

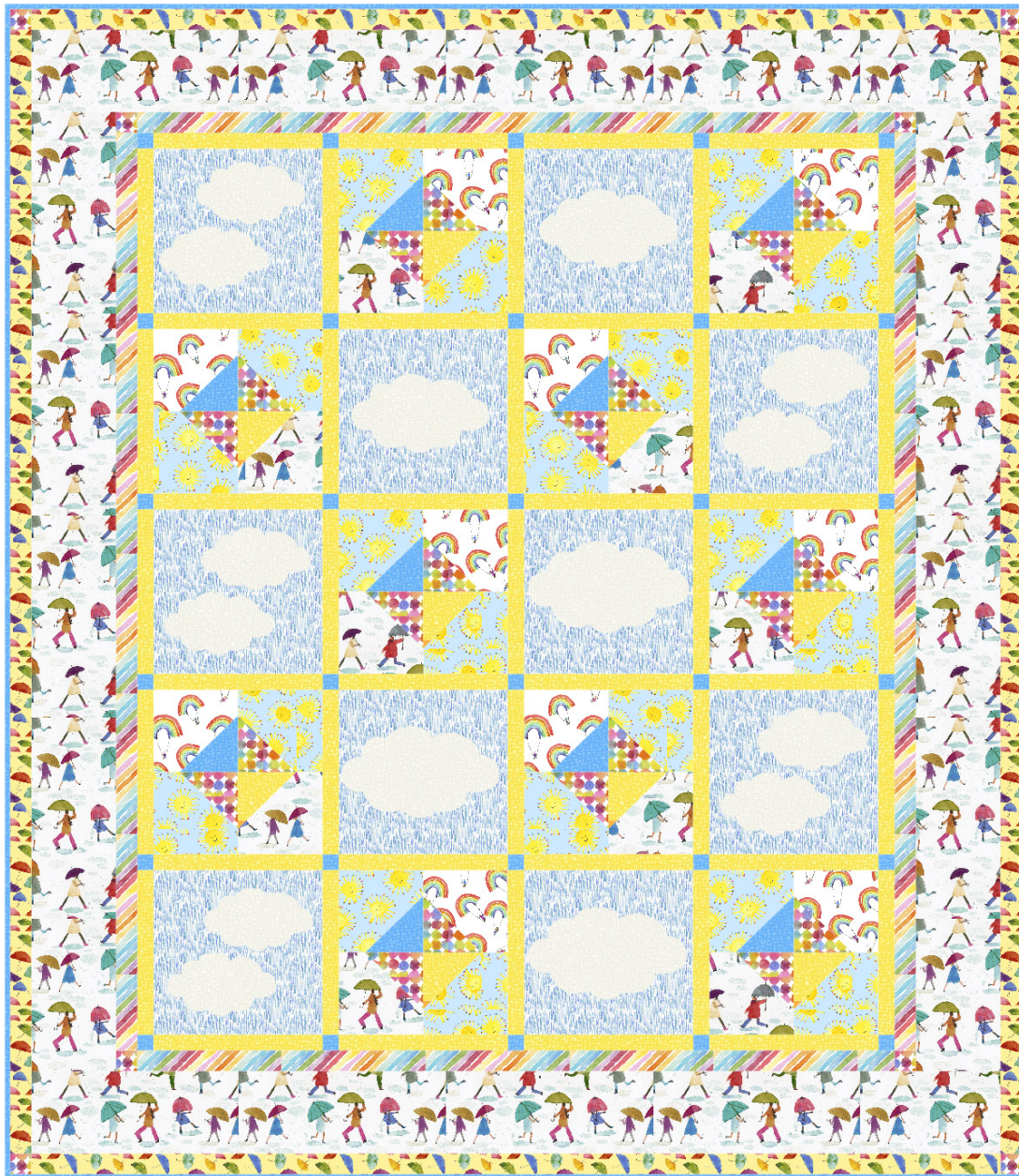
Raindrops and Rainbows

designed by Marsha Evans Moore

featuring Rain or Shine fabric collection by Maria Carluccio

SIZE: 48-1/4" x 57"

FREE
PROJECT





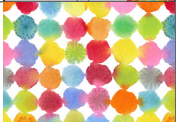





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Please note: Please read the entire pattern before you begin. Large and small cloud templates are found on pages 6. See instructions for cutting using fusible webbing. Cut the pieces from fabric indicated below.

