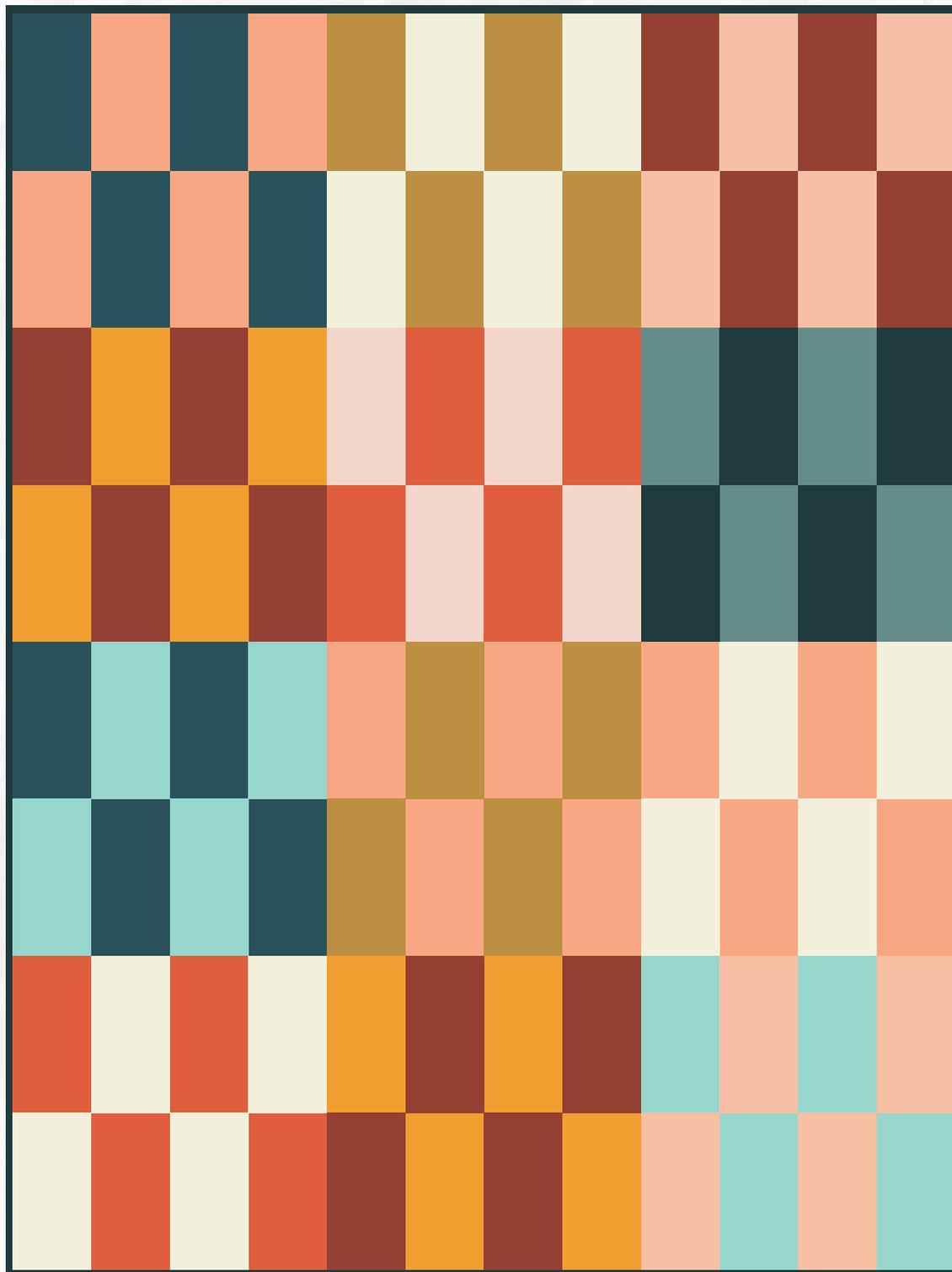


Checkered Bricks



Fat Quarter Pattern

Quilt Pattern Level :

Beginner , Intermediate , Advanced



Traditional Pieced Pattern

Fabrics :

Fabrics Shown on Moonkin Stitchery's YouTube Channel are all from The Season of Tribute - Listen to Your Heart Collection By Sharon Holland for Art Gallery Fabrics.

