



## BLOCK OF THE MONTH FOR JULY 2008

### "Hot Hot Hot!"

6" x 9" finished - 6  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished

*\*Pull out your "Hot Hot Hot" Batiks in Yellow, Orange, Pink and Red. If it's HOT, use it!*

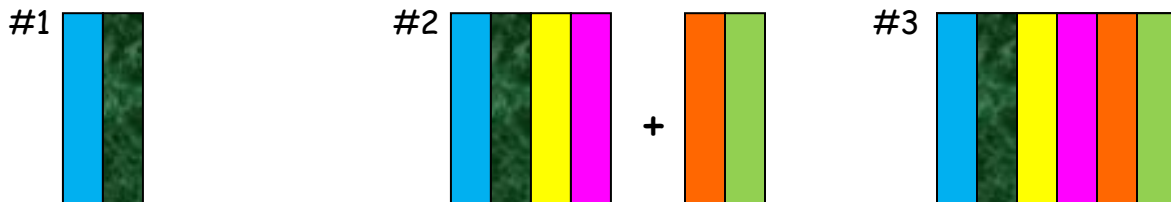
### Fabric and Cutting (for 1 block)

1. From a variety of batik fabrics, cut strips 2" wide.
2. Sub cut these strips into 6  $\frac{1}{2}$ " lengths.
3. One block requires 6 rectangles cut 2" x 6  $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

### Sewing

1. Sew 2 rectangles together and press to one side.
2. **Read note!** Sew two units together to make a new unit made of four rectangles. Press to one side. **NOTE:** Divide the pile of units made in #1 into 3 piles or just remember to set one unit aside for each of the two you are stitching together. If not, you will have to "unsew" because 4+4=8 and you want 4+2=6!
3. Sew the remaining 2-rectangle units made in #1 to the 4-rectangle units made in #2. Press to one side.

This basic block can be used as "stacked coins" in a stripy quilt, used as a border, cut in half for a smaller border, used as an alternate block, or.....?



Everyone will receive a "ticket" for each block turned in. This will allow you a chance to win a nice collection of "quilt blocks".

Each month the first "five" people to turn in "five" blocks will win a special prize. If you have any questions call [Becky Sproal \(714\) 777-9019](tel:7147779019).

