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Fabric Requirements:

Fabric A: 5/8 yd 6130 White

Fabric B: 5/8 yd 6129 Black

Fabric C: 5/8 yd 6129 White

Fabric D: 5/8 yd 6130 Black

Fabric E: 1/2 yd 6123 White

Fabric F: 1/2 yd 6122 Black

Fabric G: 1/2 yd 6122 White

Fabric H: 1/2 yd 6123 Black

Fabric I: 1/3 yd 6124 Black

Fabric J: 1/3 yd 6124 White

Fabric K: 1-1/4 yds 3955 Jet

Backing: 3-3/4 yds 6129 Black

Cutting Instructions:

Fabric A: Cut twenty-four 4-7/8" squares

Fabric B: Cut twenty-four 4-7/8" squares

Fabric C: Cut twenty-four 4-7/8" squares

Fabric D: Cut twenty-four 4-7/8" squares

Fabric E: Cut six 2-1/2" x 42" strips

Fabric F: Cut six 2-1/2" x 42" strips

Fabric G: Cut six 2-1/2" x 42" strips

Fabric H: Cut six 2-1/2" x 42" strips

Fabric I: Cut thirty 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" strips.

Fabric J: Cut thirty-two 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" strips.

Fabric K: Cut seven 2-1/2" x 42" strips. Piece the strips together to make two 2-1/2" x 64-1/2" strips and two 2-1/2" x 52-1/2" strips for the borders.

Cut seven 2-1/2" x 42" strips for the binding.

Backing: Cut two 64" x 42" pieces. Sew the pieces together to make one 64" x 84" piece for the backing.

Assembly Instructions:

- Place one 4-7/8" Fabric A square on top of one 4-7/8" Fabric B square, right side together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Fig. 1). Sew 1/4" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 1). Cut the two squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2) to make two half-square triangles (Fig. 3). Repeat to make forty-eight 4-1/2" A/B half-square triangles.
- Repeat Step 1 to make forty-eight 4-1/2" C/D half-square triangles.
- Sew one 2-1/2" x 42" Fabric E strip to the long side of one 2-1/2" x 42" Fabric F to make one E/F strip set. Repeat to make six E/ F strips sets total.
- Cut the six strip sets into ninety-six 2-1/2" segments (fig. 4). Sew two segments together to make one 4-1/2" E/F checkerboard block (fig. 5). Repeat to make forty-eight 4-1/2" E/F checkerboard blocks.
- Repeat Steps 3 and 4 to make forty-eight 4-1/2" G/H checkerboard squares.
- Follow the block layouts to make twenty-four 8-1/2" Block One squares and twenty-four 8-1/2" Block Two squares.
- Refer to the quilt photo for block placement. Sew together three 8-1/2" Block A squares and three 8-1/2" Block B squares, alternating them to make Row One. Repeat to make Rows Three, Five and Seven.
- Refer to the quilt photo for block placement. Sew together three 8-1/2" Block B squares and three 8-1/2" Block A squares, alternating them to make Row Two. Repeat to make Rows Four, Six and Eight.
- Sew the eight rows together to make the 48-1/2" x 64-1/2" quilt top.
- Sew one 2-1/2" x 64-1/2" Fabric K strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew one 2-1/2" x 52-1/2" Fabric K strip to the top and bottom of the quilt top.
- Sew together nine 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric J strips and eight 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric I strips, short edge to short edge, alternating them to make one 2-1/2" x 68-1/2" side border. Repeat to make the second side border. Sew the side borders to the quilt top.
- Sew together seven 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric J strips and seven 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric I strips, short edge to short edge, alternating them to make one 2-1/2" x 56-1/2" top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the borders to the quilt top.
- Layer, quilt and bind as desired.

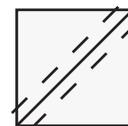


FIG. 1

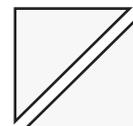


FIG. 2



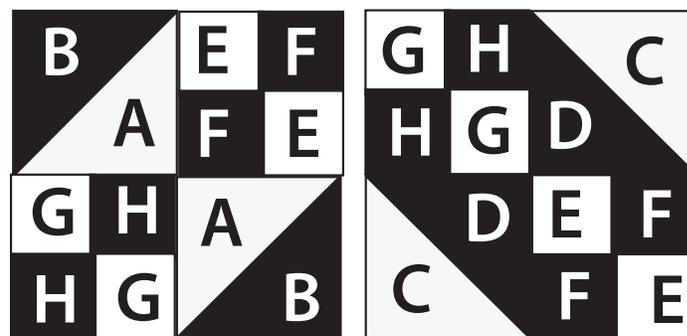
FIG. 3



FIG. 4



FIG. 5



Block One

Block Two

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