and sew them to the top and bottom of the quilt top to complete the inner border.
- **10**. Repeat step 8, using the fabric F strips for the outer border.
- **11**. Layer the quilt top with batting and backing; baste. Quilt as desired. Using the fabric D binding strips, bind the edges to finish.