Four-Patch Quilt

Use a 1/4" seam allowance throughout.

<u>Yardage Requirements:</u> <u>crib</u> (44" X 56") <u>throw</u> (56" X 80")

Alternating blocks 3/4 yard (more for fussy cutting) 1 3/8 yards (more for fussy cutting)

Four-patches ½ yard (each of 2 fabrics) 1 yard (each of 2 fabrics)

Inner border ¼ yard 3/8 yard

Outer border 1 yard (non-directional) 1 3/8 yards (non-directional)

Binding ½ yard 5/8 yard

Backing and batting 27/8 yards, seamed horizontally 47/8 yards, seamed horizontally

Cut the following for the crib quilt:

Alternating block (3) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, subcut into (17) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares Four-patch fabrics (4) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips from each four-patch fabric

Inner Border (4) 1 ½" strips
Outer Border (5) 6 ½" strips
Binding (6) 2 ½" strips

Cut the following for the throw quilt:

Alternating block (7) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, subcut into (38) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares Four-patch fabrics (7) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips from each four-patch fabric

Inner Border (6) 1 ½" strips
Outer Border (7) 6 ½" strips
Binding (7) 2 ½" strips

Four-Patches - Following diagram, sew 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips into pairs, press toward dark. Sub-cut into 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pairs. Sew pairs together to form four-patches. Make 18 four-patch blocks for crib quilt and 39 four-patch blocks for throw.

<u>Assembling quilt</u> - Sew alternating blocks to four-patches to form rows. Sew rows together.

<u>Borders</u> - Sew inner border strips together, end-to-end. Measure length of quilt, cut 2 or 3 inner border strips this length. Sew one to each side. Measure width and cut two strips this length. Sew to upper and lower edges. Repeat with outer border.

Quilt as desired, bind.

*Directional fabric - Cut 2 (crib) 3 (throw) strips across the width first (upper and lower borders.) Then cut 2 strips for side borders the length of the fabric. Remaining fabric may be used for binding.





