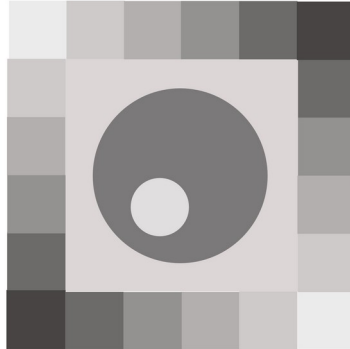


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## Bubble Tea

### Mini Quilt/Quilt Block Pattern



This easy block combines traditional piecing and easy appliqué to come up with a fun and modern look. It can be a block or made into a mini. The outer border is ideal for strip sets.

#### **General Pattern Information**

- Finished size is approximately 12 ½ inches by 12 ½ inches
- A ¼ inch seam allowance is used throughout
- Please read all instructions carefully before beginning

#### **Supplies Needed**

- General quilting supplies
- Paper backed fusible web for the appliqué

#### **Fabric and Cutting**

- Fabric A – 1 square cut 8 ½ inches by 8 ½ inches & 1 piece of fabric large enough for the small circle appliqué template which measures about 1 ½ inches in diameter
- Fabric B – 1 piece of fabric large enough for the large circle template which measures about 5 ½ inches in diameter
- Fabric C – 2 squares cut 2 ½ inches by 2 ½ inches
- Fabric D – 4 squares cut 2 ½ inches by 2 ½ inches
- Fabric E – 4 squares cut 2 ½ inches by 2 ½ inches
- Fabric F – 4 squares cut 2 ½ inches by 2 ½ inches
- Fabric G – 4 squares cut 2 ½ inches by 2 ½ inches
- Fabric H – 2 squares cut 2 ½ inches by 2 ½ inches
- If making a mini quilt: Fabric for backing (about 15" square), batting and binding

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## Assembly

### Step 1 - Appliqué the Circles

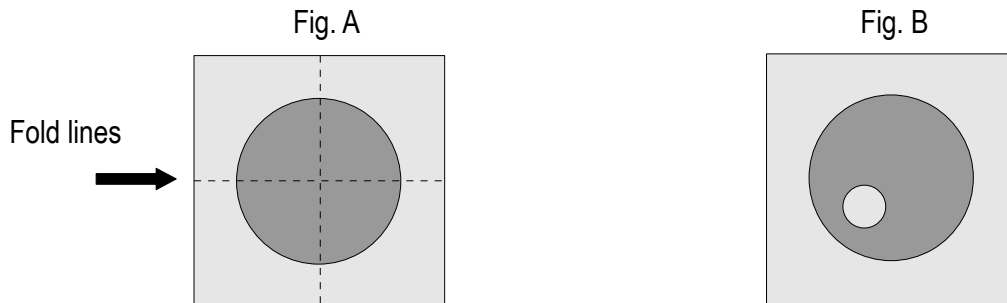
For this step you will need the large 8 ½ inch square of fabric A, the piece of fabric A for the small circle, and the piece of fabric B for the large circle.

First, following the manufacturer's directions, apply the paper backed fusible web to the back side of the circle fabrics. Make sure the web you cut out is large enough for your template.

Next, using the templates provided at the end of this pattern, or your own, trace around the circles on the paper backed fusible web. Carefully cut out the circles. Remove the paper backing.

*Tip: I learned this from a YouTube viewer...gently score a small line in the paper backing with a pin. It should peel off easily.*

You will want to center the large circle in the 8 ½ inch square. To do that gently fold the square in half both ways and finger press. You will have a fold line to help center. Then fold the large circle in half both ways and gently finger press (Fig. A). Line up the folds and then, following the manufacturer's guidelines, adhere the large circle to the square.