KEY	FABRIC	SKU	YD	CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS
A		51646Q-X Multi	1-3/8	BORDER 2: (2) 4-1/2" x 47" LOF borders and (3) 4-1/2" x 33" WOF strips; sew ends of WOF strips together. Subcut (2) 4-1/2" x 46-1/4" borders. (2) 4-1/2" x 33" WOF strips; subcut (10) 4-1/2" squares.
B		51647Q-X Multi	3/8	(2) 4-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut (10) 4-1/2" squares.
C		51648Q-X Multi	1/3	(2) 3-1/8" x WOF strips; subcut (20) 3-1/8" squares and (8) 1-1/2" squares.
D		51649Q-X Multi	1/4	Border 1: (4) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; sew ends of strips together. Subcut (2) 1-1/2" x 45" borders and (2) 1-1/2" x 36-1/4" borders.
E		51650Q-2 Blue	1/2	(3) 4-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut (20) 4-1/2" squares.
F		51651Q-3 Yellow	1/3	BORDER 3: (5) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; sew ends of strips together. Subcut (2) 1-1/2" x 55" borders and (2) 1-1/2" x 46-1/4" borders.
G		51652Q-2 Blue	7/8	(3) 8-1/2" x WOF; subcut (10) 8-1/2" squares.
H		50087-23 Canary	3/4	(2) 8-1/2" X WOF; subcut (49) 8-1/2" x 1-1/4" strips. (1) 3-1/8" x WOF; subcut (10) 3-1/8" squares

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I		50087-42 White on white	1/2	(5) Large Clouds and (10) Small Clouds.
J		50087-66 Cerulean	3/4	Binding: (6) J 2-1/4" x WOF strips; sew ends together on the diagonal. (1) 3-1/8" x WOF; subcut (10) 3-1/8" squares. (2) 1-1/4" x WOF: subcut (30) 1-1/4" squares.
		Backing	3-1/8	Batting 57" x 65"

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Thread to match fabrics

Basic sewing supplies

For raw edge appliqué: fusible webbing

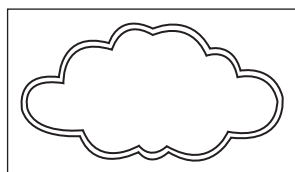
Sewing machine

Rotary cutter, ruler and mat

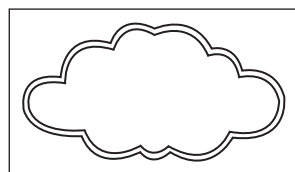
For turned edge appliqué: paper or freezer paper

NOTE: If you choose to use a fusible appliqué technique, place paper-backed fusible webbing rectangle over the cloud pattern. Trace along the solid seamline and along the red dashed line. Cut out the center along the inner line. Fuse the rectangle to the wrong side of the fabric. Cut the cloud out along the outer line. Remove the paper backing and fuse to position on 8-1/2" E squares.

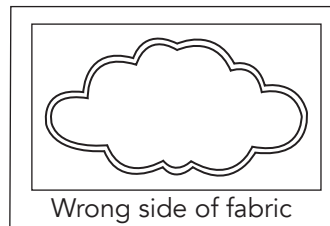
Trace



Cut out center



Fuse



Cut out cloud

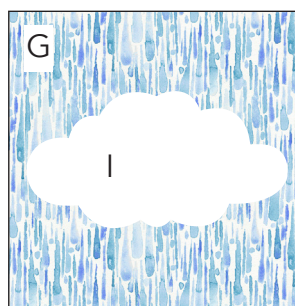


APPLIQUÉ BLOCKS

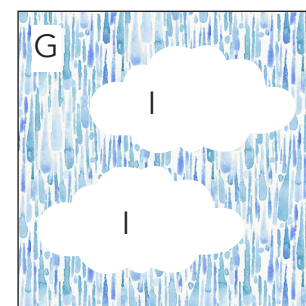
1. Using your favorite appliqué method, prepare the large and small cloud appliqué pieces from fabric I.

