67" BY 75"

LOG CABIN CUTOUTS ^o Copyright April 2013 OSPREY'S NEST YARDAGE

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Alternative Yardage if Making Log Cabin Cutouts with the Osprey's Nest Cutouts

The directions included herein are provided if you would like to make the Log Cabin Cutouts pattern after completing the Osprey's Nest instead of Cabin Fever. This will require that you purchase additional yardage to that shown on the back of the pattern instructions for Log Cabin Cutouts.

After completing the Osprey's Nest, you will have **(78)** cutout arcs left over and a very limited amount of fabric. **(78)** cutouts is enough to make the Log Cabin Cutouts on the coversheet, which requires **(50)** cutout arcs.

However, the Cabin Fever pattern has enough yardage left over to also complete the pieced border and spikes in the star units. The Osprey's Nest does not. Another key difference in the patterns is that Cabin Fever is made out of all medium and dark fabrics, whereas, Osprey's Nest is either lights or darks. So, you will have (39) light arcs and (39) dark arcs.

It is recommended that **(38)** dark arcs are used to complete the Log Cabin Cutouts (Osprey's Nest Version) and **(12)** light arcs are used. The **(12)** light arcs can be used anywhere throughout the pattern (away from the borders). Dark background fabrics will be needed to provide the contrast against the light arcs.

DARK FABRIC YARDAGE (ADDITIONAL PATTERN):

1/2 Yard of Three Dark Background Fabrics (26) Fat Eighths in a variety of dark colors

DARK FABRIC CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

You will need the following cut from your dark fabrics:

- (38) 6" x 6-1/2" Unit LCS Spike rectangles
- (50) 4" x 12" rectangles (Pieced Border)
- (12) Background Pieces (cut with the Background Template)
- (12) 6-1/2" x 7-1/4" Unit LCS Background rectangles





LIGHT FABRIC YARDAGE (Included in Pattern Instructions):

Refer to the back of the Log Cabin Cutouts Pattern for the yardage needed of the light fabrics. With this revised yardage information, you will have a little background yardage left over, but not much.

LIGHT FABRIC CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Follow the directions in the pattern, but note that you will need to change your subcutting as follows:

From page 2, 'Cutting Instructions for Unit LCS Background Fabrics, Bag #1':

Reserve (12) of the (50) $6-1/2" \times 7-1/4"$ rectangles for cutting LCS Spikes, instead of backgrounds. Refer to 'Cutting Instructions Unit LCS Spikes, Bag #1', on page 3. Note that these (12) reserved rectangles will be marginally larger than the $6-1/2" \times 6"$ rectangles described in the directions. Simply trim to $6-1/2" \times 6"$ rectangles and cut the spikes. Make sure these are paired with the DARK Unit LCS Background pieces during the piecing process.

From Page 2, Cutting Instructions for background Templates and Squares, follow the instructions in the pattern, but only cut the following Background Pieces:

• (38) Background Pieces (cut with the Background Template)

EXTERIOR BORDER (Follow the Pattern).

General Hints:

- 1. Pair the Dark LCS Backgrounds with the Light Spikes and dark spikes with Light LCS Backgrounds. It may be helpful to clip them together prior to piecing and piece them separately.
- 2. The layout may be a little different than the cover Log Cabin Layouts because you have dark pieces included. Play with the layout of the 8" finished blocks before sewing them all togehther to find your favorite layout.
- 3. An example of one revised layout is provided on the pattern page for Log Cabin Cutouts online.

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