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## Tummy Time

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43 \text { 3/4" × 42" }
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Fabric Requirements:
Charm Pack of 40 squares
Background fabric \& binding-12/3 yd

## Cutting:

- From the Charm Pack, cut each 5" square in half to make forty $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles. You may have 42 squares in your Charm Pack so you could have extra.
- From the Background fabric cut six strips the width-of-fabric (WOF) each 2 3/4" wide. Re-cut these into eighty $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles.

For the borders cut five strips $51 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ WOF.
For the binding cut five strips $21 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ WOF.
Piecing:

- Take one of the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{\prime \prime}$ charm rectangles and one of the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ background rectangles and place them right sides together matching the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ sides. Sew $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam.
- Repeat with the rest of the charm rectangles and background squares.
- Press towards the charm fabric.
- Using your design wall or the floor, lay out the units with each row's charm fabric going in the opposite direction. Place the colors however you prefer.
- Sew the rows units together into rows. Press toward the charm fabric.
- Sew the rows together. Press in one direction.
- Cut one of the border strips in half. Sew one of these shorter borders to one of the longer borders and press seam.
- Sew a shorter border on to the quilt at the top and bottom, trim and press towards the border.
- Sew the longer borders on to the sides of the quilt, trim and press towards the border.
- Layer with batting and backing.
- Quilt as desired.
- Apply binding with your favorite technique.

