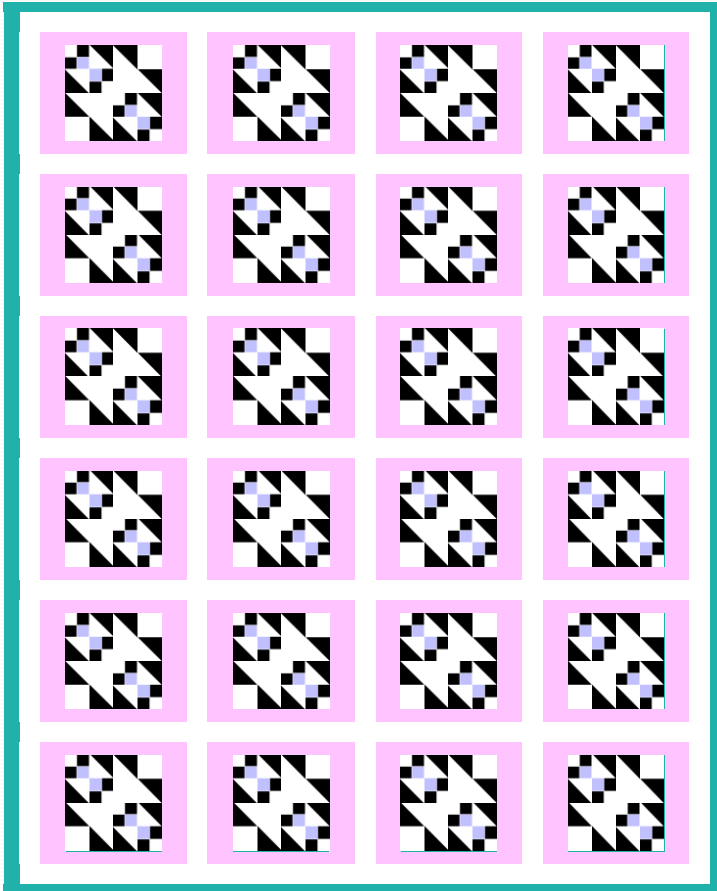


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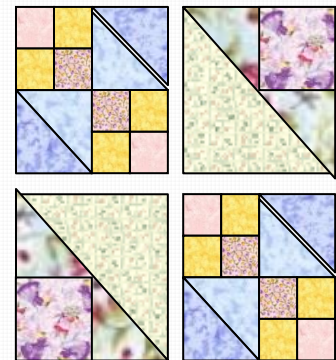
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Completed Quilt size approximately
70 inches wide by 94 inches high.

This shows your quilt with 24 blocks
12 inches high by 12 inches wide
(before borders or sashing)
Each block is comprised of 4 sub-blocks.
2 of each – alternately placed.



Block Square Border measurements are:

48 strips cut 1.50 inches wide and 12.50 inches long for vertical strips
and

48 strips cut 1.50 inches wide by 14.50 inches long for the horizontal strips.

Your border strips would require fabric that measures approx. 44 inches wide & approx 1 1/3 yards

Your Sashing measurements are:

30 strips cut 2 inches wide by 14.50 inches long for the vertical strips
and

7 strips cut 1 inch wide by approx 66 inches long for the horizontal sashing strips (or quilt width)

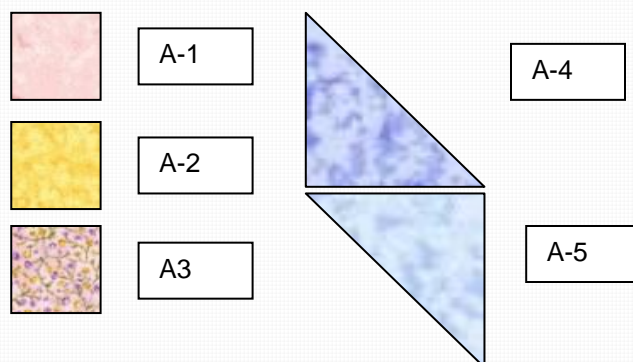
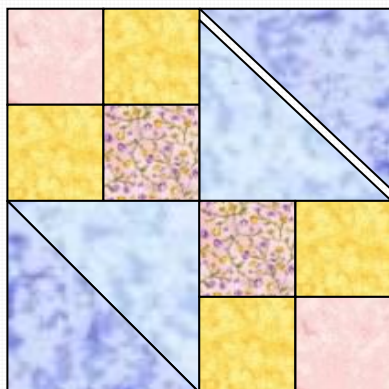
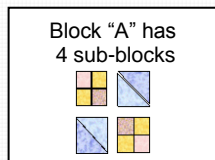
Your quilt final border/binding:

Made from 2 strips cut 4.25 inches wide by 69.25 inches long (horizontal)

2 strips cut 4.25 inches wide by 93.25 inches long. (Vertical)

2 - **binding** strips should be cut approx. 4.25 inches wide and 74" long and 2 strips cut 4.25 inches wide by 95" long (these will be folded in half and sewn onto the quilt edges). The actual amount of fabric required for these strips will vary. If you are making these border strips from one continuous strip cut on the grain then your fabric length should be equal to the longest strip. If you are making the border strips by piecing the material by cutting on the bias or on the grain then the actual fabric required can be greatly reduced.

Block "A"



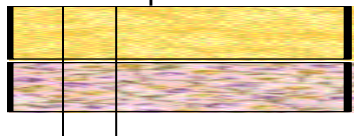
The first block is a 4 patch block with a 3 color combination.
 You will need to make a total of 80 – 4 patch blocks.
 You can make these with the “strip cutting” method.
 Each finished sub-block should be 6.50 inches square.