2. Position the appliqué clouds on the E 8-1/2" squares and sew them in place. Blocks should measure 12-1/2" square including seam allowance. Make 5 of each.

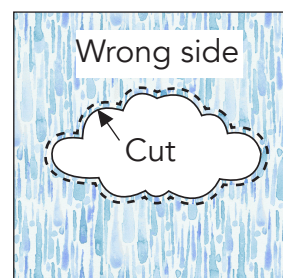
3. Cut out the background fabric behind the clouds along the inner edge of the zigzag machine appliqué or about 3/16" from the hand stitching so background does not show through white fabric clouds.



Make 5



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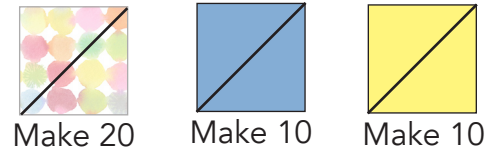




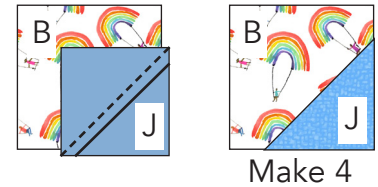
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PATCHWORK BLOCKS

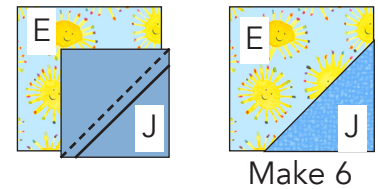
4. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (20) **C**, (10) **H** and (10) **J** 3-1/8" squares.



5. Lay (1) **J** 3-1/8" on the lower right corner of (1) **B** 4-1/2" square with right sides together noting orientation of larger square. Sew along the drawn line. Trim the fabric 1/4" from the stitching as indicated by the solid line. Press the **J** piece open to complete the square unit.



6. In the same way, sew (1) **J** 3-1/8" square to the lower right corner of (1) **E** 4-1/2" square.



7. In the same way, sew (1) **C** 3-1/8" square to the lower left corner of (1) **B** 4-1/2" square and (1) **E** 4-1/2" square. Make the indicated number.

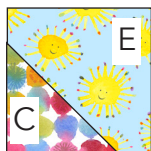
8. In the same way, sew (1) **C** 3-1/8" square to the upper right corner of (1) **A** 4-1/2" square and (1) **E** 4-1/2" square. Make the indicated number.

9. In the same way, sew (1) **H** 3-1/8" square to the upper left corner of (1) **A** 4-1/2" square and (1) **E** 4-1/2" square. Make the indicated number.

Step 7



Make 6

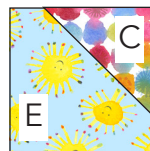


Make 4

Step 8



Make 6

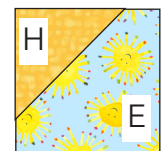


Make 4

Step 9



Make 4

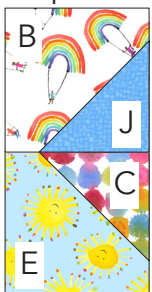


Make 6

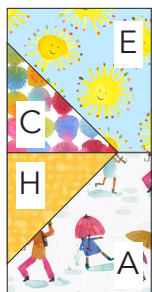
10. Sew the square units together in pairs matching the seams as shown.

11. Sew the square unit pairs together to make Blocks 1 and 2. Blocks should measure 8-1/2" square including seam allowance. Make the indicated number.

