

# Switching Gears




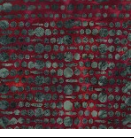

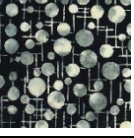
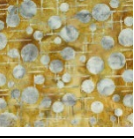
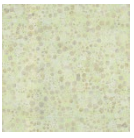
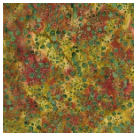

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50" x 63"



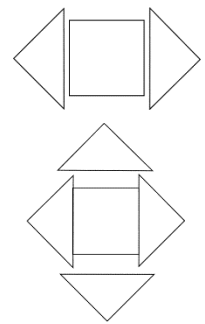
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## **Fabric Requirements & Cutting Instructions:**

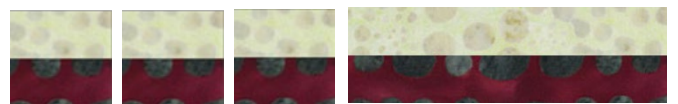
		Yardage	Cutting Instructions (WOF = width of fabric)
Fabric A 83702-26		1/4 yd	Cut 2 – 3 3/8" x WOF strips ➤ Sub-cut 24 – 3 3/8" squares
Fabric B 83702-77		1/4 yd	Cut 2 – 3 3/8" x WOF strips ➤ Sub-cut 24 – 3 3/8" squares
Fabric C 83705-26		3/4 yd	Cut 5 – 1 1/2" x WOF strips (for Inner Border) Cut 6 – 2 1/2" x WOF strips (set aside for Binding)
Fabric D 83704-26		1/3 yd	Cut 3 – 2 1/2" x WOF strips
Fabric E 83703-74		1/3 yd	Cut 3 – 2 1/2" x WOF strips
Fabric F 83703-99		1/4 yd	Cut 6 – 4 1/2" x WOF strips ➤ Sub-cut 6 – 4 1/2" squares
Fabric G 83703-57		1/4 yd	Cut 6 – 4 1/2" x WOF strips ➤ Sub-cut 6 – 4 1/2" squares
Fabric H 83705-11		2 yds	Cut 6 – 2 1/2" x WOF strips Cut 7 – 2 7/8" x WOF strips ➤ Sub-cut 96 – 2 7/8" squares; cut once on the diagonal to yield 196 triangles Cut 11 – 1 1/2" x WOF strips (for Sashing)
Fabric J 83705-59		3/4 yd	Cut 5 – 4 1/2" x WOF strips (for Outer Border)
Crosswise Backing 83704-74		3 3/4 yds	Cut in half along the length of the fabric to get two 67 1/2" pieces. Join the two pieces along the selvage edges using a 1/2" seam.

## **Block 1 Assembly:**

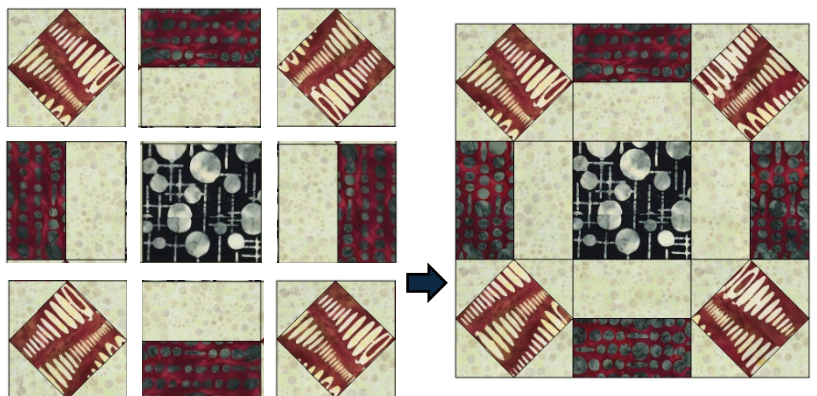
1. Lay out 1 – 3 3/8" Fabric A square and 4 – Fabric H triangles. Center and sew the long edge of one triangle to one edge of the square. Repeat on the opposite edge of the square. Press seams toward the triangles. Center and sew the remaining triangles on the remaining edges of the square in the same manner to complete the square-in-a-square Unit 1. TIPS: Fold each piece in half and finger press to find the centers to line up the triangles on the square; use a scant 1/4" seam allowance for this unit. Repeat to make 24 Unit 1a segments..



2. Using the three Fabric D strips and three of the Fabric H strips, make three strip sets as shown. Sub-cut the strip sets into 24 – 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" Unit 2a segments.



3. To assemble the block, lay out 1 – 4 1/2" Fabric F center square, four Unit 1a's and four Unit 2a's as shown.



4. Sew blocks in each row together. Then sew rows together to complete Block 1.

5. Repeat Steps 4 & 5 to make 6 Block 1's. (Unfinished block size should be 12 1/2" x 12 1/2")

## **Block 2 Assembly:**

Repeat the Steps for Block 1 using Fabric B & Fabric H for Unit 1b; Fabric E & Fabric H for Unit 2b; and Fabric G for center squares.

### **Quilt Top Assembly:**

1. From the Fabric H sashing strips, cut 8 – 1 ½" x 12 ½" strips.
2. Referring to the finished quilt image, arrange blocks into four rows of three blocks each, alternating Block 1 & 2. Sew blocks together in each row, adding a sashing strip between each block.
3. Join the remaining Fabric H sashing strips end to end. From this long strip, cut 3 – 1 ½" x 38 ½" horizontal sashing strips, 2 – 51 ½" side sashing strips and 2 – 1 ½" x 40 ½" top & bottom sashing strips.
4. Sew rows together, adding a horizontal sashing strip between each row. Add the two side sashing strips to both sides of the quilt top, then add the top & bottom sashing strips.
5. Join the Fabric C inner border strips end to end. From this long strip, cut 2 – 1 ½" x 53 ½" and sew to each side of the quilt top. Then cut 2 – 1 ½" x 42 ½" strips and sew to the top & bottom of the quilt top.
6. Join the Fabric J outer border strips end to end. From this long strip, cut 2 – 4 ½" x 55 ½" strips and sew to each side of the quilt top. Then cut 2 – 4 ½" x 50 ½" outer border strips and sew to the top & bottom of the quilt top.

### **Finishing the Quilt:**

1. Prepare binding by joining the Fabric C binding strips using diagonal seams. Fold in half, wrong sides together, along the length of the strip, and press.
2. Layer quilt top with batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Bind using your favorite method.