Fat Quarters: The Season of Tribute - Listen to Your Heart Collection
 Binding: Bright Star Six Yardage
 Backing: Fleuron Six Yardage

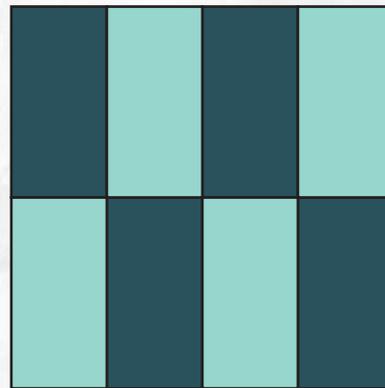
General Instructions :

1. Read all directions before starting.
2. This pattern is built off of ¼" seam allowances.
3. Directions included FIVE quilt sizes. Carefully read and pay close attention to cutting, and piecing for the size you are creating.

*All quilt sizes use the same size quilt block.

Quilt Block :

Finished Size : 18" x 17" Rectangle
 Unfinished Size : 18 ½" x 17 ½" Rectangle



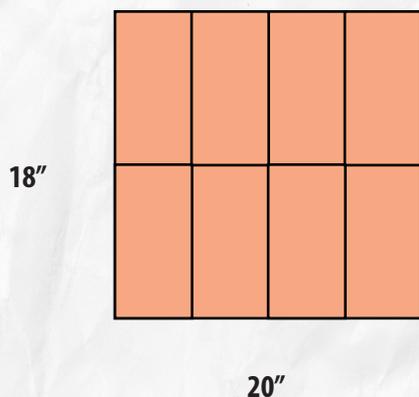
Materials :

Yardage is calculated using 42" wide fabric. Binding calculation is based on 2 ½" wide strips.

	BABY	THROW	TWIN	QUEEN	KING
Quilt Size -	36" x 34"	54" x 68"	72" x 85"	90" x 85"	108" x 119"
Print Fat Quarters - (18" x 20" Rectangles)	4	12	20	25	42
Binding -	½ - Yard	½ - Yard	¾ - Yard	¾ - Yard	1 - Yard
Backing -	1 ¾- Yards	3 ¾ - Yards	5 ½ - Yards	8 ½ - Yards	10 - Yards
Batting -	44" x 42"	62" x 76"	80" x 93"	98" x 93"	120" x 120"

Cutting :

1. With each fat quarter subcut; eight 5" x 9" rectangles per each fat quarter. I recommend cutting one fat quarter at a time as you will be utilizing the entire width of your fat quarter.



Piecing :

1. Select two different fabric prints, four of each print and lay them out in a checker board like fashion. (Diagram A) Sew your blocks together to form rows, and lastly, sew your rows together to complete your quilt block.

