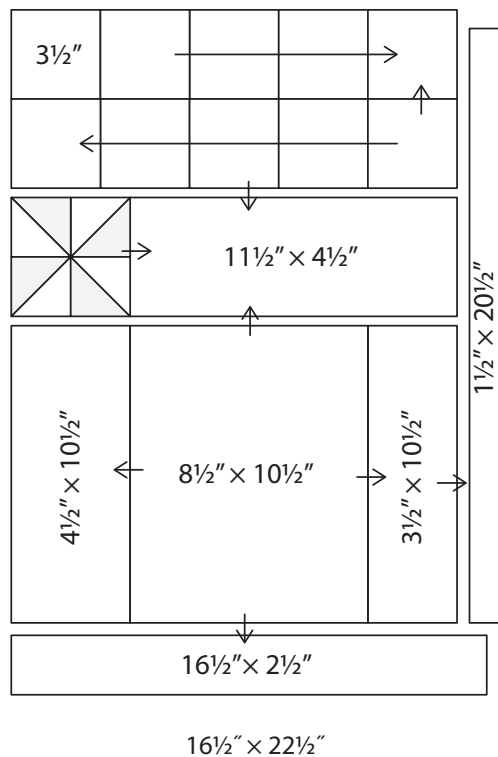


# Block 9 – Squirrely Girl



Measurements are unfinished sizes.  
Use  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams. Press in direction of arrows.  
**Pay attention to directional fabrics.**  
They are marked with (\*).

## BACKGROUND CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

It's Fall Y'all Stripe Ivory-Apricot:\*

(1)  $11\frac{1}{2}" \times 4\frac{1}{2}"$

Mad For Plaid Pumpkin:

(1)  $4\frac{1}{2}" \times 10\frac{1}{2}"$

Grunge Vanilla:

(1)  $8\frac{1}{2}" \times 10\frac{1}{2}"$

Pie Dots Ivory:

(1)  $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 10\frac{1}{2}"$

Pumpkin Parade Latte:\*

(1)  $16\frac{1}{2}" \times 2\frac{1}{2}"$  (cut lengthwise)

Bella Tan:

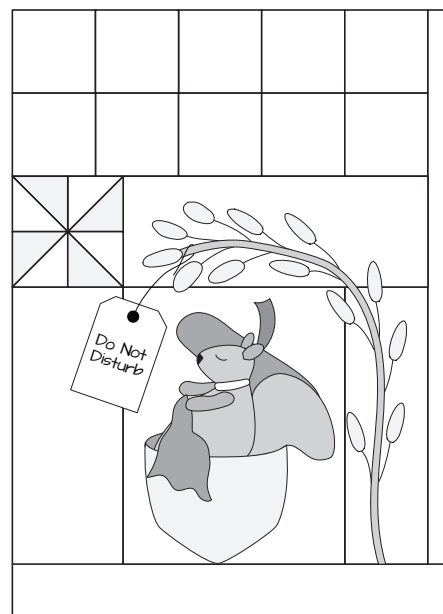
(1)  $1\frac{1}{2}" \times 20\frac{1}{2}"$

Pie Dots Latte:

(5)  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  squares

Squirrel Toile Apricot:\*

(5)  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  squares



## ASSEMBLY DIRECTIONS:

- Following color photo and diagram, sew the backgrounds and one pinwheel together, leaving off the bottom  $16\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ " strip until appliqué is complete. Press in direction of arrows.
- Prepare appliqué using your favorite method. Cut 19" of  $\frac{1}{4}$ " bias for flower stem.
- Place the pattern, squirrel, and tag right side up over a lightbox or other light source. Trace the eyes, nose, hole in tag, and wording.
- Place appliqué on background following color photo, numbers, and instructions on pattern. Insert end of stem into seam allowance. Pin or glue-baste in place.
- Place the block back over pattern and trace leaf stems and tag string onto background.
- Complete appliqué, attach the bottom strip, and then complete embroidery.

## EMBROIDERY: USE 2 STRANDS BROWN FLOSS

- **Squirrel's Eye & Nose:** Outline with tiny backstitch, fill in with satin stitch.
- **Stems:** Stem stitch
- **Tag String:** Stem stitch
- **Hole in Tag:** Satin Stitch
- **Wording:** Backstitch