Step 10



Make 4



Make 4



Make 6



Make 6

Step 11



Block 1 - Make 4



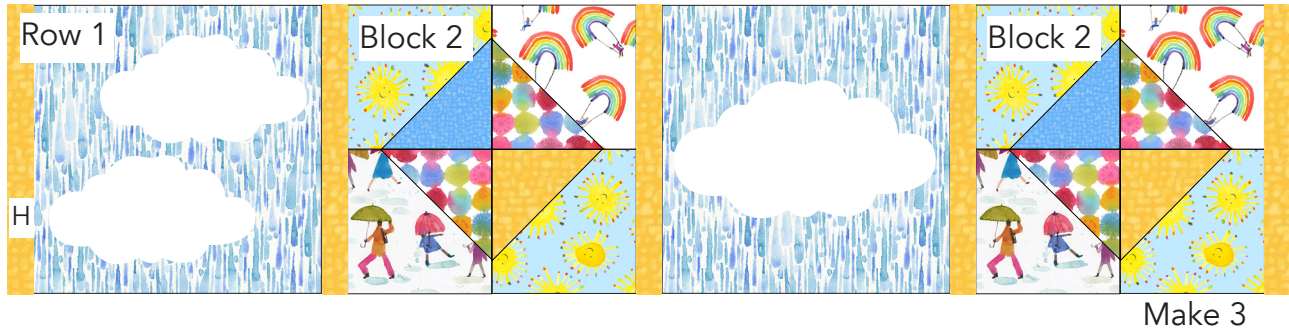
Block 2 - Make 6



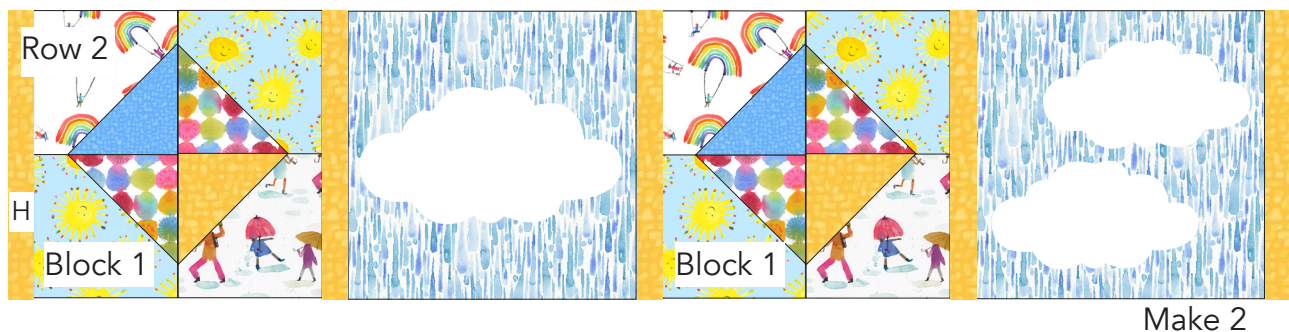
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QUILT ASSEMBLY

12. Sew (5) 1-1/4" x 8-1/2" **H** strips alternating with (1) small cloud block, (1) Block 2, (1) large cloud block, and (1) Block 2 to make Row 1. Make 3.



13. Sew (5) **H** 1-1/4" x 8-1/2" strips alternating with (1) Block 1, (1) large cloud block, (1) Block 1 and (1) small cloud block, to make Row 2. Make 2.



14. Sew (5) **J** 1-1/4" squares alternating with (4) **H** 1-1/4" x 8-1/2" strips to make sashing rows. Make 6.



15. Following the layout diagram on page 5, sew the sashing strips and block rows 1 and 2 together matching seams.

BORDERS

16. Sew (1) **D** 1-1/2" x 45" border to sides of quilt. Sew (1) **C** 1-1/2" square to both ends of (2) **D** 1-1/2" x 36-1/4" borders. Sew to top and bottom of quilt.

17. Sew (1) **A** 4-1/2" x 47" borders to sides of quilt. Sew (1) **A** 4-1/2" x 46-1/4" border to top and bottom of quilt.

18. Sew (1) **F** 1-1/2" x 55" border to sides of quilt. Sew (1) **C** 1-1/2" square to both ends of (2) **F** 1-1/2" x 46-1/4" borders. Sew to top and bottom of quilt.

FINISHING: Layer quilt top, batting and backing together to form quilt sandwich. Baste and quilt as desired. Bind using **J** 2-1/4" strips.



