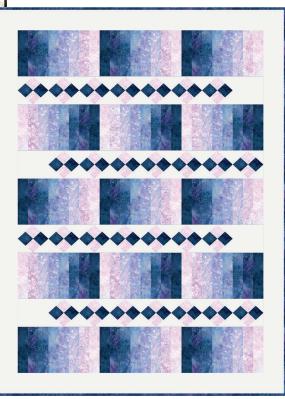


Gradations Onyx



Gradations Twilight

SHADES

FREE PATTERN • By Northcott Studio Finished Size approx. 56" x 75"

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Shades

Collection: Stonehenge Gradations

Finished Size: 56" x 75" WOF = width of fabric

All seams are sewn using a ¼" seam allowance

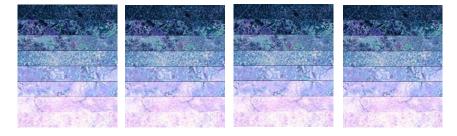
Skill Level: Confident Beginner

Fabric Requirements:

Twilight	Onyx	Yardage	Cutting Instructions
SSTONE40-66	SSTONE40-99	1 Strip Pack (40 – 2 ½" x WOF strips)	See Instructions below.
Fabric A 39306-94 (Background & Border)	Fabric A 39382-12 (Background & Border)	1 3/4 yds	Cut 4 − 5 ¼" x WOF strips Sub-cut 28 − 5 ½" squares From these, Cut 24 squares once on the diagonal (large triangles) Cut 4 squares twice on the diagonal (small triangles) Cut 1 − 6 ½" x WOF strip Cut 7 − 4 ½" x WOF strips
Fabric B 39300-67 (Binding)	Fabric B 39300-99	5/8 yd	Cut 7 – 2 ½" x WOF strips
Crosswise Backing 39302-67	Crosswise Backing 39302-99	4 yds	Cut fabric in half along length of fabric. Join the 2 – 72" x WOF pieces along the selvage edges.

<u>Piecing Instructions – Row 1:</u>

- 1. Lay out strips from lightest to darkest in four sets of eight each. You will have eight strips left over (two each of lightest & darkest). Set those strips aside.
- 2. Sew each set of eight strips together, pressing to the darker side.
- 3. Sub-cut each strip set into $4 9 \frac{1}{2}$ " segments.



4. Turn three segments sideways and sew together as shown to complete Row 1.



5. Repeat to make a total of five Row 1's. (You will have one strip set left over.)

Piecing Instructions - Row 2:

1. Pair the remaining light & dark strips. With right sides together, sew four strip sets and cut into $56 - 2 \frac{1}{2}$ " segments as shown.



2. Pair the segments in two's, turning one segment. Sew together to complete one 4-Patch Unit as shown. Repeat to make a total of 28 4-Patch Units.



3. Take 40 of the Fabric A large triangles (5 ¼" squares cut <u>once</u> on the diagonal) and sew one to each opposite side of 20 - 4-Patch Units as shown.



- 4. Sew together in sets of five for each row.
- 5. Sew one of the remaining large triangles to one side of each of the remaining 8 4-Patch Units, and two small triangles (5 ¼" squares cut twice on the diagonal) to two opposite sides as shown. Sew an End Unit to each end of the four Row 2's.





Left End Unit

Right End Unit



6. An extra rectangle of Background A is to be added to one end of each Row 2 so that it measures the same length as Row 1. To do this, measure your Row 1's (each should measure 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ "). Then measure your Row 2's (each should measure about 42 $\frac{1}{2}$ "). From the Fabric A 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip, cut 4 – 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6" rectangles (or whatever length is needed to make Row 2 the same width as Row 1). Join a rectangle to one end of each row to make a total of four Row 2's.



- 7. Join rows together, alternating Row 1 & Row 2, and turning every other Row 1 & Row 2. Refer to the finished quilt image for placement.
- 8. Join the $7-4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric A strips end to end. Measure the length of your quilt top and cut two side border strips to the appropriate size (approximately 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ " each). Sew a border to each side.
- 9. Then measure the width of your quilt top and cut top & bottom border strips to the appropriate size (approximately $56 \frac{1}{2}$ "). Add top & bottom borders in the same manner.
- 10. Join the seven Fabric B binding strips using diagonal seams. Fold in half, wrong sides together, along the length of the strip and press.
- 11. Layer quilt top with batting & backing. Quilt as desired. Then bind using your favorite method.