

Simple Coins

49" x 71.5"

To make the quilt pictured:



You need:

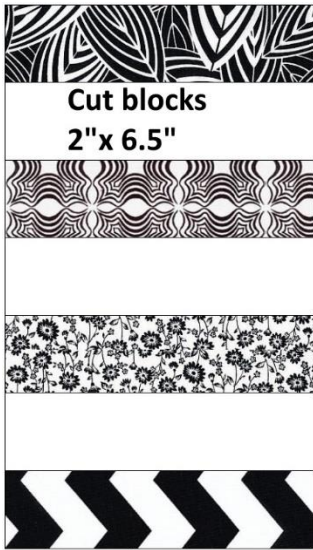
- 3 5/8 yards of white
- 1 1/2 yards geometrics
- 1/2 yard of binding fabric

The quilt is made up of one block which finishes in the quilt at 6"x 10.5"" and looks like this:



Cut: For the size quilt I showed, you need 25 blocks.

For each block:



From white:

- Cut 3 – 2"x 6.5" strips (to make 25 blocks, cut 75 strips)

From geometrics:

- Cut 4 – 2"x 6.5" strips (to make 25 blocks, cut 100 strips)

For sashings:

From white:

- Cut 20 – 3.5"x 11" rectangles

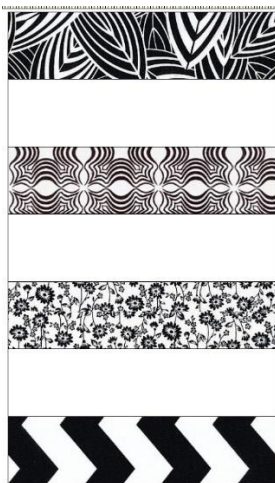
Borders will be dealt with later. Further instructions under "How to make this quilt".

Construct Blocks:

To construct this simple rail fence block (with a lot of rails), simply sew the strips together alternating geometrics and white – starting and stopping with the geometrics strips. Use $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams.

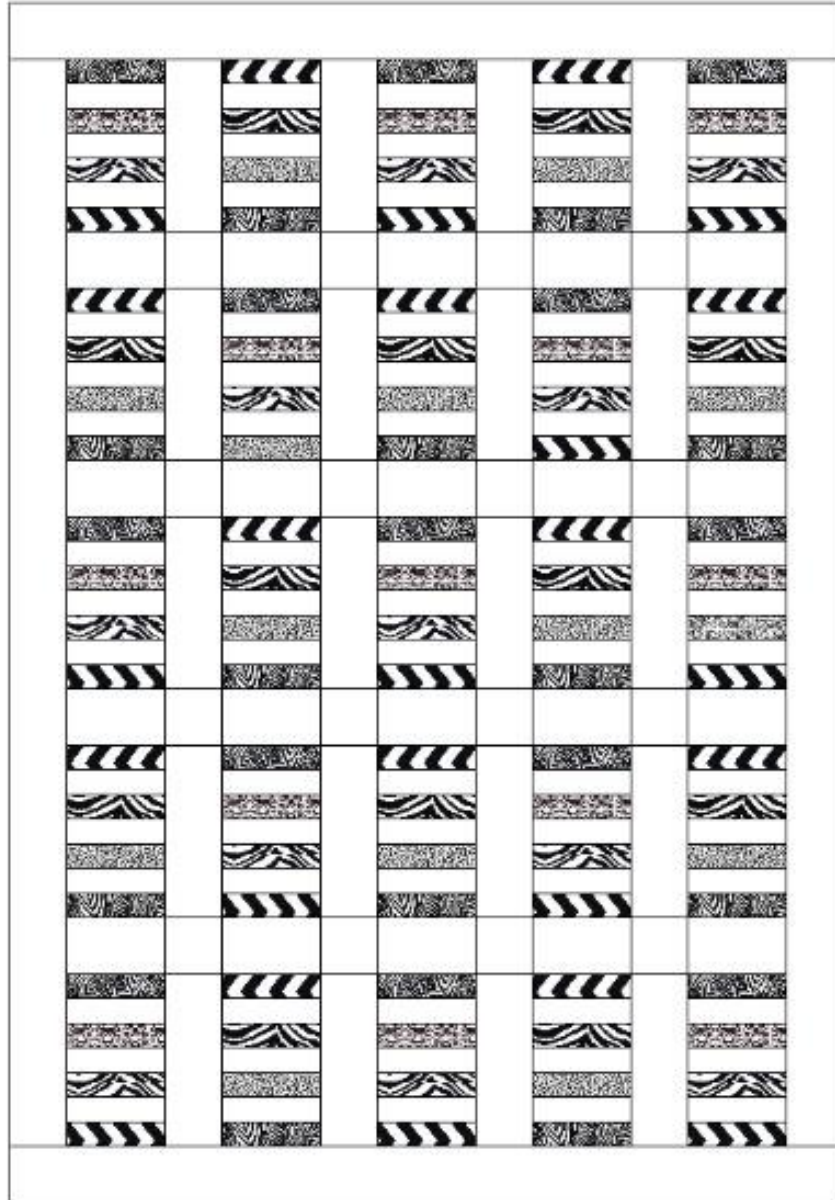
Make 25 blocks.

They will measure 6.5"x 11" at this point:

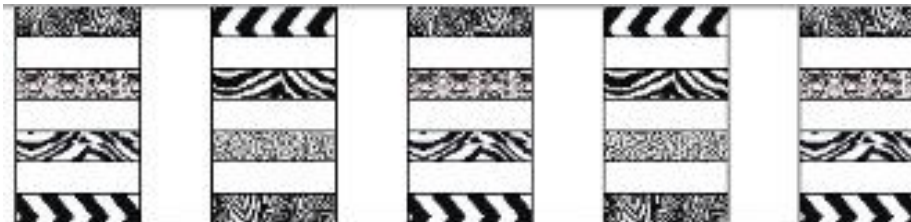


How to make this quilt:

1. Sew the rows together as shown:



Make 5 rows that look like this, putting a sashing strip between each block:



Then when you have finished those rows of blocks, attach the rows together with a sashing strip between the row. Cut a strip 3.5" x42.5".

Put one 3.5" strip between each row as show in the diagram above. Ignore the square that looks like a cornerstone.



Keep going until the center of the top is finished.

2. Add border:

White- Cut pieces as indicated. Sew lengths together to get the length needed.

- Cut 2 pieces – 4" x 65". Attach to the sides
- Cut 2 pieces - 4" x 49.5". Attach to the top and bottom.

3. Press well.

4. Sandwich, using whatever type of batting and backing you prefer

5. Quilt as desired. I did straight line quilting.

6. Bind, using whatever method you wish.

It's that easy!!!! Your quilt is finished!

Enjoy!

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