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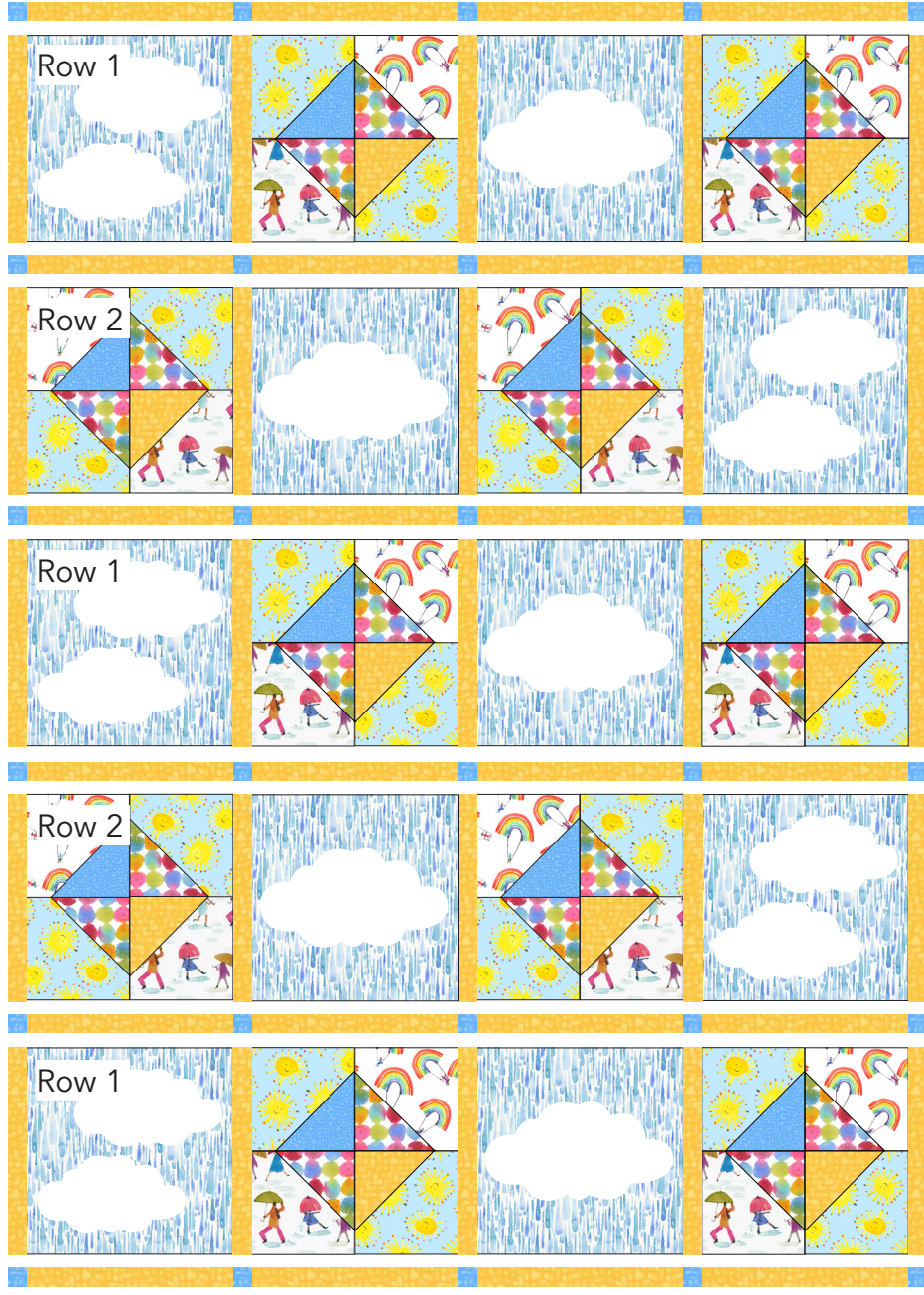
QUILT LAYOUT



F 1-1/2" x 55"



D 1-1/2" x 45"