Diagram A

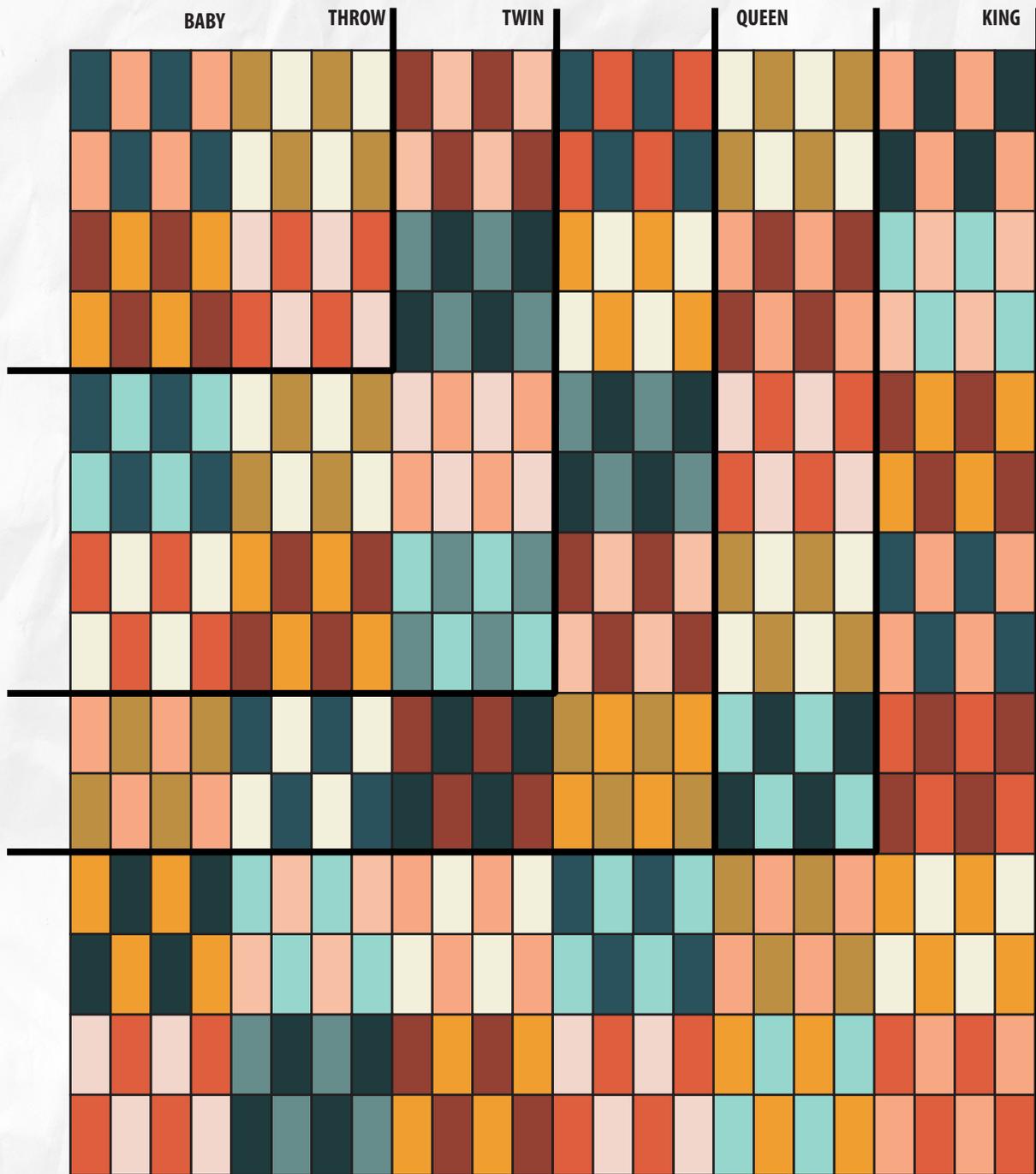


	BABY	THROW	TWIN	QUEEN	KING
Total Blocks -	4	12	20	25	42

Layout :

1. With the blocks you've made, use the diagram down below and lay each block down side by side. Sew your blocks together to form rows and lastly sew your rows together to complete your quilt top.

	BABY	THROW	TWIN	QUEEN	KING
Total Blocks Per Row -	2	3	4	5	6
Total Rows Per Quilt -	2	4	5	5	7



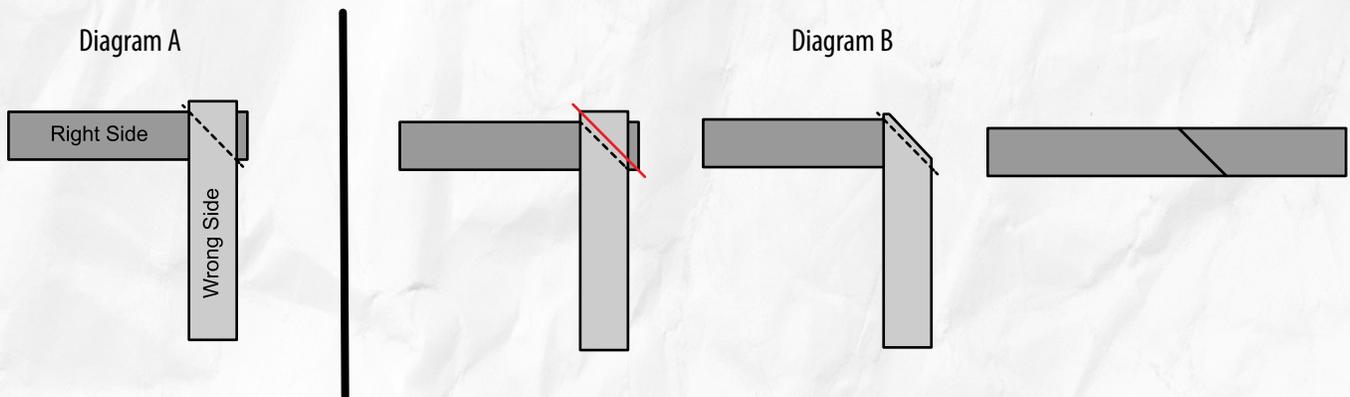
Finishing Instructions :

1. First create a backing piece. Moonkin Stitchery Quilt Patterns have backing calculated at 12" wider than the width of the final quilt top. Remove the selvages (if needed) and if the size you are making backing piece needs to be pieced, sew the pieces together with a 1/2" seam allowance.
- 2a. If you are planning to quilt your quilt on a domestic machine, layer the backing wrong side up on a large surface followed by batting, and lastly the quilt top to form a "sandwich". Make sure all of your layers are smooth and wrinkle free. Baste the layers together by using safety pins to hold everything in place then using a domestic sewing machine quilt your quilt.
- 2b. If you are planning to send your quilt top to a Long Arm Professional, contact them to see what their requirements are to have your quilt quilted and follow their instructions.
3. After quilting, trim away excess batting and backing fabric while squaring up your quilt.
4. Lastly all you need is to bind your quilt! See the binding section for further instructions on how to bind your quilt top.

Binding Instructions :

Non-Bias Binding

1. Using the binding yardage chart on the materials section, start by cutting 2 1/2" strips by WOF.
2. With each strip, start by placing one strip horizontal right side showing and place a second strip end vertically with wrong side placed up. Sew a 1/4" diagonal seam (Diagram A). Trim any excess fabric away and continue this process until you have all strips stitched together from end to end. (Diagram B)



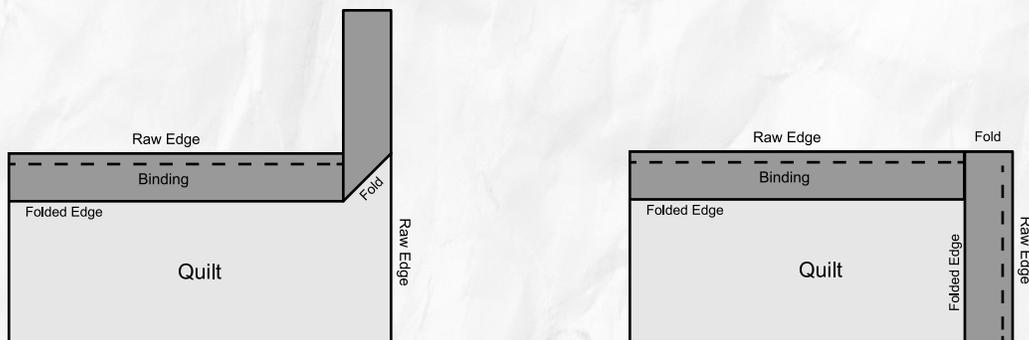
3. Place your binding strip wrong side up and press in half lengthwise the entire length of the strip piece.

Binding Instructions Continued :

Non-Bias Binding Continued

4. Based on your choice/preference you'll now sew your binding on either the top or back side of your quilt top. Place the raw edges towards the raw edges of your quilt top/back. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance all the way around your quilt top (Diagram C). Keep your binding folded when you sew a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance all the way around.

Diagram C



5. Once you've sewed your binding around the whole quilt top, connect your binding pieces together by your favorite method.

6. Lastly you'll flip your quilt around and fold your binding on the other side sealing in the raw edges of your quilt top. Now you'll either machine quilt your binding down at about $\frac{1}{8}$ " from the folded edge, OR you can now hand stitch your binding shut.

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