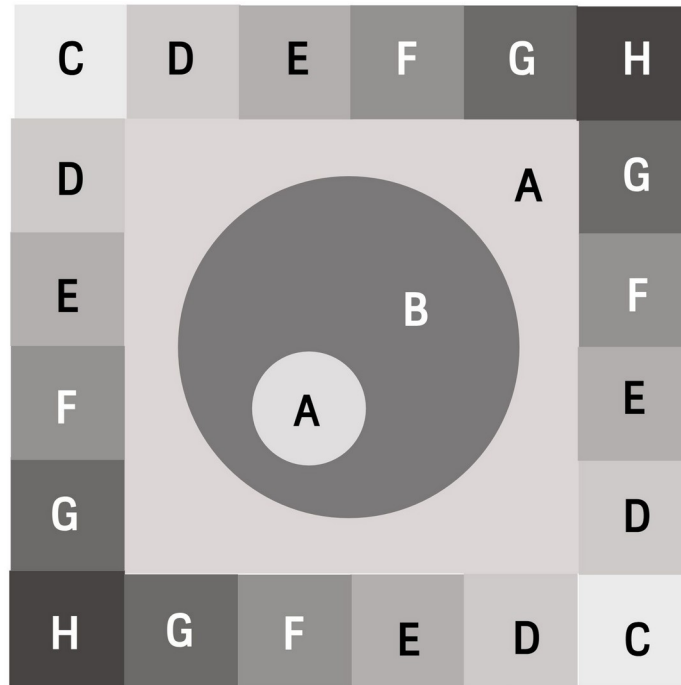
Then, position the small circle off center, near one of the edges. I placed mine about a ½ inch from the edge of the large circle. Adhere it to the large circle (Fig. B)

If desired, add a decorative stitch around the outside of both circles.

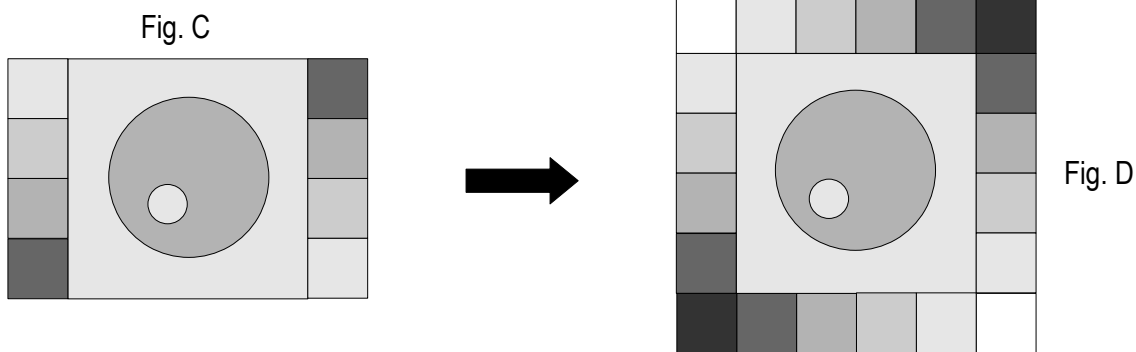
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## Step 2 – Add the Outer Squares

Lay out the block, placing the 2 ½ inch squares around the outside as shown. *Letters indicate fabric.*



First, sew together the four squares on the left side of the center square (fabrics G, F, E, and D). Repeat on the other side. Add these strips to the left and right side of the large square (Fig. C). Then sew six squares to form a strip to add to the top of the block. Finally, sew the last 6 squares in a row and add that row to the bottom of the block (Fig. D).



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### **Step 3 – Finishing**

Bubble Tea can be an individual quilt block or made into a mini quilt. To make it into a mini quilt do the following:

1. Lay your backing fabric on a long surface, with wrong side facing up.
2. Next, lay your batting on top of the backing.
3. Lastly, lay the mini quilt on top with the right side facing up.
4. Baste the layers together using your preferred method.
5. Quilt as desired.
6. Bind using your preferred method.

Enjoy your new mini quilt!

If you would like to see a video demonstration of this pattern, it is available on my YouTube channel: Create with Claudia. You can also find a step by step tutorial on my website.

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Template for the circle shapes. The larger template measures approximately 5 ½” across and the smaller one is approximately 1 ½” across.