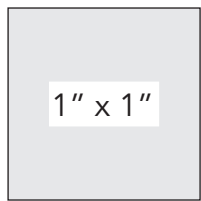
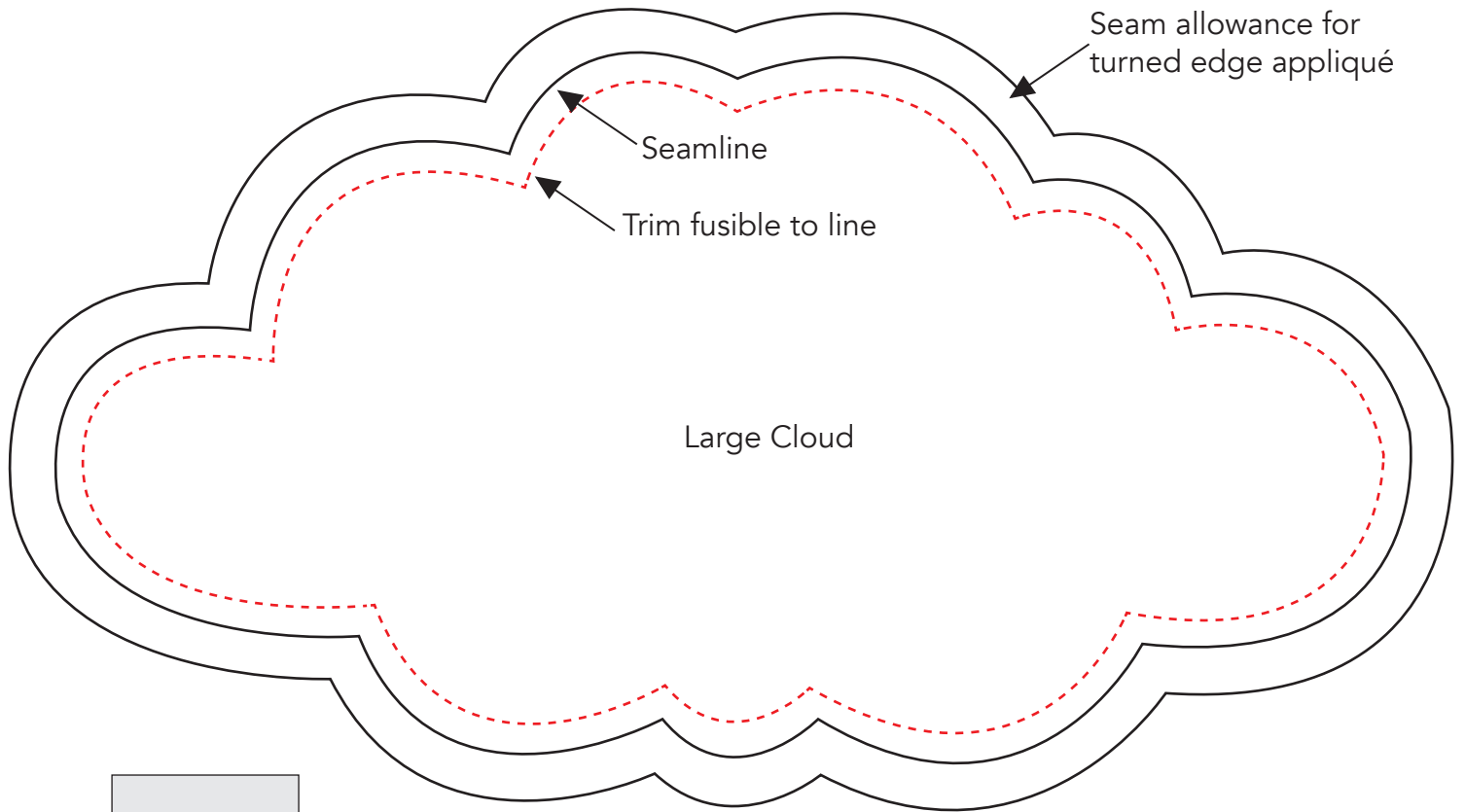




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Appliqué Patterns

Patterns appear in reverse, ready to trace to fusible web or freezer paper.



1" x 1"

Print at 100%.

