FABRICS are from the Mod Tropics collection from Paintbrush Studio (pbsfabrics.com).
Project: Woven Ribbons Band

Materials
- 1—10” square each solid black and light orange, dark orange, light blue, and dark blue prints (band)
- ½ yard black print (band)
- ¼ yard white print (pillowcase body)

Finished pillowcase: 30×20” (fits a standard-size pillow)

Yardages and cutting instructions are based on 42” of usable fabric width.

Measurements include ¼” seam allowances for piecing blocks and pillowcase construction. Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated.

Cut Fabrics
From solid black, cut:
- 10—1¼” squares
From light orange print, cut:
- 5—1¼x3” rectangles
- 5—1¼” squares
From dark orange print, cut:
- 5—1¼x3” rectangles
From light blue print, cut:
- 4—1¼x3” rectangles
- 1—1¼” square
From dark blue print, cut:
- 4—1¼x3” rectangles
- 4—1⅛” squares
From black print, cut:
- 1—5⅛x40¼” strip
- 1—5⅛x21¼” strip
- 1—5⅛x2” rectangle
From white print, cut:
- 1—25⅛x41” rectangle

The unit should be 3” square including seam allowances.

1. Assemble Band

   Referring to Band Assembly Diagram, lay out units A–C, four dark blue print 1¼x3” rectangles, and five light orange 1⅛x3” rectangles in two rows. Sew pieces together in rows, pressing seams in opposite directions. Join rows to make a pieced unit. Press seam in one direction.

   2. Sew black print 5⅛x2” rectangle and black print 5⅛x21⅛” rectangle to pieced unit (Band Assembly Diagram), pressing seams in one direction, to make a pieced strip. The strip should be 5⅛x40⅛” including seam allowances.

   3. Join pieced strip and black print 5⅛x40⅛” strip. Press seam in one direction. Join short ends to make a loop. Press seam in one direction. Add a dark orange 1⅛x3” rectangle to make Unit A. Press seam in one direction.

   4. Repeat Step 1 to make five A units total.

   5. Repeat Step 4 to make four C units total.

Assemble Pillowcase
1. Fold white print 25⅛x41” rectangle in half to form a 25⅛x20½” rectangle. Using a ½” seam allowance, sew together set of long edges and one set of short edges to make the pillowcase body. Turn right side out; press flat.

2. Matching raw edges and seams, slide pillowcase band over pillowcase body with pieced side of band facing pillowcase body (Diagram 4); pin. Using a ¼” seam allowance, sew together through all layers.

3. Press pillowcase band open, pressing seam allowances toward pillowcase body. Topstitch through pillowcase body ⅛” from band seam (Diagram 5) to secure seam allowances and complete pillowcase.

Assemble Block
1. Referring to Diagram 1, sew together a solid black 1¾” square and a light orange 1¾” square. Press seam in one direction. Add a dark orange 1¼x3” rectangle to make Unit A. Press seam in one direction.
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Unit A
DIAGRAM 1

Unit B
DIAGRAM 2

Unit C
DIAGRAM 3

BAND ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM