

One Patch + Nine
approximately 52" x 70"

Fabrics: 59 – 6½" squares
½ yard contrast fabric
8 - 2½" x WOF for border blocks
each strips will make 3 blocks
10 - 6½" squares cut diagonally once
for outside setting triangles, or
6 – 10" blocks of a solid color cut
twice diagonally
2 – 5¼" blocks cut diagonally once
for corner blocks

This easy to sew quilt works up beautifully in random scraps, as a planned scrap quilt, or using a designer collection of fabrics. The contrast fabric can be any color but should be the same in each block to produce the border effect. For a planned scrap quilt I would use at least 8 fabrics for a well placed layout.

You can cut the border blocks from scraps rather than a WOF strip. Each block requires 13½ inches of fabric.

Modified nine patch blocks:

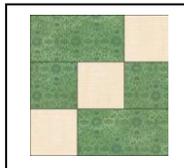
From four of the 2½" x WOF strips cut 1 - 6½" piece, and 3 - 2½" squares for the corner blocks. The other 20 modified 9 patch blocks required 2 - 4½" x 2½" and 2 - 2½" squares for each block.

Cut the contrast fabric into 2½" x WOF strips.

Make 20 side blocks:

Chain piece these blocks by stitching the 2 - 4½" x 2½" rectangles and one 2½" square to the contrast fabric strips. Cut them apart and add the remaining 2½" square to complete the center of the contrast square.

Side blocks



Corner blocks

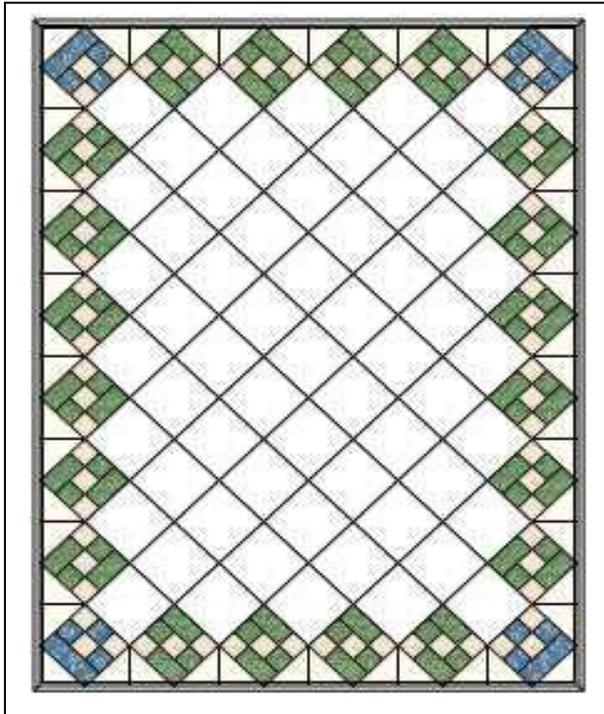


Follow the diagrams above to construct the 20 side blocks and the 4 corner blocks.

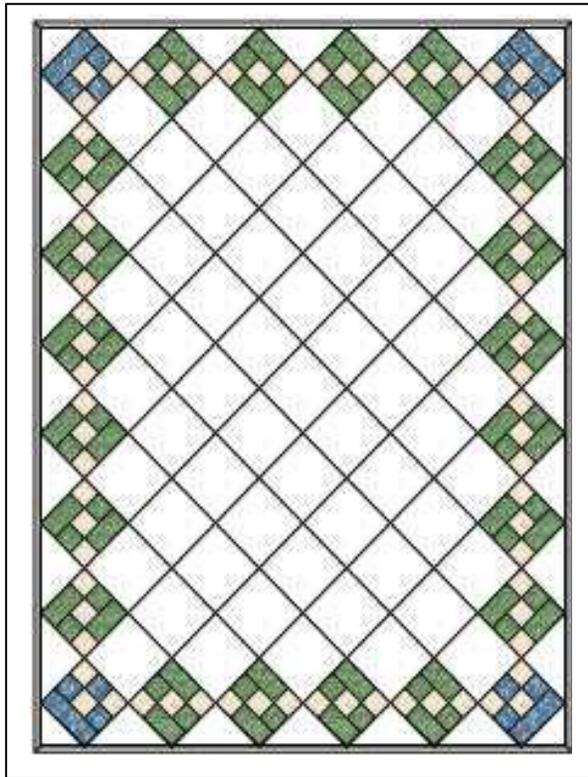
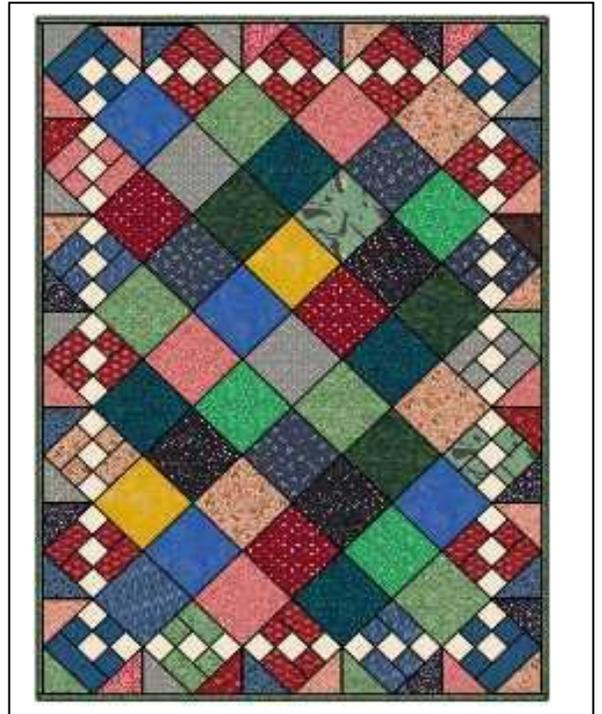
Layout the 59 center blocks following the diagrams on page two. Arrange the corner and side blocks around the layout. For diagram 1 layout the half-square setting triangles and add the 4 corner triangles.

For diagram 2, arrange the quarter-square triangles cut from the 10 inch squares and add the corner triangles.

Stitch together in diagonal rows.



Layout diagram 1



Layout diagram 2

