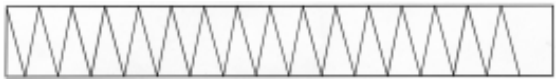
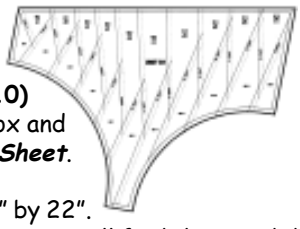
Spike Template A: 288 pieces: Bag #2:

Cut three **(3)** 5-1/4" by 42" strips from each of the four **(4)** fabrics. Use Spike Template A, and crosscut the strips into thirty **(30)** pieces. Cut seventy-two **(72)** pieces from each color. Keep the colors separated and clip them together with a binder clip. Place these pieces in Bag #2.



One strip yields 30 or 31 pieces.

Unit B1: 10 Units: Bag #3:



We have grouped together all ten **(10)** B1 Background Templates into one box and called it ***Unit B1 Template Layout Sheet***.

The layout sheet is 13-7/8" by 22". If you study the layout sheet you will find that we did not assign cut lines for this page. Instead of cutting on designated lines, you will cut around the individual boxes for each template. Each individual box was designed with two **(2)** of the same template pieces as shown to the left. This was done to simplify the cutting process for each template.

Note: The B1 Templates are directional, the fabrics must be opened, stacked and layered right-side-up before cutting any fabric.

Cutting Instructions: Background fabrics 1-5 are used to cut the pieces on this unit. Use the five **(5)** 15" by 42" background strips that you placed in Bag #3 earlier to cut the following pieces.

1. Cut one **(1)** 11" by 17" rectangle from each fabric numbered 1-4. Set these pieces aside into Bag #4.

2. Cut one **(1)** 15" by 23" rectangle off each of the five **(5)** background fabrics.

3. Stack and layer the five **(5)** background fabrics ***right-side-up.***

4. Center the layout sheets onto your fabrics leaving about 1/4" of fabric extending beyond the perimeter of the ***Template Layout Sheet.*** Remember, the cut lines were not added to this layout sheet. Instead, cut around each individual template box as shown to the right. Slice through the paper and fabric at the same time when cutting out the boxes. Cut each box on the diagonal cut line. This will leave you with ten **(10)** pieces for each of the B1 Background Templates.

Once the boxes are cut apart, clip the templates and fabric pieces together for each section. Place these pieces into Bag #3. ***Note: Don't mix up the fabrics in each stack. The fabrics are sewn onto the foundation papers by sewing a different color on each section. We will go over this again in the sewing process.***

Unit B1, Spike Templates B1: You should have a B1, Spike Template for each of the following sections. Sec. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, and 21:

The large spike fabric is used to cut the pieces for the spikes. If you look at the Spike Templates you will notice again, each paper template includes two **(2)** pieces.

Note: The B1, Spike Templates are also directional so the fabric strips must be opened, stacked and layered right-side-up before you can cut any fabric pieces with your templates.

Cutting Instructions: Cut twenty-two **(22)** 2-3/4" by 42" strips across the grain line. Open and stack the strips ***right-side-up*** into the following sets. ***Note: If you are using four different fabrics, mix the strips and treat them as one fabric.***

1. Strip Set One: Open and stack five **(5)** strips ***right-sides-up*** into one **(1)** pile. Place the following B1, Spike Templates for Sec. 21, Sec. 13, and Sec. 9 onto your strips. Cut the fabric between each template. Then slice the template and fabric pieces on the Cut Line to yield ten **(10)** pieces.

Sec. 21 **Sec. 13** **Sec. 9**

2. Strip Set Two: Open and stack five **(5)** strips ***right-sides-up*** into one **(1)** pile. Place the following B1, Spike Templates for Sec. 19, Sec. 17, Sec. 5 and Sec. 3 onto your strips. Cut the fabric between each template. Then slice on the Cut Line to yield ten **(10)** pieces.

Sec. 19 **Sec. 17** **Sec. 5** **Sec. 3**

3. Strip Set Three: Open and stack five **(5)** strips ***right-sides-up*** into one **(1)** pile. Place the following B1, Spike Templates for Sec. 15, Sec. 11, and Sec. 7 onto your strips. Cut the fabric between each template. Then slice on the Cut Line to yield ten **(10)** pieces.

Sec. 15 **Sec. 11** **Sec. 7**

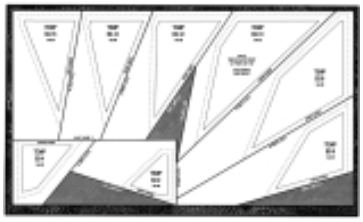
4. Strip Set Four: Open one **(1)** strip and position ***right-side-up.*** Place the B1 Spike Template for Sec. 1 on your strip. Cut and stack five **(5)** fabric pieces. Then slice on the Cut Line to yield ten **(10)** pieces.

After the fabric pieces are cut, clip the templates and fabric pieces together for each section. Place these pieces into Bag #3.

Set the remaining six **(6)** strips aside for the B2 Corner Units.

Unit B2, Cutting Instructions: 4 Units: Bag #4:

Unit B2, Template Layout Sheet:
B1, Spike Templates:



Background Fabric: Stack the four **(4)** 11" by 17" rectangles, previously cut from your background fabric, ***right-side-up***. Center the ***B2 Template Layout Sheet*** onto this stack leaving about 1/4" of fabric extending beyond the perimeter of the ***Template Layout Sheet.***