Cut your strips of fabric for A-1 & A-3 : 3.50 inches wide
 Cut twice as many strips of A-2 that you have of A-1 - A-2 is also 3.50 inches wide.

Sew a strip of A-1 to A-2



Sew a strip of A-2 to A-3

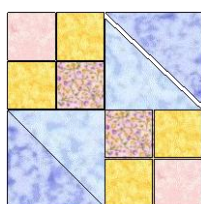
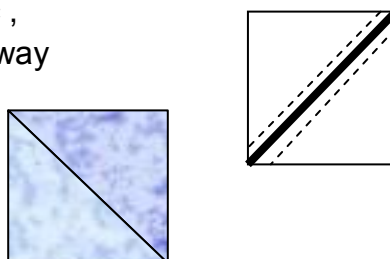


Cut these strips to 3.50 inch lengths.
 These are then pieced together to make your completed 4 patch.
 Square-up your completed
 sub-block 4 patch to = 6.50 inches

The second sub-block is a half triangle block with a 2 color combination.
 You will need to make a total of 80 – half triangle blocks.

You can make these easily by cutting 40 – 7 1/8 inch blocks from each fabric A-4 & A-5
 Place right sides together, one of each fabric ,
 mark a line corner to corner and sew 1/4 " away
 from the marked line on each side.

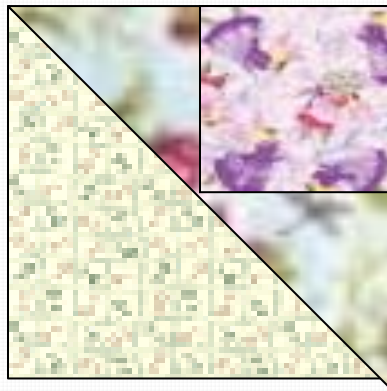
Cut on the marked line and press open
 Square-up sub-block to 6.50 inches
 (Each unit makes two blocks.)



Take your four sub-block units and sew together as shown
 to make one completed Block A

Square up your completed Block A to = 12.50 inches

Block "B"



B-1



B-2



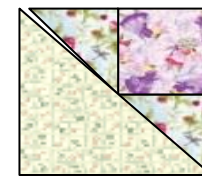
B-3

For this block you will need to cut : 40 – 6.50 inch squares of B-1
20 – 7 7/8 inch squares of B-2 and cut in half diagonally.
20 – 13.50 inch squares of B-3 and cut in half diagonally.

Sew 2 of the half triangles of B-2 to the sides of the B-1 block



Then sew the three pieced block to the half triangle of fabric B-3



Square-up the block to be 12.50 inches.

Fabric Requirements for 70 x 94 inch quilt

B1	7 strips 6.50" x 44"	make 40 – 6.5" squares	= 45.5 inches fabric	= 1 1/4 yards fabric
B2	5 strips 7 7/8" x 44"	make 20 – 7 7/8" squares	= 40 inches fabric	= 1 1/8 yards fabric
B3	7 strips 13.50" x 44"	make 20 – 13.5" squares	= 94.5 inches fabric	= 2 3/4 yards fabric
A1	12 strips – 3.5" x 44"		= 42 inches fabric	= 1 1/4 yards fabric
A2	24 strips - 3.5" x 44"		= 84 inches fabric	= 2 1/3 yards fabric
A3	12 strips – 3.5" x 44"		= 42 inches fabric	= 1 1/4 yards fabric
A4	7 strips – 7 1/8" x 44"	make 40 – 7 1/8" squares	= 50 inches fabric	= 1 1/2 yards fabric
A5	7 strips – 7 1/8" x 44"	make 40 – 7 1/8" squares	= 50 inches fabric	= 1 1/2 yards fabric

Block Square Borders:

** Sew vertical border first and then horizontal border second **

Cut 48 strips 1.5" x 12.5" for vertical block border (each side of block) = 24" = 2/3 yard

Cut 48 strips 1.5" x 14.50" for horizontal block border (top and bottom of block) = 24" = 2/3 yard

Sashing (added after block borders are done)

** Sew vertical sashing first and then horizontal sashing second **

For vertical sashing on each block cut 30 – 2" x 14.5" = 3/4 yards fabric

For horizontal sashing cut 7 - 1" x 66" or quilt width = 1 1/2 yards fabric

** You can piece your horizontal sashing to use less fabric – cut 14 - 1" x 34" & sew 2 pieces for each row = 1 yard fabric **

Final border/binding

Border:

** Sew vertical border first and then horizontal border second **

Cut 2 strips - 4.25" x quilt width (approx 69" - measure quilt width before cutting strip)

Cut 2 strips - 4.25" x quilt length (approx 93" – measure quilt width before cutting strip)

Binding:

Cut 2 - strips approx. 4.25 inches wide and 74" long
and

Cut 2 - strips approx 4.25 inches wide and 95" long

(These strips will be folded in half and sewn onto the quilt edges, then folded over the edge of the quilt and hand stitched down).

The actual amount of fabric required for these strips will vary. If you are making these border strips from one continuous strip cut on the grain then your fabric length should be equal to the longest strip.

If you are making the border strips by piecing the material and cutting on the bias or on the grain then the actual fabric required can be greatly reduced.

This is an alternate setting for this block.

Make without sashing strips and with two outside 4.25 inch wide border strips instead.
This one is a smaller version of the original, has only 12 – 12 “ blocks for an overall
Size with borders of 42 x 56 (a wonderful baby size quilt)

